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ASSESSMENT  
WORK  
AFFIDAVIT  
AND  
PROOF  
OF  
LABOR

45 claims

RECORDING REQUESTED  
BY AND RETURN TO:  
Santa Fe Pacific Mining, Inc.  
Attn: Land Dept.  
Box 27019  
Albuquerque, NM 87125

STATE OF NEVADA            )  
                                      )ss.  
COUNTY OF EUREKA        )

BEFORE ME, personally appeared Ronald L. Parratt who being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that:

1. SANTA FE PACIFIC MINING, INC. ("SFPM"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Kansas and qualified to do business in the State of Nevada, is the owner, optionee or lessee of the unpatented lode mining claims ("Claims") situated in the Cortez Mining District, County of Eureka, State of Nevada, located in Section (See attached Exhibit "A"), Township 27 and 28 North, Range 48 East, listed and described in attached Exhibit "A".
2. The name of the owner or claimant of these Claims is Elwood Wright and Duane L. Smith. The work or improvements, described below was performed or made at the expense of SFPM.
3. SFPM has caused to be done and performed upon and for the benefit of the Claims the assessment work and improvements required by law for the assessment year beginning at noon on September 1, 1991 and ending at noon on September 1, 1992.
4. The date on which the work was done or improvements made are between September 1, 1991 and September 1, 1992.
5. The character and type of work done, and improvements made include drilling, drill site preparation and other work authorized by law, and was completed at an actual cost of at least \$100.00 for each of the Claims.
6. The work was performed by employees, contractors and agents of SFPM as follows: B & B Drilling Co., Grand Junction, Colorado; Longyear, Dayton, Nevada.
7. Affiant is the authorized agent of SFPM for purposes of making this affidavit, is cognizant of the facts stated above and is Director - U.S. Exploration of SFPM.

By:

Ronald L. Parratt  
Affiant: Ronald L. Parratt

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Witness

STATE OF NEVADA            )  
                                      )ss.  
COUNTY OF WASHOE        )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1992, by Ronald L. Parratt and was sworn to before me by Affiant.

Witness my hand and official seal.

H. Bonnie Hardenbrook  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

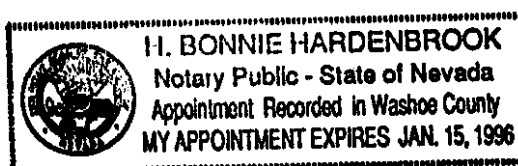


EXHIBIT A  
EUREKA County, Nevada  
MILL CANYON Project  
29-142-0002

Date 08/27/1992  
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CLAIM NAMES	RECORDING DATA			BLM SERIAL NUMBERS
	BOOK	PAGE	INSTRUMENT	
FAN 1-22	196	423-444		N MC 551457-551478
FORTUNE 1-23	201	234-256		N MC 567630-567652

Located in Sec. 4, 5, 6, 8, 9 27N-48E, Sec. 33 28N-48E

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OFFICIAL RECORDS  
RECORDED AT THE REQUEST OF  
*Santa Fe Pacific Mining*  
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EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA  
M.N. REBALEATI, RECORDER  
FILE NO. FEE \$ 78.75

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