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WHEN RECORDED PLEASE RETURN TO
C. S. MINCHEY - KENNECOTT
224 NORTH 2200 WEST
SALT LAKE CITY UT 84116

**NEVADA AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF CLAIM MAINTENANCE FEES
AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS
FOR SEPTEMBER 1, 1997 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1998**

THE UNDERSIGNED, on behalf of Kennecott Exploration Company ("KEC"), 224 North 2200 West, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is a citizen of the United States and more than eighteen years of age, and 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 KEC for the assessment year ending at 12:00 noon on September 1, 1998, for each of the unpatented mining claims further described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof by this reference. Said fees were paid in lieu of the annual assessment work requirements and were paid for the claims described herein which are owned, leased, worked, controlled, or claimed by KEC for the valuable mineral contained therein, and it is the intent of KEC to hold and develop these claims for itself or for the benefit of the owner or owners of the unpatented mining claims if different from KEC.

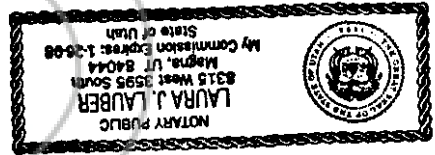
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed as of the 18th day of August 1997.

KENNECOTT EXPLORATION COMPANY

By *C. S. Minchey*
C. S. Minchey, Land Assistant

STATE OF UTAH
COUNTY OF SALT LAKE

On this day, personally appeared before me C. S. Minchey, known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that she signed the same as her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Given under my hand and official seal this 18th day of August 1997



Laura J. Lauber
Notary Public in and for the State of Utah
My Commission Expires January 26, 1998

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EXHIBIT A

Attached to and made a part of that certain Nevada Affidavit of Payment of Claim Maintenance Fees and Notice of Intent to Hold Unpatented Mining Claims for September 1, 1997 through August 31, 1998, for the following group of 100 unpatented lode mining claims situated in Sections 1-3, Township 18 North, Range 49 East, Sections 35-36, Township 19 North, Range 49 East, and Section 31, Township 19 North, Range 50 East, MDB&M, Eureka County, State of Nevada, further described as :

**CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION RECORDED IN
EUREKA COUNTY, STATE OF NEVADA AT:**

<u>BLM SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>BOOK</u>	<u>PAGE</u>	<u>NAME OF CLAIM</u>
741408	297	386	MT-1
741409	297	387	MT-2
741410	297	388	MT-3
741411	297	389	MT-4
741412	297	390	MT-5
741413	297	391	MT-6
741414	297	392	MT-7
741415	297	393	MT-8
741416	297	394	MT-9
741417	297	395	MT-10
741418	297	396	MT-11
741419	297	397	MT-12
741420	297	398	MT-13
741421	297	399	MT-14
741422	297	400	MT-15
741423	297	401	MT-16
741424	297	402	MT-17
741425	297	403	MT-18
741426	297	404	MT-19
741427	297	405	MT-20
741428	297	406	MT-21
741429	297	407	MT-22
741430	297	408	MT-23

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BLM SERIAL NO.	BOOK	PAGE	NAME OF CLAIM
741431	297	409	MT-24
741432	297	410	MT-25
741433	297	411	MT-26
741434	297	412	MT-27
741435	297	413	MT-28
741436	297	414	MT-29
741437	297	415	MT-30
741438	297	416	MT-31
741439	297	417	MT-32
741440	297	418	MT-33
741441	297	419	MT-34
741442	297	420	MT-35
741443	297	421	MT-36
741444	297	422	MT-37
741445	297	423	MT-38
741446	297	424	MT-39
741447	297	425	MT-40
741448	297	426	MT-41
741449	297	427	MT-42
741450	297	428	MT-43
741451	297	429	MT-44
741452	297	430	MT-45
741453	297	431	MT-46
741454	297	432	MT-47
741455	297	433	MT-48
741456	297	434	MT-49
741457	297	435	MT-50
741458	297	436	MT-51
741459	297	437	MT-52

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BLM SERIAL NO.	BOOK	PAGE	NAME OF CLAIM
741460	297	438	MT-53
741461	297	439	MT-54
741462	297	440	MT-55
741463	297	441	MT-56
741464	297	442	MT-57
741465	297	443	MT-58
741466	297	444	MT-59
741467	297	445	MT-60
741468	297	446	MT-61
741469	297	447	MT-62
741470	297	448	MT-63
741471	297	449	MT-64
741472	297	450	MT-65
741473	297	451	MT-66
741474	297	452	MT-67
741475	297	453	MT-68
741476	297	454	MT-69
741477	297	455	MT-70
741478	297	456	MT-71
741479	297	457	MT-72
741480	297	458	MT-73
741481	297	459	MT-74
741482	297	460	MT-75
741483	297	461	MT-76
741484	297	462	MT-77
741485	297	463	MT-78
741486	297	464	MT-79
741487	297	465	MT-80
758452	304	437	MT-81

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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION RECORDED IN
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BLM SERIAL NO.	BOOK	PAGE	NAME OF CLAIM
758453	304	438	MT-82
758454	304	439	MT-83
758455	304	440	MT-84
758456	304	441	MT-85
758457	304	442	MT-86
758458	304	443	MT-87
758459	304	444	MT-88
758460	304	445	MT-89
758461	304	446	MT-90
758462	304	447	MT-91
758463	304	448	MT-92
758464	304	449	MT-93
758465	304	450	MT-94
758466	304	451	MT-95
758467	304	452	MT-96
758468	304	453	MT-97
758469	304	454	MT-98
758470	304	455	MT-99
758471	304	456	MT-100

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 M.H. REBALZATI, RECORDER
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