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Atlas Corporation
370 Seventeenth St., Suite 3050
Denver, CO 80202

**AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE FEE
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND/OR MILL SITES**

STATE OF COLORADO)
)
COUNTY OF DENVER)

The undersigned Affiant, being first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, states as follows:

1. Affiant is the agent of Atlas Corporation ("Atlas"), whose address is 370 Seventeenth Street, Suite 3050, Denver, CO 80202, who owns, leases or otherwise controls the unpatented mining claims more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto ("the Claims").

2. The Owner of the Claims and the Owner's address is:

Atlas Gold Mining Inc.
370 Seventeenth St., Suite 3050
Denver, CO 80202

3. Atlas hereby certifies that, on its own behalf or on behalf of the Owner, it timely paid the required Federal claim maintenance fees to maintain the Claims in good standing for the assessment year ending September 1, 1996.

4. Pursuant to and in compliance with Federal mining laws and regulations, Atlas has paid to the appropriate state office of the United States Bureau of Land Management on or before August 31, 1996, a maintenance fee in the amount of \$100.00 for each of the Claims, and Atlas (or Atlas on behalf of the Owner) intends to hold the Claims in good standing through the assessment year ending September 1, 1997.

5. There are 95 Claims listed on Exhibit A.

Affiant executes this Affidavit on the 18th day of July, 1996.

Gregg B. Shafter
As Agent on behalf of Atlas Corporation and Owner

Signed and sworn to before me on July 18, 1996, by Gregg B. Shafter as Agent for Atlas Corporation and Owner.

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HOLLY D. NEEL
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF COLORADO

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The following unpatented lode mining claims situated in Sec. 2 - 4, 9 - 10, T 22 N - R 50 E, and Sec. 33 & 34, T 23 N - R 50 E, MDM, in Eureka County, Nevada:

EXHIBIT A

EUREKA COUNTY
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BLM	NMC#	CLAIM NAME
160	375663	WI 47, as amended
420	423631	WI 47A
460	375664	WI 48, as amended
421	375665	WI 49, as amended
422	375666	WI 50, as amended
424	375667	WI 51, as amended
578	375668	WI 52, as amended
426	375669	WI 53, as amended
427	375670	WI 54, as amended
428	375671	WI 55, as amended
429	375672	WI 56, as amended
430	375673	WI 57, as amended
431	375674	WI 58, as amended
432	375675	WI 59, as amended
433	375676	WI 60, as amended
131	375677	WI 61, as amended
132	423632	WI 61A, as amended
133	375678	WI 62, as amended
134	423633	WI 62A, as amended
135	375679	WI 63, as amended
136	375680	WI 64, as amended
137	375681	WI 65, as amended
138	375682	WI 66, as amended
139	375683	WI 67, as amended
140	375684	WI 68, as amended
141	375685	WI 69, as amended
142	423634	WI 69A, as amended
143	375686	WI 70, as amended
144	423635	WI 70A, as amended
145	375687	WI 71, as amended
146	423636	WI 71A, as amended
147	375688	WI 72, as amended
148	423637	WI 72A, as amended
149	375689	WI 73, as amended
150	375690	WI 74, as amended
579	423638	WI 74A, as amended
434	375705	WI 89, as amended
435	375706	WI 90, as amended
468	423639	WI 90A
436	375707	WI 91, as amended

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	375708	160	437	WI 92, as amended
	375709	160	438	WI 93, as amended
	375710	160	439	WI 94, as amended
	375711	160	440	WI 95, as amended
	375712	160	441	WI 96, as amended
	375713	205	580	WI 97, as amended
	375714	160	443	WI 98, as amended
	375715	205	581	WI 99, as amended
	375716	160	445	WI 100, as amended
	375717	160	446	WI 101, as amended
	423640	160	469	WI 101A
	375718	160	447	WI 102, as amended
	423641	169	152	WI 102A, as amended
	375720	169	153	WI 104, as amended
	375721	205	570	WI 105, as amended
	375722	205	582	WI 106, as amended
	375723	205	571	WI 107, as amended
	375724	205	583	WI 108, as amended
	375725	205	584	WI 109, as amended
	606462	214	296	WI 109A
	375726	205	0	WI 110, as amended
	375727	176	484	WI 111, as amended
	375728	169	157	WI 112, as amended
	444541	176	478	WI 112A, as amended
	375729	176	485	WI 113, as amended
	375730	169	158	WI 114, as amended
	444542	176	479	WI 114A, as amended
	375731	176	486	WI 115, as amended
	375732	169	159	WI 116, as amended
	375733	176	487	WI 117, as amended
	451903	176	480	WI 117A, as amended
	375734	205	572	WI 118, as amended
	375735	205	586	WI 119, as amended
	375737	205	573	WI 121, as amended
	375739	205	574	WI 123, as amended
	375773	176	489	WI 157, as amended
	375774	176	490	WI 158, as amended
	375775	176	491	WI 159, as amended
	375776	176	492	WI 160, as amended
	451904	176	481	WI 160A, as amended

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519	222	519	375777	WI 161, as amended	
515	223	515	626946	WI 161A	
494	176	494	375778	WI 162, as amended	
520	222	520	375779	WI 163, as amended	
496	176	496	375780	WI 164, as amended	
482	176	482	451905	WI 164A, as amended	
521	222	521	375781	WI 165, as amended	
556	223	556	628547	WI 165A, as amended	
498	176	498	375782	WI 166, as amended	
587	205	587	375783	WI 167, as amended	
500	176	500	375784	WI 168, as amended	
588	205	588	375785	WI 169, as amended	
589	205	589	375786	WI 170, as amended	
575	205	575	375787	WI 171, as amended	
576	205	576	375788	WI 172, as amended	