

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF LODE MINING CLAIM

## IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED THAT:

On November 28, 1968, The Cortez Joint Venture, a joint venture consisting of American Exploration & Mining Co., The Bunker Hill Company, Webb Resources, Inc., and Vernon F. Taylor, Jr., located the Ion No. 3A Lode Mining Claim, situate in the Cortez Mining District, Lander and/or Eureka Counties, Nevada, the NW corner of this claim being about 4300 feet NW from USMM No. 1 or 20, 635 feet north and 7020 feet east of the SW corner of Section 6 T.26N., R.48E., and is adjoined by Ion No. 2A to the east and Ion No. 4A to the west.

The general course of the vein or lode is northerly and southerly and said locator claims in length along the course of the vein 50 feet in a northerly direction and 1450 feet in a southerly direction from the point of discovery, together with a width of 300 feet on each side of the center of the vein or lode along the entire length of the claim.

This claim is one of a group of Six (6) contiguous claims, the specific names of which are: Ion No. 1A, Ion No. 2A, Ion No. 3A, Ion No. 4A, Ion No. 5A and Ion No. 6A. As discovery work for said group of claims a rotary drill hole was drilled on said Ion No. 4A claim at a point approximately 400 feet and S 81° E from the Northwest corner of said Ion No. 4A. In addition a second drill hole was drilled on said Ion No. 4A at a point approximately 400 feet south from said first drill hole. The total cost of such drilling was in excess of \$600.00.

The corners and side centers of the claim are each located and marked by a post (each post being at least four inches in diameter by four and one-half feet in length set one foot in the ground) as follows: At the SW Corner a post marked SW cor Ion 3A, at the W Side Center a post marked W side ctr Ion 3A, at the NW Corner a post marked NW cor Ion 3A, at the NE Corner a post marked NE cor Ion 3A, at the E Side Center a post marked E side ctr Ion 3A, and at the SE Corner a post marked SE cor Ion 3A.

This claim is a relocation of the Ion No. 3 Lode Claim located February 10, 1964, by said locator who, in locating this claim, adopted the existing discovery, boundaries and monuments of said relocated claim and also erected a new location stake.

All postings, monumentings, discovery work and other acts necessary to complete this location have been performed in compliance with law.

Dated: February 10, 1969.

Locator's Address:

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THE CORTEZ JOINT VENTURE

Locator

By: Lee R. Storer

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