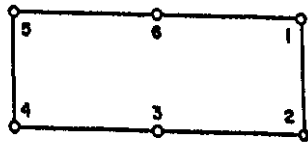
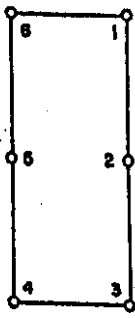


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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - NEVADA

THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby certifies that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED, by its Agent, the undersigned, does hereby locate the COT 9 Lode Mining Claim on this 20th day of January, 1992, situated in the Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada.

Said Claim is located in the NW(NE) (Quarter) Section(s) 6(1) Township 34 North, Range 50 East (49 East), Mt. Diablo Mer. and is more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner post No. 1,

Thence, <u>600</u> feet in a <u>south</u> direction to Post No. 2, marked -	COT 9	-2
Thence, <u>750</u> feet in a <u>west</u> direction to Post No. 3, marked -	COT 9	-3
Thence, <u>750</u> feet in a <u>west</u> direction to Post No. 4, marked -	COT 9	-4
Thence, <u>600</u> feet in a <u>north</u> direction to Post No. 5, marked -	COT 9	-5
Thence, <u>750</u> feet in a <u>east</u> direction to Post No. 6, marked -	COT 9	-6
Thence, <u>750</u> feet in a <u>east</u> direction to Post No. 1, marked -	COT 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 an east direction and 1490 feet in a west 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 east and west

To tie this Claim to the Public Survey, begin at the Northwest corner, Section 6, Township 34 N., Range 50 E., Mt. Diablo Mer., and bear south, 2300 feet and east, 1300 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 14 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 27th day of February 1992, 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

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