

WHEN RECORDED RETURN TO:

Romarco Nevada, Inc.  
5450 Riggins Court, Suite 2  
Reno, Nevada 89502

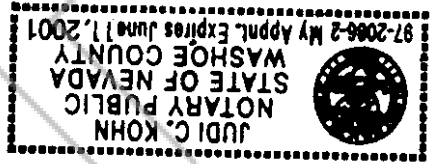
**AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS  
AND/OR MILLSTITES AND NOTICE OF MAINTENANCE FEE PAYMENT IN LIEU  
OF ASSESSMENT WORK**

The undersigned, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. That I am personally acquainted with the 102 unpatented claims known as the RH claims described in the attached Exhibit "A".
2. That the mining claims are located in the sections, townships, and ranges M.D.B.&M., Eureka County, State of Nevada, being more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein, and that the book and page numbers wherein the original location certificates or latest amendment or relocation certificates for each claim is recorded as they appear.
3. That the \$100.00 per claim maintenance fee required by the Act of August 10, 1993 (Public Law 103-66, 107 Stat. 312) for the assessment year ending September 1, 1998 has been paid to hold the mining claims or mill sites and it is the intent that the claims be held. A copy of the receipt evidencing such payment is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "B".
4. That, as provided by the Act of August 10, 1993 which temporarily suspends and supercedes the requirements to perform assessment work, the maintenance fee was paid in lieu of the requirements for performing assessment work and for filing an annual affidavit of labor or Notice Of Intent to Hold with the proper State Office of the Bureau of Land Management under Section 314 of FLPMA Title 43 CFR S. 3700 and 3800.
5. That such payments constitute the annual work or improvements required by the laws of the United States in order to prevent the forfeiture of claims as required by NRS. 517.230.
6. That the maintenance fees were paid by Romarco Nevada, Inc. as the owners of the claims.
7. That the address for Romarco Nevada, Inc. is 5450 Riggins Court, Suite 2, Reno, Nevada 89502.

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*3252 Plumas St # 320 Reno, NV 89529 6/11/2001*



SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to by Edward L. Devenyns, Agent for Romarco Nevada, Inc. before me this 15th day of September, 1997.

STATE OF NEVADA )  
County of Washoe ) ss. )

By: *[Signature]*  
Edward L. Devenyns  
Agent

ROMARCO NEVADA, INC.

8. That I, acting as authorized agent for Romarco Nevada, Inc. have read the foregoing report and the contents thereof are true according to my knowledge and belief, and I have made this affidavit this 15th day of September, 1997.

EXHIBIT A

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTIES

UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS: Those certain unpatented lode mining claims located in Township 25 North, Range 50 East, MDB&M, Sections 4,5,6,7,8,9,16,17,18 Eureka County, Nevada.

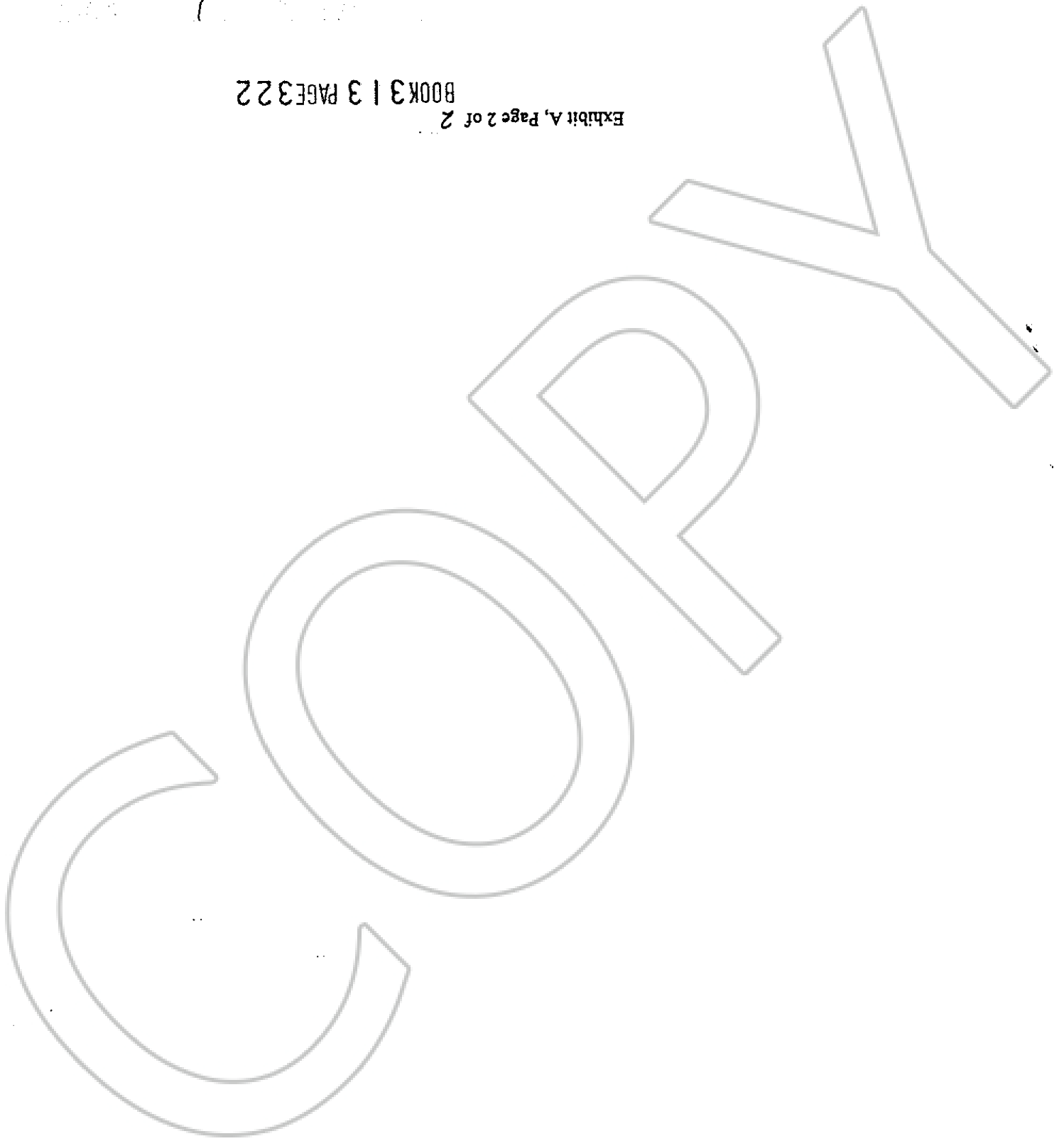
CLAIM NAME COUNTY RECORDING BOOK PAGE BLM SERIAL NO.

RH - 1-81	309	295-375	773444-773524
RH - 83	309	376	773525
RH - 86	309	377	773526
RH - 88	309	378	773527
RH - 90	309	379	773528
RH - 92	309	380	773529
RH - 94	309	381	773530
RH - 96	309	382	773531
RH - 98	309	383	773532
RH - 100	309	384	773533
RH - 102	309	385	773534
RH - 104	309	386	773535
RH - 106	309	387	773536
RH - 108	309	388	773537
RH - 110	309	389	773538
RH - 112	309	390	773539
RH - 114	309	391	773540
RH - 116	309	392	773541

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773545	396	309	RH - 124
773544	395	309	RH - 122
773543	394	309	RH - 120
773542	393	309	RH - 118

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

RECEIPT AND ACCOUNTING ADVICE

NO. 2316104  
DD/NV 08/18/97

Subject: 1998 MAINT FEES  
RH 1-81 ETAL

Applicant: ROMARCO NEVADA INC  
5450 RIGGINS COURT #2  
RENO NV 89502

Remitter:

Assignor:

SERIAL NO.  
NMC 773444 ETAL

REFER TO THE ABOVE CASE SERIAL NUMBER IN ALL CORRESPONDENCE. PLEASE INFORM THIS OFFICE OF CHANGE IN ADDRESS.

NOTE: This notice is a receipt for monies paid the United States. If these monies are for required fees in connection with application to lease, purchase, enter, or otherwise acquire an interest in public lands or resources, this receipt is not an authorization to utilize the land applied for and it does not convey any right, title, or interest in the land for which application is made.

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OFFICIAL RECORDS  
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*Romulo Nevada, Inc*  
97 SEP 18 AM 10:46  
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M.M. REBELEATI, RECORDER  
FILE NO.  
FEES 357.00

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EXHIBIT B

RECEIPT

BOOKS