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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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FORM 15

CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

Commission File Number

1-14066

SOUTHERN PERU COPPER CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

2575 EAST CAMELBACK RD. PHOENIX, AZ 85016 (602) 977-6500

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

INTERESTS IN THE SAVINGS PLAN OF SOUTHERN PERU COPPER CORPORATION AND PARTICIPATING SUBSIDIARIES AND SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF SOUTHERN PERU

(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

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COPPER CORPORATION REGISTERED PURSUANT TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON FORM S-8 NO. 333-40293 DATED NOVEMBER 14, 1997.

(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

Rule $12g-4(a)(1)(i)$	0	Rule $12h-3(b)(1)(i)$	o
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Rule 12g-4(a)(2)(i)	o	Rule 12h-3(b)(2)(i)	ý
Rule 12g-4(a)(2)(ii)	o	Rule 12h-3(b)(2)(ii)	o
		Rule 15d-6	ý

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: FIVE (5)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (*Name of registrant as specified in charter*) has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Date: JUNE 30, 2004 By: /s/ Jose N Chirinos

JOSE N. CHIRINOS, TREASURER

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