

After Recording Return To:
Minnova (U.S.) Inc.
740 Freeport #101
Sparks, NV 89431

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**AFFIDAVIT OF ANNUAL
LABOR AND VALUE OF LABOR
AND IMPROVEMENTS**

STATE OF NEVADA)
COUNTY OF WASHOE) ss.

I, PAUL R. MATTINEN agent for
GERISH/PONTE/BISSELL, Owner, being first duly sworn, state:

1. That, as required and authorized by 30 U.S.C. 28, NRS 517.230 and 43 C.F.R. 3833.2-1(b) and 3833.2-2, labor was performed, improvements were made, or expenditures for labor or improvements were made having a value of at least TEN THOUSAND Dollars (\$10,000) on the following unpatented mining claim(s) situated in Section(s) 14, 15, 22, 23, 26, 27, 34, 35, Township 18N, Range 53E, WBM, in the UNKNOWN Mining District, EUREKA County, Nevada:

Name of Claim	BLM Serial #	County Recording Data Book	Page
STOCKTON-SURPRISE et al - SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT			
67 claims			

2. That such expenditures, work, or improvements were made in the amount of at least One Hundred Dollars per claim, by or at the expense of GERISH/PONTE/BISSELL, Owner of said claim(s) whose current mailing address is SEE EXHIBIT for the assessment year ending September 1, 1989.

3. That such labor or improvements were performed or made by DRIET DRILLING, 6200 MEADOWOOD #247, RENO, NV 89502 on behalf of the Owner, between the dates of JUNE 3 and JUNE 30, 1989.

4. That said labor and improvements consisted of 8605' OF ROTARY REVERSE-CIRCULATION DRILLING all for the benefit of the claims as a contiguous group of claims and affected all of the claims by facilitating the development of the claims as a mine and the extraction of ore therefrom.

5. That each claim herein described is held and claimed by the owner for the valuable minerals contained therein, and the owner intends to continue development of each such claim, and that, as authorized and permitted by 43 U.S.C. 1744(a), NRS 517.230, as amended, and 43 C.F.R. 3833.2-1(b), 3833.2-2 and 3833.2-3(a), for each mining claim described above. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD THE MINING CLAIM is hereby given, and that, without reference to the performance of labor and making of improvements annually or to the filing of this affidavit as evidence thereof, the owner intends to hold and develop each such claim as authorized by the General Mining Law of 1872, as amended, 30 U.S.C. 22 et seq.

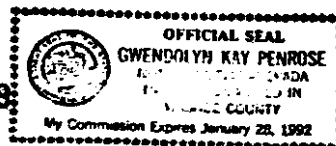
6. I, PAUL R. MATTINEN do hereby swear under penalty of perjury that the assertions of this affidavit are true.

Paul R. Mattinen
(Subscriber)

Agent for: GERISH/PONTE/BISSELL

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1989.
Shirley Kay Penrose
Notary Public

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KIRIBIT "A"

To the Agreement dated 26 day of FEBRUARY, 1988 between Richard L. Gerish, Leisa B. Gerish, Verna Bissell and Keradanox, Inc..

"Property"

Sections 26, 27, 34, 35, Township 18 North, Range 53 East, MDB&M, Eureka County, Nevada.

A. UNPATENTED LODE MINING CLAIMS

Claim Name	Book	Page	BLM NMC No.
Surprise #1	63	486	21717
Surprise #2	63	487	21718
Surprise #3	63	488	21719
Surprise #4	63	489	21720
Surprise #5	63	490	21721
Surprise #6	63	491	21722
Surprise #7	63	492	21723
Surprise #8	63	493	21724
Surprise #9	63	494	21725
Surprise #10	63	495	21726
Surprise #11	63	496	21727
Surprise #12	63	497	21728
Surprise #13	63	498	21729
Surprise #14	63	499	21730
Surprise #15	63	500	21731
Surprise #16	63	501	21732
Surprise #17	63	502	21733
Surprise #18	63	503	21734
Surprise #19	63	504	21735
Surprise #20	63	505	21736
Surprise #21	63	506	21737
Surprise #22	63	507	21738
Surprise #23	63	508	21739
Surprise #24	63	509	21740

B. OWNERSHIP

The recorded possessory title to above listed lode claim group is vested as follows:

Surprise #1-6, #10, #12, #15.

Richard L. Gerish and Leisa B. Gerish as to an undivided two-thirds (2/3 rds) interest. Verna Bissell, sole heir to the estate of Stanley Fino (deceased) as to an undivided one third (1/3 rd) interest.

Surprise #7-9, #11, #13, #14, #16-24.

Richard L. Gerish and Leisa B. Gerish.

Richard L. Gerish and Leisa B. Gerish and Verna Bissell herewith pool their respective interest to consolidate the ownership of the Surprise #1-24 claim group. The resultant interest in the property for purposes of this Agreement shall be Richard L. Gerish and Leisa B. Gerish, joint tenants, as to a eighty seven and one-half percent (87.5%) interest and Verna Bissell as to a twelve and one-half percent (12.5%) interest. Method of payments due under this Agreement shall be in accordance with Section 8.2.

ADDRESS - OWNERS

Richard & Leisa Gerish
1629 Tumbleweed Road
Fallon, NV 89406

Bernard & Barbara Ponte
943 West Williams
Fallon, NV 89406

Verna Bissell
749-A Garden Highway
Yuba City, CA 95991

EXHIBIT "A"

To the Agreement dated _____ day of _____, 198_, between
Richard L. Gorish, Lolisa B. Gorish, Bernard Ponte, and Barbara Ponte;
and Koradawox, Inc..

"Property"

Sections 14, 15, 22, 23, and 27, Township 18 North, Range 53
East, MDB&M, Eureka County, Nevada.

A. UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS

Claim Name	<u>Original</u>		<u>Amendment</u>		BLM REC No.
	Book	Page	Book	Page	
Badger	0	19	81	574	11890
Stockton # 1	0	18			11891
Stockton # 2	17	534-535	62	116	11892
Stockton # 3	17	536-537	62	117	11893
Stockton # 4	17	538-539	62	118	11894
Stockton # 5	17	540-541	62	119	11895
Stockton # 6	17	542-543	62	120	11896
			81	573	11896
Stockton # 7	17	544-545	62	121	11897
Stockton # 8	17	546-547	62	122	11898
Stockton # 9	17	548-549	62	123	11899
Stockton #10	17	550-551	62	124	11900
Stockton #11	17	552-553	62	125	11901
Stockton #12	17	554-555	62	126	11902
Stockton #13	17	556-557	62	127	11903
Stockton #17	76	368			132317
Stockton #18	76	369			132318
Stockton #22	76	370			132319
Stockton #23	76	371			132320
Stockton #24	76	372			132321
Stockton #25	76	373			132322
Stockton #26	76	374			132323
Stockton #27	76	375			132324
Stockton #36	76	376			132325
Stockton #37	76	377			132326
Stockton #14	78	431			139500
Stockton #15	78	432			139501
Stockton #16	78	433			139502
Stockton #19	78	434			139503
(Tailings)					
Stockton #20	78	435			139504
Stockton #28	78	436			139505
Stockton #29	78	437			139506
Stockton #30	78	438			139507
Stockton #31	78	439			139508
Stockton #32	78	440			139509
Stockton #33	78	441			139510
Stockton #34	78	442			139511
Stockton #35	78	443			139512
Stockton #21	81	569			154155
Stockton #38	81	570			154156
Stockton #39	81	571			154157
Stockton #40	81	572			154158
Great Western	0	17			11889
GB #1	95	75			216957

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