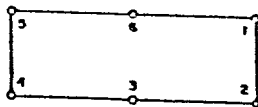
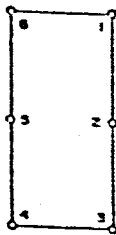


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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - NEVADA

THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby certifies that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED, by its Agent, the undersigned, does hereby locate the ALPHA 169 Lode Mining Claim on this 4th day of February, 1991, situated in the Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada.

Said Claim is located in the NE (Quarter) Section(s) 4 Township 31 N, Range 49 E, Mt. Diablo Mer., and is more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner post No. 1,

Thence, <u>660</u> feet in a <u>south</u> direction to Post No. 2, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 2</u>
Thence, <u>660</u> feet in a <u>south</u> direction to Post No. 3, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 3</u>
Thence, <u>600</u> feet in a <u>west</u> direction to Post No. 4, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 4</u>
Thence, <u>660</u> feet in a <u>north</u> direction to Post No. 5, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 5</u>
Thence, <u>660</u> feet in a <u>north</u> direction to Post No. 6, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 6</u>
Thence, <u>600</u> feet in a <u>east</u> direction to Post No. 1, marked - <u>ALPHA 169 - 1</u>

the point of beginning and all posts being 3 1/2" X 3 1/2" X 4' wood

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein from the point of discovery is 1310 feet in a north direction and 10 feet in a south direction, together with 300 feet on each side of the center of the vein or lode for the entire length of the claim.

The general course of the vein or lode is north and south

To tie this Claim to the Public Survey, begin at the NW corner, Section 4 Township 31 N, Range 49 E, Mt. Diablo Mer., and bear east 4680 feet and south 0 feet to the northeast corner of this Claim.

The work of location consisted of making the maps as provided in NRS 517.040. Dated February 15 A.D., 1991, and filed in duplicate.

NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
P.O. Box 669
Carlin, Nevada 89822

By: Robert W. Schlichting
Its Agent
-Locator-

STATE OF WYOMING)
COUNTY OF FREMONT) SS

Sworn to and acknowledged before me this 15th day of February, 1991, by Robert W. Schlichting as Agent for Newmont Exploration Limited.

Connie A. Tilghman Notary Public
County of FREMONT State of WYOMING
My Commission Expires Nov. 30, 1992

Connie A. Tilghman
Notary Public

November 30, 1992