RETURN TO: Brancote U.S. Inc. 127 Cheney Street Reno, NV 89501

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AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD MINING CLAIM(S) ASSESSMENT YEAR ENDING 1997

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Claim Name And BLM Serial Number

MS0 BLM

38, 40 DD 42-46, 49-53 47, 48, 177, 178 180-185, 179

NMC 608567, 608569 NMC 608571 - 608575, 608578 - 608582 NMC 731664, 731665, 731666, 731667 NMC 731668 - 731673, 735313

Owned & otherwise held & claimed by: BRANCOTE U.S. INC., 127 CHENEY ST., RENO, NV 89501

The undersigned certifies that the owner or claimant intended or intends to hold the mining claim(s), mill site(s), and/or tunnel site(s) listed above for the Assessment year ending at 11:59 AM on September 1, 1997. The claim(s) are located in Sections(s) 9,10,16,18,20, T28N, R48E, in Eureka County, Nevada.

Dated: August 26, 1996

BY:

John Prochnau, President Brancote U.S. Inc. Brancote U.S.

STATE OF NEVADA)

SS

COUNTY OF WASHOE)

On August 26, 1996, personally appeared before me John Prochnau, signer of the above instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

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CYNTHIA BELL Notary Public - State of Nevada Appointment Recorded in Washoe County

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