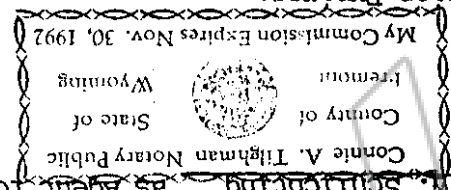


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November 30, 1992

My Commission Expires:



Connie A. Tighman
 Notary Public

Sworn to and acknowledged before me this 12th day of November, 1992,
 by Robert W. Schlitting, as Agent for Newmont Exploration Limited.

STATE OF WYOMING)
) SS)
 COUNTY OF FREMONT)

By: *Robert W. Schlitting*
 Its Agent -Locator-
 P.O. Box 669
 Carlin, Nevada 89822
 NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

The work of location consisted of making the maps as provided in NRS 517.040.
 Dated October 26 A.D., 1992, and filed in duplicate.

To tie this claim to the Public Survey, begin at the southwest corner, Section 22,
 Township 35 N., Range 50 E., Mt. Diablo Mer., and bear south 4100
 feet and east 6600 feet to the northeast corner of this claim.

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.

Then, 600 feet in a south	direction to Post No. 2, marked - NOIR 18 -2
Then, 750 feet in a west	direction to Post No. 3, marked - NOIR 18 -3
Then, 750 feet in a west	direction to Post No. 4, marked - NOIR 18 -4
Then, 600 feet in a north	direction to Post No. 5, marked - NOIR 18 -5
Then, 750 feet in a east	direction to Post No. 6, marked - NOIR 18 -6
Then, 750 feet in a east	direction to Post No. 1, marked - NOIR 18 -1

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

Beginning at the northeast corner post No. 1,

Said claim is located in the SE(SW) (Quarter) Section(s) 27(26),
 Township 35 North, Range 50 East, Mt. Diablo Mer., and is
 more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada.
 THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby certifies that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED,
 by its Agent, the undersigned, does hereby locate the NOIR 18

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - NEVADA

143689

