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(54) **METHOD FOR RECOVERING METAL VALUES FROM METAL-CONTAINING MATERIALS USING HIGH TEMPERATURE PRESSURE LEACHING**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The present invention relates generally to a process for recovering copper and other metal values from metal-containing materials through pressure leaching operations. In accordance with the various aspects of the present invention, metal-containing pregnant leach solutions from pressure leaching operations need not be significantly diluted to facilitate effective metal recovery using solvent extraction and electrowinning.

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