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PAYMENT OF CLAIM MAINTENANCE FEES  
AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD UNPATENTED CLAIMS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPT. 1, 1997

THE UNDERSIGNED, on behalf of Mt. Hope mines, Inc., 9171 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 426, Beverly Hills, Ca. 90210 states that in accordance with the 1993 Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act, Public Law No. 103-66, 107 Stat. 405, One Hundred Dollars in Maintenance fees were paid by Mt. Hope for the assessment year ending at 12:00 noon on September 1, 1997 for each of the unpatented mining claims further described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof by this reference. Said fee was paid in lieu of the annual assessment work requirements and was paid for the claims described herein which are owned by Mt. Hope for the valuable minerals contained therein, and it is the intent of Mt. Hope to continue to hold and develop these claims.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed as of the \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 1996.

MT HOPE MINES, INC.

by: *Stephen D. Driemer*  
Pres.

State of Hawaii )  
) ss )  
County of Maui )

On this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1996 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, Stephen Driemer, known to me (his identity having been proved to me by satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and who acknowledged that he executed it for the purposes expressed therein.

*Charles F. Furtan*  
Notary Public in and for the State  
of Hawaii.  
My commission expires  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  
AUGUST 23, 1998

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Attached to and made a part of that certain Affidavit of Payment of Claim Maintenance Fees and Notice of Intent to Hold Unpatented Claims for the Year Ending September 1, 1996, for the following unpatented lode mining claims:

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CLAIM NAME	BOOK	PAGE	BLM NO.
Bowser #1	8	457	97479
1st Amd	74	104	
2nd Amd	100	488	
Bowser #2	8	458	97480
1st Amd	74	105	
2nd Amd	100	489	
Bowser #3	8	459	97481
1st Amd	74	106	
2nd Amd	100	490	
Bowser #4	9	428	97482
1st Amd	74	107	
2nd Amd	100	491	
Bowser #8	23	109	97483
1st Amd	74	108	
2nd Amd	100	492	
Bowser #9	23	110	97484
1st Amd	74	109	
2nd Amd	78	210	
3rd Amd	100	493	
Bowser #11	9	427	97485
1st Amd	74	110	
2nd Amd	100	484	
Bowser #11A	23	111	97548
1st Amd	74	171	
2nd Amd	78	211	
3rd Amd	100	495	
Bowser #12	9	428	97486
1st Amd	74	111	
2nd Amd	100	497	
Bowser #12A	23	112	97548
1st Amd	74	173	
2nd Amd	100	488	

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BLM NO.	CLAIM NAME	BOOK	PAGE
97487	Bowser #14	9	429
	1st Amd	74	112
	2nd Amd	100	500
97488	Bowser #15	9	430
	1st Amd	74	113
	2nd Amd	100	502
97494	Bowser #21	23	122
	1st Amd	74	118
	2nd Amd	100	512
97553	Bowser #21A	30	139
	1st Amd	74	178
	2nd Amd	100	513
97496	Bowser #23	23	128
	1st Amd	74	121
	2nd Amd	100	518
97557	Bowser #23A	30	140
	1st Amd	74	182
	2nd Amd	100	519
97498	Bowser #25	23	128
	1st Amd	74	123
	2nd Amd	100	521
97558	Bowser #25A	30	141
	1st Amd	74	183
	2nd Amd	100	522
97500	Bowser #27	23	130
	1st Amd	74	125
	2nd Amd	100	524
97559	Bowser #27A	30	142
	1st Amd	74	184
	2nd Amd	100	525
97502	Bowser #29	23	132
	1st Amd	74	127
	2nd Amd	100	527
97560	Bowser #27A	30	143
	1st Amd	74	185
	2nd Amd	100	528

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Bowser #31	23	134	87504
1st Amd	74	129	
2nd Amd	100	530	
Bowser #31A	29	293	87561
1st Amd	74	186	
2nd Amd	78	214	
3rd Amd	100	531	
Bowser #33	23	138	87508
1st Amd	74	131	
2nd Amd	78	215	
3rd Amd	100	533	
Bowser #33A	29	284	87562
1st Amd	74	187	
2nd Amd	78	216	
3rd Amd	100	534	
Bowser #35	23	138	87508
1st Amd	74	133	
2nd Amd	78	218	
3rd Amd	100	536	
Bowser #35A	29	285	87563
1st Amd	74	188	
2nd Amd	78	219	
3rd Amd	100	537	
Bowser #37	23	140	87510
1st Amd	74	135	
2nd Amd	78	221	
3rd Amd	100	539	
Bowser #37A	29	298	87564
1st Amd	74	189	
2nd Amd	78	222	
3rd Amd	100	540	
Bowser #61	24	20	87530
1st Amd	74	155	
2nd Amd	100	560	
Bowser #62	24	21	87531
1st Amd	74	158	
2nd Amd	100	581	

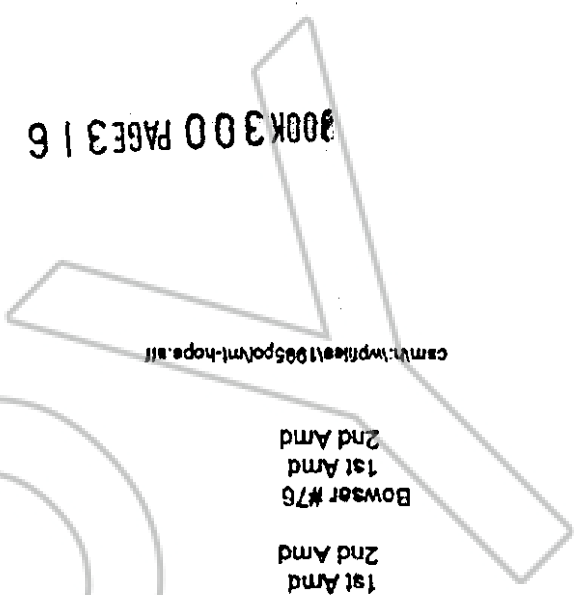
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97532	Bowser #63	24	22
	1st Amd	74	157
	2nd Amd	100	562
97533	Bowser #64	24	23
	1st Amd	74	158
	2nd Amd	100	563
97534	Bowser #65	24	24
	1st Amd	74	159
	2nd Amd	100	564
97535	Bowser #66	24	25
	1st Amd	74	160
	2nd Amd	100	565
97536	Bowser #67	24	26
	1st Amd	74	161
	2nd Amd	100	566
97537	Bowser #68	24	27
	1st Amd	74	162
	2nd Amd	100	567
97538	Bowser #69	24	28
	1st Amd	74	163
	2nd Amd	100	568
97539	Bowser #70	24	29
	1st Amd	74	164
	2nd Amd	100	569
97542	Bowser #73	24	32
	1st Amd	74	167
	2nd Amd	100	572
97543	Bowser #74	24	33
	1st Amd	74	168
	2nd Amd	100	573
97544	Bowser #75	24	34
	1st Amd	74	169
	2nd Amd	100	574
97545	Bowser #76	24	35
	1st Amd	74	170
	2nd Amd	100	575



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97585	Bowler Fraction	8	456
	1st Amd	74	180
	2nd Amd	100	487
97568	Bowler Fraction 14	23	113
	1st Amd	74	191
	2nd Amd	78	212
	3rd Amd	100	501
97567	Bowler Fraction 15	23	114
	1st Amd	74	192
	2nd Amd	100	503
97571	Hope #1	36	588
	1st Amd	74	186
	2nd Amd	100	578
97573	Hope #3	36	588
	1st Amd	74	198
	2nd Amd	100	578
97575	Hope #5	36	570
	1st Amd	74	200
	2nd Amd	100	580
97577	Hope #7	36	572
	1st Amd	74	202
	2nd Amd	100	582
97579	Hope #9	36	574
	1st Amd	74	204
	2nd Amd	100	584
97581	Hope #11	36	578
	1st Amd	74	208
	2nd Amd	100	586
97583	Hope #13	36	578
	1st Amd	74	208
	2nd Amd	100	588
97585	Hope #15	36	580
	1st Amd	74	210
	2nd Amd	100	590
97587	Hope #17	36	582
	1st Amd	74	212
	2nd Amd	100	592

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97588	36	584	Hope #19
	74	214	1st Amd
	100	594	2nd Amd
97591	36	586	Hope #21
	74	216	1st Amd
	100	596	2nd Amd
97593	36	588	Hope #23
	74	218	1st Amd
	100	598	2nd Amd
97595	36	590	Hope #25
	74	220	1st Amd
	100	600	2nd Amd
97597	36	592	Hope #27
	74	222	1st Amd
	101	2	2nd Amd
97599	36	594	Hope #29
	74	224	1st Amd
	101	4	2nd Amd
97601	36	596	Hope #31
	74	226	1st Amd
	101	6	2nd Amd
97603	36	598	Hope #33
	74	228	1st Amd
	101	8	2nd Amd
97805	36	600	Hope #35
	74	230	1st Amd
	78	242	2nd Amd
	101	10	3rd Amd
97607	37	2	Hope #37
	74	232	1st Amd
	101	12	2nd Amd
97609	37	4	Hope #39
	74	234	1st Amd
	101	14	2nd Amd

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Hope #78

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Hope #79

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Hope #80

1st Amd

Hope #81

1st Amd

Hope #82

1st Amd

Hope #83

1st Amd

Hope #84

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Hope #85

1st Amd

Hope #88

1st Amd

Hope #3R

Hope #4R

West Incline #1

1st Amd

2nd Amd

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BLM NO.	CLAIM NAME	BOOK	PAGE
97569	West Incline #2	29	237
	1st Amd	74	194
	2nd Amd	101	88
97570	West Incline #3	29	238
	1st Amd	74	195
	2nd Amd	101	89
97660	Tia	22	380
	1st Amd	72	86-87
	2nd Amd	101	185
97661	Tia #1	22	381
	1st Amd	72	88-89
	2nd Amd	101	167
97662	Tia #2	22	382
	1st Amd	72	90-91
	2nd Amd	101	189
87663	Tia #3	22	383
	1st Amd	72	82-93
	2nd Amd	101	171
87664	Tia #4	23	161
	1st Amd	72	84-95
	2nd Amd	101	173
97665	Tia #5	23	162
	1st Amd	72	86-97
	2nd Amd	101	175
87666	Tia #6	23	801
	1st Amd	72	88-89
	2nd Amd	101	177
87667	Tia #7	23	602
	1st Amd	72	100-101
	2nd Amd	101	179
97668	Tia #8	23	603
	1st Amd	72	102-103
	2nd Amd	101	181
87669	Tia #9	23	604
	1st Amd	72	104-105
	2nd Amd	101	183

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CLAIM NAME	BOOK	PAGE	BLM NO.
Tia #10	36	518	97670
1st Amd	72	106-107	
2nd Amd	101	185	
Tia #11	36	519	97671
1st Amd	72	108-109	
2nd Amd	101	187	
Tia #12	36	520	87672
1st Amd	72	110-111	
2nd Amd	78	72	
3rd Amd	101	189	
Tia #13	36	521	87673
1st Amd	72	112-113	
2nd Amd	78	73	
3rd Amd	101	181	
Lookout #1	64	527	23201
1st Amd	101	64	
Lookout #2	64	528	23202
1st Amd	101	65	
Lookout #3	64	529	23203
1st Amd	101	66	

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