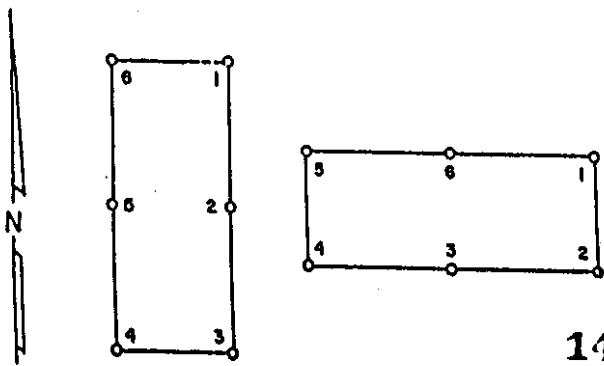


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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - NEVADA

THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby certifies that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED, by its Agent, the undersigned, does hereby locate the GIE 9 Lode Mining Claim on this 9th day of January, 1992, situated in the Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada.

Said Claim is located in the NE(SE)(NW)(SW) (Quarter) Section(s) 6(6)(6)(6), Township 34 North, Range 52 East, Mt. Diablo Mer., and is more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner post No. 1,

- Thence, 750 feet in a south direction to Post No. 2, marked - GIE 9 -2
- Thence, 750 feet in a south direction to Post No. 3, marked - GIE 9 -3
- Thence, 600 feet in a west direction to Post No. 4, marked - GIE 9 -4
- Thence, 750 feet in a north direction to Post No. 5, marked - GIE 9 -5
- Thence, 750 feet in a north direction to Post No. 6, marked - GIE 9 -6
- Thence, 600 feet in a east direction to Post No. 1, marked - GIE 9 -1

the point of beginning and all monuments being wood posts

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein from the point of discovery is 10 feet in a north direction and 1490 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 Northwest corner, Section 6, Township 34 N., Range 52 E., Mt. Diablo Mer., and bear south, 1400 feet and east, 2900 feet to the northeast corner of this Claim.

The work of location consisted of making the maps as provided in NRS 517.040: Dated January 30 A.D., 1992, and filed in duplicate.

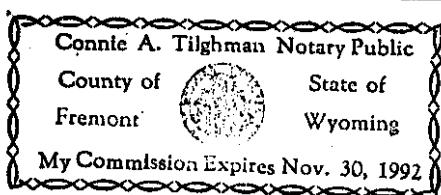
NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED  
 P.O. Box 669  
 Carlin, Nevada 89822

By: Robert W. Schlichting  
 Its Agent  
 -Locator-

STATE OF WYOMING )  
 COUNTY OF FREMONT ) SS

Sworn to and acknowledged before me this 13th day of February 1992, by Robert W. Schlichting as Agent for Newmont Exploration Limited.

Connie A. Tilghman  
 Notary Public



My Commission Expires:

November 30, 1992