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STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss
COUNTY OF EUREKA)

NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That at least one hundred dollars' worth of development work was performed upon or for the benefit of each of the Mining Claims Listed in Exhibit "A". attached hereto.

The patented mining claims are situated in the Lynn Mining District, County of Eureka, State of Nevada. The work was done during the assessment work period ending with the period January 1 - August 31, 1991. That the owner of these patented mining claims is Newmont Gold Company as set forth as Exhibit A attached hereto.

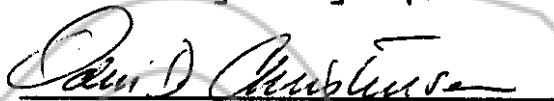
Said work was done at the expense of Newmont Gold Company, the owner of said patented mines or mining claims, for the purpose of relieving the same from tax assessment.

The work was performed by Newmont Gold Company, Newmont Exploration Limited, and others over the entire claim group.

The work was done continuously during the January 1 - August 31, 1991 period, and work is continuing at this date.

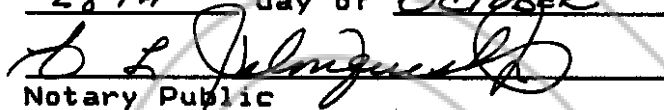
The work consisted of: haul rod improvement on Blue Star Claims 1943, 2-1944, 3-1959 and 4-1959. A total of 42 exploration holes were drilled for a total of 25,700 feet. 9.34 million short tons were mined from the Blue Star Claim Group

Work was done in several places on the patented claim group, and upon unpatented claims. All work was done for the benefit of mining claims listed in Exhibit "A" annexed hereto. The claims form a contiguous group.



Odin Christensen
Vice President, Exploration
Newmont Exploration Limited

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
28TH day of OCTOBER, 1991


Notary Public

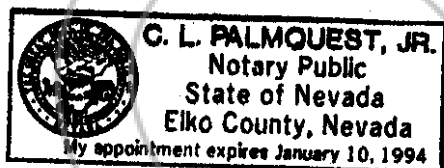


Exhibit "A"

EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA

LYNN MINING DISTRICT

PATENTED MINES

BLUE STAR

Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 1943
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 1-1944
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 2-1944
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 1-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 2-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 3-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 4-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 15-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 16-1959
Survey No. 4889,	Blue Star 17-1959

Exhibit "A"

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