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ABANDONMENT OF MINING CLAIM

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on the 31st day of August, 1993, as of the hour of 11:59 P.M. the Undersigned, as owner of the following described unpatented lode mining claims as described on the attached Exhibit A, will abandon, and does, as of that day and hour, abandon said unpatented mining claims. The intent of this abandonment is to return the land to the status of open public domain available for location under the General Mining Laws by the Undersigned, or any other competent person or entity.

NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

By: *Graham M. Clark, Jr.*

Title: VICE PRESIDENT

Print Name: GRAHAM M. CLARK, JR.

STATE OF COLORADO)
) ss.)
) CITY & COUNTY OF DENVER)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 6th day of October, 1993, by Graham M. Clark, Jr., a Vice President of Newmont Exploration Limited, a Delaware corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

Jean A. Chavez

Jean A. Chavez
Notary Public



My Commission Expires: August 22, 1995

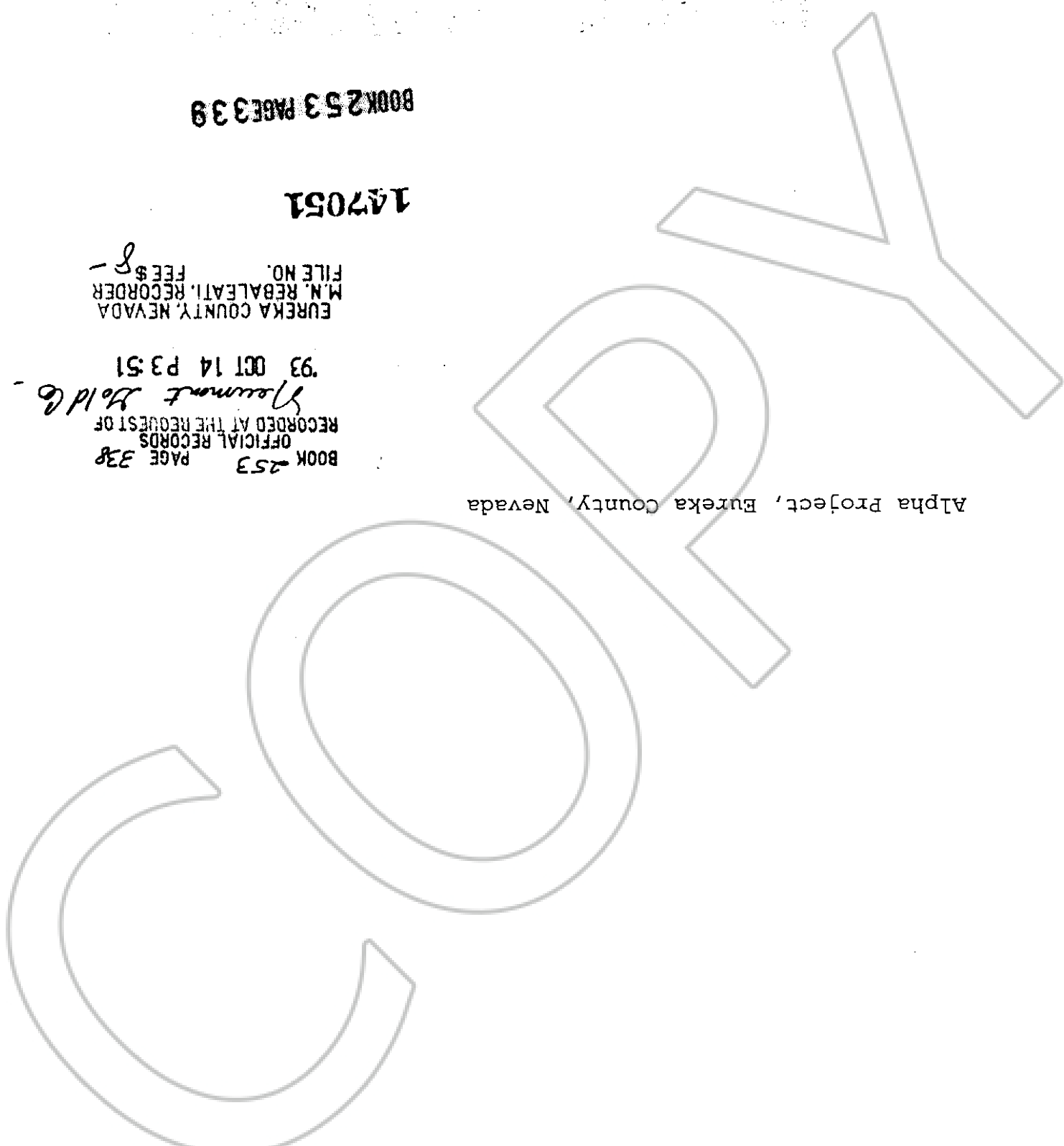
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Exhibit A

The following unpatented lode mining claims located in Eureka County, Nevada:

Claim Name	BLM Serial Number	Eureka County Book/Page
Bravo 1 - 45	NMC 647055 - 647099	233/521 - 477 (reverse order)

Alpha Project, Eureka County, Nevada



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