

RECORDING REQUESTED BY AND RETURN TO:
 NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
 555 FIFTH STREET
 ELKO, NV 89801

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
 LODGE MINING CLAIM

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Undersigned hereby certifies that he, on behalf of NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED, a Delaware corporation, has caused to be located the HAWK 2A Lode Mining Claim in the following quarter section(s):

Section	Township	Range	Meridian
1/4	36 North	51 East	MDM
SW	36 North	51 East	MDM
NW	36 North	51 East	MDM
SE	36 North	51 East	MDM
NE	36 North	51 East	MDM

in an Unknown Mining District, EUREKA County, Nevada, on the 6th day of May, 1994.

The name and mailing address of the locator is:

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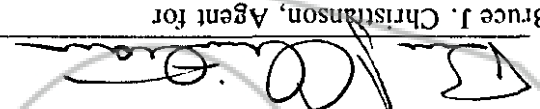
The claim is approximately 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide, such that 10 feet are claimed in a Northerly direction and 1490 feet in a Southerly direction from the point of discovery (monument of location), at which the Notice of Location was posted, together with 300 feet on each side of the monument of location and center line of the Claim. The general course of the lode or vein is from the Northerly to the Southerly direction.

The number, location and markings on each corner monument is as follows:

Location	Markings	Description
No. 1: Northeast Corner	HAWK 2A - 1	4" X 4" X 4" wood post
No. 2: Southeast Corner	HAWK 2A - 2	4" X 4" X 4" wood post
No. 3: Southwest Corner	HAWK 2A - 3	4" X 4" X 4" wood post
No. 4: Northwest Corner	HAWK 2A - 4	4" X 4" X 4" wood post

As erected on the ground, each corner monument is marked as described above by a scribed metal tag. The work of location consisted of making a claim map as provided in N.R.S. 517.040, which map is recorded herewith.

SIGNATURE OF LOCATOR:
 NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

BY: 
 Bruce J. Christanson, Agent for
 NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED

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 RECORDED AT THE REQUEST OF
 NEWMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
 94 JUL 29 PM 1:37
 EUREKA COUNTY NEVADA
 M.M. REBALEATI, RECORDER
 FILE NO. 154288
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