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Mr. Brunner is the Director, Discontinued Operations for Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold and is based in the Freeport's corporate office in Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Brunner began his employment with Freeport's predecessor company, Phelps Dodge Corporation in 1987 as a Process Engineer at the Hidalgo Smelter located in the bootheel of New Mexico. Subsequently he served in a number of positions of increasing responsibility in the areas of environment and natural resource management at Freeport's locations in New Mexico, including the Tyrone Mine, the Cobre Mine, and the Chino Mine and Smelter. In 2004, Mr. Brunner joined Freeport's Corporate Office in Phoenix where he is responsible for the environmental remediation and long-term strategic management of Freeport's inactive, discontinued and redeveloped sites throughout the country. Mr. Brunner manages a diverse portfolio of inactive mines, smelters, and other industrial sites with a goal of ensuring environmental compliance, coordinating remediation and reclamation activities, and minimizing holding costs.