

AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

State of Nevada)
County of Elko)

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) ss.
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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, whose address is 555 Fifth Street, Elko, Nevada, 89801, owns the unpatented mining claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "claims").

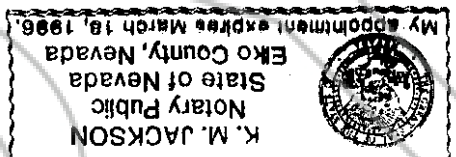
It is the intention of Newmont to maintain and develop the claims as is provided for by law, and to hold the same to and through 11:59 a.m., September 1, 1994.

Newmont has paid a rental fee of \$100 and met the federal fee requirements for each of the claims for the assessment year ending September 1, 1994, as 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), 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. This affidavit is made pursuant to N.R.S. § 517.230.

[Signature]
DAVID R. FALEY

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August, 1994, by David R. Faley.

[Signature]
Kim Jackson
Notary Public



NEWMONT EXPLORATION, TARA - 1994, AFD (0)

MINING CLAIM RENTAL FEE FILING
AND NEVADA AFFIDAVIT
1993-1994 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, 1994, 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. Foley

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NEWMONT BOOSTRAP TARA 1994 AFD

Run Date : 15-AUG-93

Company Name : NEMMONT EXPLORATION LIMITED
State : NEVADA

Project : TS - BOOTSTRAP

Block Name : 38410200001C

EXHIBIT A

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	SW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86838	FRANCES	ELKO	45 318	129 676	36N	49E	10	SW	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	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86844	ROUND MOUNTAIN PLAGER	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	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86853	EL GATO NO. 1	ELKO	40 481		36N	49E	10	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86855	EL OJO NO. 2	ELKO	40 472		36N	49E	10	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86857	EL OJO NO. 4	ELKQ	40 474		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86858	EL OJO NO. 5	EUREKA	P 257		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86859	EL OJO NO. 6	ELKO, EUREKA	40 475 P 258		36N	49E	10	SE	M.D.B.&M.
			ELKO, EUREKA	40 476 P 259		36N	49E	15	SE	M.D.B.&M.

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	NMC 86862	EL OJO NO. 9	ELKO	40 479		36N	49E	10 15	SE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86863	EL OJO NO. 10	EUREKA	P 262		36N	49E	15 15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86864	EL CERRO NO. 1	ELKO	40 460		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86865	EL CERRO NO. 2	EUREKA	P 295		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86866	EL CERRO NO. 3	ELKO	40 461		36N	49E	14 15	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86867	EL CERRO NO. 4	EUREKA	P 297		36N	49E	15 15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86868	EL CERRO NO. 5	ELKO	40 464		36N	49E	15 15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86869	EL CERRO NO. 6	EUREKA	P 299		36N	49E	15 15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
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			EUREKA	P 300						

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	NMC 86870	EL CERRO NO. 7	ELKO	40 466		36N	49E	15	NE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86871	RIO NO.1	EUREKA	P 301				15	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86872	RIO NO.2	EUREKA	40 453		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86873	RIO NO.3	EUREKA	P 288				14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86874	RIO NO.4	EUREKA	40 454		36N	49E	14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86875	RIO NO.5	EUREKA	P 289				14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86876	EL VEGA NO. 1	ELKO	40 455		36N	49E	14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86877	EL VEGA NO. 2	EUREKA	P 290				15	SE	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86878	EL VEGA NO. 3	ELKO	40 456		36N	49E	14	SW	M.D.B.&M.
	NMC 86879	EL VEGA NO. 4	EUREKA	P 291				15	SE	M.D.B.&M.
			EUREKA	40 457		36N	49E	15	SE	M.D.B.&M.
			EUREKA	P 292				11	SW	M.D.B.&M.
			ELKO	40 467		36N	49E	11	SW	M.D.B.&M.
			EUREKA	P 302				14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
			ELKO	40 468		36N	49E	11	SW	M.D.B.&M.
			EUREKA	P 303				14	NW	M.D.B.&M.
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