

AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

State of Nevada)
County of Elko)
ss.)

David R. Faley, first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

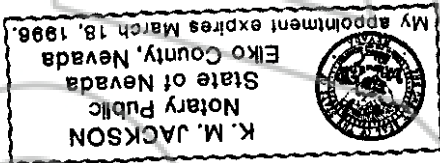
I am the Manager of Lands, U.S. of NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED, a Delaware corporation ("Newmont"), and am personally acquainted with the matters described herein. Newmont owns or controls the unpateded mining and millsite claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "claims"). It is the intention of Newmont (and of the owners of any of the claims leased or otherwise controlled by Newmont) to maintain and develop the claims as is provided for by law, and to hold the same to and through 11:59 a.m., September 1, 1993. Newmont has submitted or will submit a rental fee of \$100 for each of the claims for the assessment year ending September 1, 1993, as required by applicable federal law. This affidavit is made pursuant to N.R.S. § 517.230.

Subscribed and sworn to me this 11th day of August, 1993, by David R. Faley.

David R. Faley
DAVID R. FALEY
K.M. Jackson
Notary Public

My commission expires: March 18, 1996

(SEAL)



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MINING CLAIM RENTAL FEE FILING
AND NEVADA AFFIDAVIT
1992-1993 ASSESSMENT YEAR

To the Bureau of Land Management:

Please take notice that NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED ("Newmont"), whose address is 555 Fifth Street, Elko, Nevada 89801, owns or controls the unpatented mining and millsite claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Claims").

Newmont submits with this filing the rental fee required by Public Law 102-381, 106 Stat. 1374, 1378-79 and 43 C.F.R. Part 3830 and, to the extent applicable to any of the Claims, the Act of August 11, 1955, 69 Stat. 681 and 43 C.F.R. Part 3730, and the Act of April 8, 1948, 62 Stat. 162 and 43 C.F.R. Subpart 3821. A rental fee of \$100 is submitted for each of the Claims for the assessment year ending September 1, 1993, for a total of \$3,300.00, in lieu of the assessment work and filing requirements of 30 U.S.C. § 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. § 1744(a) and (c) suspended by Public Law 102-381.

The rental fee is submitted by Newmont on its own behalf with respect to any Claims it owns, and by Newmont as lessee or agent on behalf of the owner or owners of any of the Claims leased or otherwise controlled by Newmont.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1993.

NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

By:

Name: David R. Faley

NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

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EXHIBIT A

Company Name : NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
State : NEVADA

Project : TS - BOOTSTRAP

Block Name : 38410200001C

Run Date : 15-AUG-93

Lead File	BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book, Page or Doc #	Amended Book Page or Doc #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Meridian
NMC 86750	NMC 86836	GILES NO. 3	ELKO	45 320	129 686	36N	49E	10 11 14 15	SW SE NW NE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86838	FRANCES		ELKO	45 318	129 676	36N	49E	10 14	SW NW	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86840	BLISTER		ELKO	4 196	129 654	36N	49E	11	NE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86843	LINDA		ELKO	4 200	129 694	36N	49E	11 11	NE SE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86844	ROUND MOUNTAIN PLACER		ELKO	41 95		36N	49E	11	NE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86847	ROUND MOUNTAIN NO. 3		ELKO	4 203		36N	49E	11	SE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86849	GILES NO. 4		ELKO	176 260		36N	49E	11	SE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86850	GILES NO. 5		ELKO	176 261		36N	49E	10 10	NE NW	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86853	EL GATO NO. 1		ELKO	40 481		36N	49E	10 10 10 10	NE M.D.B.&M. NW SE SW	
NMC 86855	EL OJO NO. 2		ELKO	40 472		36N	49E	10 10	NE SE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86857	EL OJO NO. 4		ELKO	40 474		36N	49E	10 15	SE NE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86858	EL OJO NO. 5		ELKO EUREKA	40 475 P 258		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
NMC 86859	EL OJO NO. 6		ELKO EUREKA	40 476 P 259		36N	49E	10 15	SE NE	M.D.B.&M.

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State : NEVADA

Project : TS - BOOTSTRAP

Block Name : 38410200001C

Run Date : 15-AUG-93

Lead File	BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book, Page or Doc #	Amended Book Page or Doc #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Meridian
NMC 86860	EL OJO NO. 7	ELKO	40	477		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	260				15	NE	
NMC 86861	EL OJO NO. 8	ELKO	40	478		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	261				15	NE	
NMC 86862	EL OJO NO. 9	ELKO	40	479		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	262				10	SW	
								15	NW	
								15	NE	
NMC 86863	EL OJO NO. 10	ELKO	40	480		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	263				15	NW	
NMC 86864	EL CERRO NO. 1	ELKO	40	460		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	295				14	NW	
NMC 86865	EL CERRO NO. 2	ELKO	40	461		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	296				14	NW	
NMC 86866	EL CERRO NO. 3	ELKO	40	462		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	297				15	NE	
NMC 86867	EL CERRO NO. 4	ELKO	40	463		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	298				15	SE	
NMC 86868	EL CERRO NO. 5	ELKO	40	464		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	299				15	SE	
NMC 86869	EL CERRO NO. 6	ELKO	40	465		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	300				15	SE	

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EXHIBIT A

Company Name : NEMMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
State : NEVADA

Project : TS - BOOTSTRAP

Block Name : 38410200001C

Run Date : 15-AUG-93

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Lead File	BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book, Page or Doc #	Amended Book Page or Doc #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Meridian
NMC 86870	EL CERRO NO. 7	ELKO	40	466		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
								15	NW	
								15	SE	
								15	SW	
NMC 86871	RIO NO.1	EUREKA	P	301						
		ELKO	40	453		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
								14	SW	
NMC 86872	RIO NO.2	EUREKA	P	288						
		ELKO	40	454		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
								14	SW	
NMC 86873	RIO NO.3	EUREKA	P	289						
		ELKO	40	455		36N	49E	14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	290						
NMC 86874	RIO NO.4	ELKO	40	456		36N	49E	14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
								15	SE	
NMC 86875	RIO NO.5	EUREKA	P	291						
		ELKO	40	457		36N	49E	15	SE	M.D.B.&M.
		EUREKA	P	292						
NMC 86876	EL VEGA NO. 1	ELKO	40	467		36N	49E	11	SW	M.D.B.&M.
								14	NW	
		EUREKA	P	302						
								36		
NMC 86877	EL VEGA NO. 2	ELKO	40	468		36N	49E	11	SW	M.D.B.&M.
								14	NW	
		EUREKA	P	303						
								36		
NMC 86878	EL VEGA NO. 3	ELKO	40	469		36N	49E	11	SE	M.D.B.&M.
								11	SW	
		EUREKA	P	304				14	NE	
								36		
NMC 86879	EL VEGA NO. 4	ELKO	40	470		36N	49E	11	SE	M.D.B.&M.
								11	SW	
		EUREKA	P	305				14	NW	
								14	NE	
								36		
								505		

EXHIBIT A

The total count for the block : 33

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EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA
M.N. REBALANCE, RECORDER
FILE NO. FEE \$99.00

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OFFICIAL RECORDS
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Newmont Exploration Ltd
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