

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 controls the unpatented mining and millsite claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Claims"). The owners of the claims are Dean Stitzel, whose address is Henderson Bank Bldg., Elko, NV 89801 and C. R. Davis, whose address is 1263 Mountain View, Elko, NV 89801. 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.

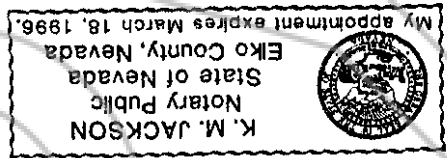
DAVID R. FALEY

Subscribed and sworn to me this Friday of August, 1993, by David R. Faley.

Kim Jackson  
Notary Public

My commission expires: March 18 1996

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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, controls the unpatented mining and millsite claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Claims"). The owners of the claims are Dean Stitzel, whose address is Henderson Bank Bldg., Elko, NV 89801 and C. R. Davis whose address is 1263 Mountain View, Elko, NV 89801.

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 \$1,600.00, 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 as lessee or agent on behalf of the owner or owners of any of the Claims leased or otherwise controlled by Newmont.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1993.

NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

By: 

Name: David R. Foley

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Run Date : 19-AUG-93

EXHIBIT A

Company Name : NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED  
 State : NEVADA

Project : SAFFORD CANYON

Block Name : 38414887001B

Lead File	BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book, Page or Doc #	Amended Book Page or Doc #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Meridian
NMC 147057	NMC 147057	MUFF # 1	EUREKA	79 309		31N	51E			M.D.M
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	NMC 147059	MUFF # 3	EUREKA	79 311		31N	51E			M.D.M
	NMC 147060	MUFF # 4	EUREKA	79 312		31N	51E			M.D.M
	NMC 147061	MUFF # 5	EUREKA	79 313		31N	51E			M.D.M
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	NMC 642652	ATRUST #4	EUREKA	232 061		31N	51E			M.D.M.
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	NMC 642654	ATRUST #6	EUREKA	232 063		31N	51E			M.D.M.
	NMC 642655	ATRUST #7	EUREKA	232 064		31N	51E			M.D.M.
	NMC 642656	ATRUST #8	EUREKA	232 065		31N	51E			M.D.M.

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 Newmont Exploration Ltd  
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