

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
LODE MINING CLAIM

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Undersigned hereby certifies that he, on behalf of NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, has caused to be located the VENT 17 Lode Mining Claim in the following quarter section(s):

<u>1/4</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>Meridian</u>
SE	11	35 North	50 East	MDM

in an Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada, on the 17th day of August, 1994, at 12:26 O'clock P.M.

The name and mailing address of the locator is:
NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY
555 FIFTH STREET
ELKO, NV 89801

The claim is approximately 425 feet long and 60 feet wide, such that 40 feet are claimed in a northerly direction and 385 feet in a southerly direction from the point of discovery (monument of location), at which the Notice of Location was posted, together with 30 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:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Markings</u>	<u>Description</u>
No. 1: Northeast Corner	NEC VENT 17	4" X 4" X 4' wood post
No. 2: Southeast Corner	SEC VENT 17	4" X 4" X 4' wood post
No. 3: Southwest Corner	SWC VENT 17	4" X 4" X 4' wood post
No. 4: Northwest Corner	NWC VENT 17	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 GOLD COMPANY

BY: Bruce J. Christianson
Agent for NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY

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