

File No. **45645**BOOK **21** PAGE **319**CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF LODE MINING CLAIM

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the CM 16 Lode Mining Claim was located by Cortez Metals Co., whose post office address appears below, on the 8th day of September, 1967.

The general course of said vein or lode is northerly and southerly. The claim is situate in the Cortez Mining District (unorganized), Lander and/or Eureka Counties, Nevada. The NW Corner of this claim is approximately 6,400 feet S 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° E from the SW Corner of Section 6, T. 26 N., R. 48 E., MDB&M.

The Locator claims 10 feet in a northerly direction and 1490 feet in a southerly direction from the point of discovery, with a width of 300 feet on each side of the center of the vein or lode along the entire length of said claim.

The dimensions and location of the discovery work done on the claim are as follows: This claim is one of a group of 8 contiguous claims (CM 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17) for which, as discovery work, a rotary drill hole was drilled approximately 100 feet south of the north end center of the CM 17 claim. In addition, a drill site was prepared. The total cost of such drilling and excavation work was in excess of \$800.00, and such work did advance the exploration and development of all claims in said group.

The corners and side centers of the claim are located and marked as follows: From the SW Corner, a monument marked SW COR CM 16 ; thence in a northerly direction 750 feet to the W. Side Center, a monument marked W. SIDE CTR. CM 16 ; thence 750 feet in a northerly direction to the NW Corner, a monument marked NW COR CM 16 ; thence 600 feet in an easterly direction to the NE Corner, a monument marked NE COR CM 16 ; thence 750 feet in a southerly direction to the E. Side Center, a monument marked E. SIDE CTR. CM 16 ; thence 750 feet in a southerly direction to the SE Corner, a monument marked SE COR CM 16 ; thence 600 feet westerly to the point of beginning.

Each of the above-described monuments is a 4" x 4" post, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet long, set one foot of its length in the ground. Markings are on metal tags affixed to said posts.

All location and discovery work necessary to complete this location had been performed by December 4, 1967.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1967.

Cortez Metals Co.  
Locator

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Post office address

By: W. L. Wilson  
Agent

This claim was located for and the discovery work performed for Cortez Metals Co. by American Exploration & Mining Co., 2300 Russ Building, San Francisco, California 94104.

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