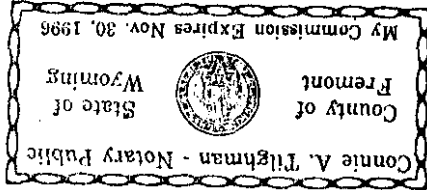


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M.N. REBALEATI, RECORDER
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FEE \$ 6.25

November 30, 1996

My Commission Expires:



Connie A. Tilghman
Notary Public

Sworn to and acknowledged before me this 10th day of December 1992, by Robert W. Schlichting as Agent for Newmont Exploration Limited.

STATE OF WYOMING)
COUNTY OF FREMONT)
SS

By: *Robert W. Schlichting*
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 November 24 A.D., 1992, and filed in duplicate.

The general course of the vein or lode is north and south. To tie this claim to the Public Survey, begin at the southwest corner, Section 21, Township 36 N., Range 51 E., Mt. Diablo Mer., and bear north 1380 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 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.

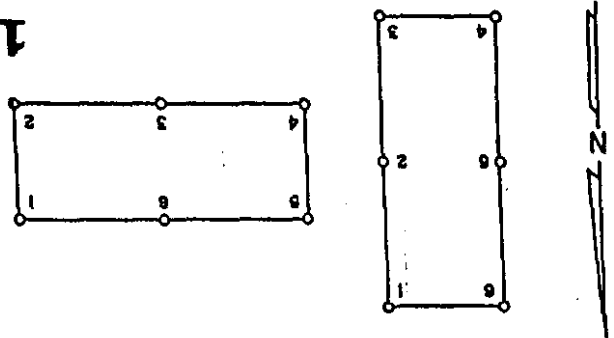
Then, 750 feet in a south direction to Post No. 2, marked - DUCK 17 - 2	direction to Post No. 2, marked - DUCK 17 - 2
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Then, 750 feet in a north direction to Post No. 6, marked - DUCK 17 - 6	direction to Post No. 6, marked - DUCK 17 - 6
Then, 600 feet in a east direction to Post No. 1, marked - DUCK 17 - 1	direction to Post No. 1, marked - DUCK 17 - 1

Beginning at the northeast corner post No. 1, Township 36 North, Range 51 East (Quarter) Section(s) 27(22), Mt. Diablo Mer., and is more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Said claim is located in the NW(SW) (Quarter) Section(s) 27(22), Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada. Unknown Lode Mining Claim on this 29th day of October, 1992, situated in the by its Agent, the undersigned, does hereby locate the DUCK 17

THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby certifies that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED,

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - NEVADA



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