

AFFIDAVIT OF PERFORMANCE OF ANNUAL LABORFOR ASSESSMENT YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1966RUBY HILL MINING COMPANY

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS)
COUNTY OF SUFFOLK) SS.

John B. Metcalfe, being first duly sworn, on oath says that:

He is a Vice President of Ruby Hill Mining Company, a corporation, and makes this affidavit for and on its behalf. Ruby Hill Mining Company is the owner of the following named and described unpatented lode mining claims, situated in Eureka Mining District, in Eureka County, State of Nevada:

Name of Mining Claim	RECORDED IN THE RECORDS OF EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA		Last Amended	
	Location Notice or Certificate		Location Certificate	
	Book	Page	Book	Page
Adams Hill Apex	J	468	L	264
Adams Hill Extension	J	490	L	215
Adams Hill Extension No. 1	J	490	L	214
Adams Hill Extension No. 2	J	491	L	215
Adams Hill Extension No. 3	J	491	L	216
Adams Hill Extension No. 4	J	481	L	217
Adams Hill Extension No. 5	J	482	L	218
Adams Hill Extension No. 6	J	482	L	219
Adams Hill Extension No. 7	J	483	L	219
Adams Hill Extension No. 8	J	483	L	220
Adams Hill Extension No. 9	J	492	L	221
Adams Hill Extension No. 10	K	4	L	222
Adams Hill Fraction	J	515	L	223
Alpha Extension	K	255	K	393
Alpha Extension No. 2	K	256	K	393
Alpha Extension No. 3	K	256	K	394
Alpha Extension No. 4	K	257	K	394
Alpha Extension No. 5	K	257	K	395
Alpha Extension No. 6	K	258	K	395
Alpha Extension No. 7	K	258	K	396
Altoona	F	263	F	268
Ann Fraction	K	291	-	-
August No. 3	L	160	L	191
August No. 4	L	161	L	191
August No. 5	L	161	L	192
August No. 6	L	162	L	192
August No. 7	L	162	L	193
August No. 8	L	163	L	193
August No. 9	L	163	L	194
Auro Fraction	J	533	L	223
Badger Extension	K	60	L	224
B.B.	K	7	K	292
Bear	J	465	L	212
Boom	K	297	K	359
Boom No. 1	K	297	K	360
Boom No. 2	K	298	K	361
Boom No. 3	K	299	K	361
Bourbon	K	283	K	362
Bullwhacker No. 2	K	223	K	362
Bullwhacker No. 3	K	223	K	363
Cedar Fraction	K	6	K	352
Cedar Tree	J	514	K	352
Cub	K	153	K	338
Cub No. 1	K	153	K	339
Cyanide Extension	J	459	L	225
Cyanide Extension No. 1	J	459	L	226
Cyanide Extension No. 2	J	464	L	211
Cyanide Extension No. 3	J	465	L	226

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Cyanide Extension No. 4	J	468	L	267
Cyanide Extension No. 5	J	469	L	268
Cyanide Extension No. 6	J	500	L	229
Cyanide Extension No. 7	J	500	L	230
Cyanide Extension No. 8	J	515	L	230
Cyanide Extension No. 13	J	487	L	231
Cyanide Extension No. 14	J	489	L	232
Cyanide Extension No. 16	J	482	L	233
Cyanide Extension No. 17	J	485	L	234
Cyanide Extension No. 24	J	479	L	234
Cyanide Extension No. 25	J	547	L	235
Cyanide Extension No. 26	J	480	L	236
Cyanide Extension No. 27	J	499	L	237
Cyanide Fraction	J	469	L	269
December Fraction	J	530	K	364
December No. 2	J	509	K	347
December No. 3	J	498	K	353
December No. 4	J	499	K	354
December No. 5	J	516	K	354
December No. 6	J	516	K	355
December No. 7	L	91	-	-
December No. 8	L	92	-	-
December No. 9	L	92	-	-
December No. 10	L	104	-	-
Democrat Fraction	K	2	K	348
Dodge Fraction	K	37	L	265
East Cyanide	I	185	K	335
Elsie, also known as Elsie and/or Elsie No. 1	J	473	K	356
Fox	K	259	K	391
Fox No. 1	K	259	K	392
Fox No. 2	K	260	K	392
Fox	K	317	L	209
Fox No. 1	K	427	L	210
Fox Fraction	L	256	-	-
Fraser and Mileno, also known as Fraser & Molino	F	471	-	-
Hellen Mine, also known as Helen	O	499	-	-
Holly No. 2	K	222	K	364
Holly No. 3	K	222	K	365
Hope	L	144	-	-
Hope No. 1	L	145	-	-
Hope No. 2	L	145	-	-
Hope No. 3	L	146	-	-
Hope No. 4	L	146	L	178
Hope No. 5	L	147	L	179
Hope No. 6	L	147	L	179
Hope No. 7	L	148	L	180
Hope No. 8	L	148	L	180
Hope No. 9	L	149	L	181
Hope No. 10	L	149	L	181
Hope No. 11	L	150	L	182
Hope No. 12	L	150	L	182
Hope No. 13	L	151	L	183
Hope No. 14	L	151	L	183
Hope No. 15	L	152	L	184
Hope No. 16	L	152	L	184
Hope No. 17	L	153	L	185
Hope No. 18	L	153	L	185
Hope No. 19	L	154	L	186
Hope No. 20	L	154	L	186
Hope No. 21	L	155	L	187
Hope Extension	L	155	-	-
Hope Ex. No. 1	L	156	-	-
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Hope Extension No. 4	L	157	L	188
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Hope Extension No. 6	L	158	L	189
Hope Extension No. 7	L	159	L	189
Hope Extension No. 8	L	159	L	190
Hope Extension No. 9	L	160	L	190
Hope Extension No. 10	P	132	-	-
Hope Extension No. 11	P	133	-	-
Hope Extension No. 12	P	133	-	-
January	J	519	L	238
July	K	151	K	339
July No. 1	K	152	K	340
July No. 2	K	152	K	341
Jumbo	J	398	K	397
Jumbo No. 3	J	399	K	398
Last Fraction	K	6	K	346
Little Addie	J	543	L	240
Little Addie Fraction	K	1	L	239
Lucky Dick	J	57	K	348
Lucky Dick Fraction	J	324	K	293
Lynx	K	299	L	210
Merch	K	300	-	-
March No. 1	K	300	-	-
March No. 2	K	301	-	-
March No. 3	K	301	-	-
March No. 4	K	302	-	-
March No. 5	K	302	-	-
March No. 6	K	303	-	-
March No. 7	K	303	-	-
March No. 8	K	304	-	-
March No. 9	K	304	-	-
March No. 10	K	305	-	-
March No. 11	K	305	-	-
March Extension	K	306	-	-
March Extension No. 1	K	306	-	-
March Ex. No. 2	L	96	-	-
March Ex. No. 3	L	96	-	-
March Ex. No. 4	L	95	-	-
March Ex. No. 5	L	94	-	-
March Ex. No. 6	L	94	-	-
March Ex. Fraction	L	93	-	-
March Fraction	J	529	L	241
May Fraction	J	525	K	350
Mercury	L	79	-	-
Mhawk	I	166	I	266
Monarch Fraction	J	509	K	349
Moon	L	64	L	210
New Years	I	186	-	-
New Years Fraction	L	255	-	-
November	L	102	-	-
November No. 1	L	102	-	-
November No. 2	L	103	-	-
November Fraction	L	101	-	-
October Fraction	L	105	-	-
Oriole	I	212	L	213
Oriole No. 1	I	212	L	213
Oriole Fraction	L	76	L	213
Pine Fraction	J	528	L	258
Polly	K	120	K	414
Polly No. 1	K	121	K	415
Polly No. 2	K	121	K	416
Porphyry Fraction	L	256	-	-
R. E. No. 2	K	227	-	-
R. E. No. 3 Amended	K	228	K	239
R. E. No. 4	K	228	-	-

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R. E. No. 8	K	230	-	-
R. E. No. 9	K	230	-	-
R. E. No. 10	K	231	-	-
R. E. No. 11	K	231	-	-
R. E. No. 12	K	232	-	-
R. E. No. 13	K	232	-	-
R. E. No. 14	K	233	-	-
R. E. No. 15	K	233	-	-
R. E. No. 16	K	234	-	-
R. E. No. 17	K	234	-	-
R. E. No. 18	K	235	-	-
R. E. No. 19	K	235	-	-
R. E. No. 20	K	235	-	-
R. E. No. 21	K	235	-	-
R. E. No. 22	K	237	-	-
R. E. No. 23	K	237	-	-
R. E. No. 24	K	238	-	-
R. E. No. 25	K	238	-	-
R. E. No. 27	L	87	-	-
R. E. No. 28	L	88	-	-
R. E. No. 30	L	88	-	-
R. E. No. 31	L	89	-	-
R. E. No. 34	L	90	-	-
Red Seal	J	544	K	343
Rye	K	283	K	365
Sagebrush	J	512	L	242
Sagebrush No. 1	J	512	L	243
September	L	97	-	-
September No. 1	L	98	-	-
September No. 2	L	98	-	-
September No. 3	L	111	-	-
September No. 5	L	112	-	-
September No. 6	L	99	-	-
September No. 7	L	100	-	-
September No. 8	L	100	-	-
September No. 9	L	112	-	-
September No. 10	L	113	-	-
September No. 11	L	114	-	-
Silver Fraction	K	313	-	-
Silver West No. 2	K	223	K	366
Snow	K	307	-	-
Snow No. 1	K	307	-	-
Snow No. 2	K	308	-	-
Snow No. 3	K	308	-	-
Snow No. 4	K	309	-	-
Snow No. 5	K	309	-	-
Spar Fraction	K	329	-	-
Spring	K	312	-	-
Stormy Fraction, also known as				
Stormy Fract.	J	528	L	244
Sunday Fraction	J	539	L	245
Triangle Fraction	L	103	-	-
Velvet Fraction	K	424	L	211
Wac Fraction	K	318	-	-
Wave Fraction	K	317	-	-
Weary Fraction	L	90	-	-
Windy Fraction	J	530	L	245
Wolf	J	475	L	212
Wonder	K	310	K	320
Wonder No. 1	K	311	K	399
Zeke Fraction	K	411	-	-

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Ruby Hill Mining Company caused to be performed and made for the benefit of said unpatented claims the annual labor and improvements required by the laws of the United States and the State of Nevada for the assessment year ending at 12:00 o'clock Meridian, September 1, 1966.

There was expended for said labor and improvements and they are of a value of in excess of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00); and they were performed and made at the expense of Hecla Mining Company, as operator under a Lease between Ruby Hill Mining Company, as Lessor, and Hecla Mining Company and others, as Lessees, which requires the Lessees to perform the annual labor and improvements for said claims.

The said labor was performed and improvements made between 12:00 o'clock Meridian on September 1, 1965 and March 1, 1966, and consisted of: first, advancing, under cement and grout cover to reduce and control the inflow of water, the 2250 level crosscut southerly from the Fad Shaft a distance of 118 feet in the T. R. and Lucky Man lode mining claims, M.S. Nos. 2870 and 2852, respectively; second, excavating a drill station 25 feet long by 16 feet wide by 11 feet high in the face of said crosscut; third, drilling from said drill station 35 long drill holes, totalling 7,282 feet, for the purpose of exploring the orebodies, which drilling required cementing, grouting and redrilling, totalling 37,452 feet, because of large flows of water under pressure; fourth, from said 2250 level crosscut, drilling diamond drill hole No. RH 22-5 from a depth of 73 feet to a depth of 158 feet, an advance of 85 feet in said Lucky Man claim; fifth, from a location near the Fad Shaft on said 2250 level, drilling diamond drill hole No. RH 22-6 northeasterly to a depth of 634 feet in the Fad lode mining claim, M.S. No. 3223, and in the Buckeye and Champion millsites, M.S. Nos. 113 and 114, respectively.

The said T.R., Lucky Man, Fad, Buckeye and Champion claims are patented and are owned by Ruby Hill Mining Company; the said patented claims, adjoining patented claims owned by Ruby Hill Mining Company, and the above named and described unpatented mining claims comprise a contiguous group of mining claims owned in common. The said labor was performed and improvements made for the benefit of each and all of said mining claims comprising said contiguous group, as a part of a general plan of development, and they tend to improve and develop each and all of said mining claims. The amount expended for and value of said labor and improvements is not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each of the mining claims comprising said contiguous group. The said expenditure was made in good faith for the purpose of developing said contiguous group of mining claims and was intended as annual labor and improvements for each and all of the above named and described unpatented lode mining claims.

John B. Metcalfe
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April, 1966.

My commission expires:

Aug. 20, 1971

Mary J. Saverty
Notary Public
Residing at Boston, Mass.

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Affixed

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