

After Recording Return To:
Barrick Gold Exploration Inc.
Land Department
293 Spruce Road
Elko, NV 89801

170615

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**AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD
MINING CLAIM(S) AND SITE(S)**

STATE OF NEVADA
} COUNTY OF ELKO
} SS.

In compliance with Nevada Revised Statute § 517.230, the undersigned certifies that the owner or claimant intends to hold the mining claim(s) and/or mill site(s) situated in Eureka County, Nevada listed on the attached Exhibit "A" from 12:00 p.m. on September 1 of the year before this affidavit was made and recorded, until 11:59 a.m. on September 1 of the year that this affidavit was made and recorded.

Name and address
of owner or claimant:

Simone Paulette Goyeneche
Jose Mari Cortea
2004 Ellis Way
Elko, Nevada 89801

Dated this 10th day of July, 1998.

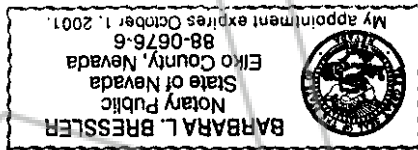
By:

Gordon R. Peake
Gordon R. Peake
Landman & Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
10th day of July, 1998.

RECORDERS STAMP or BLM STAMP

NOTARY PUBLIC



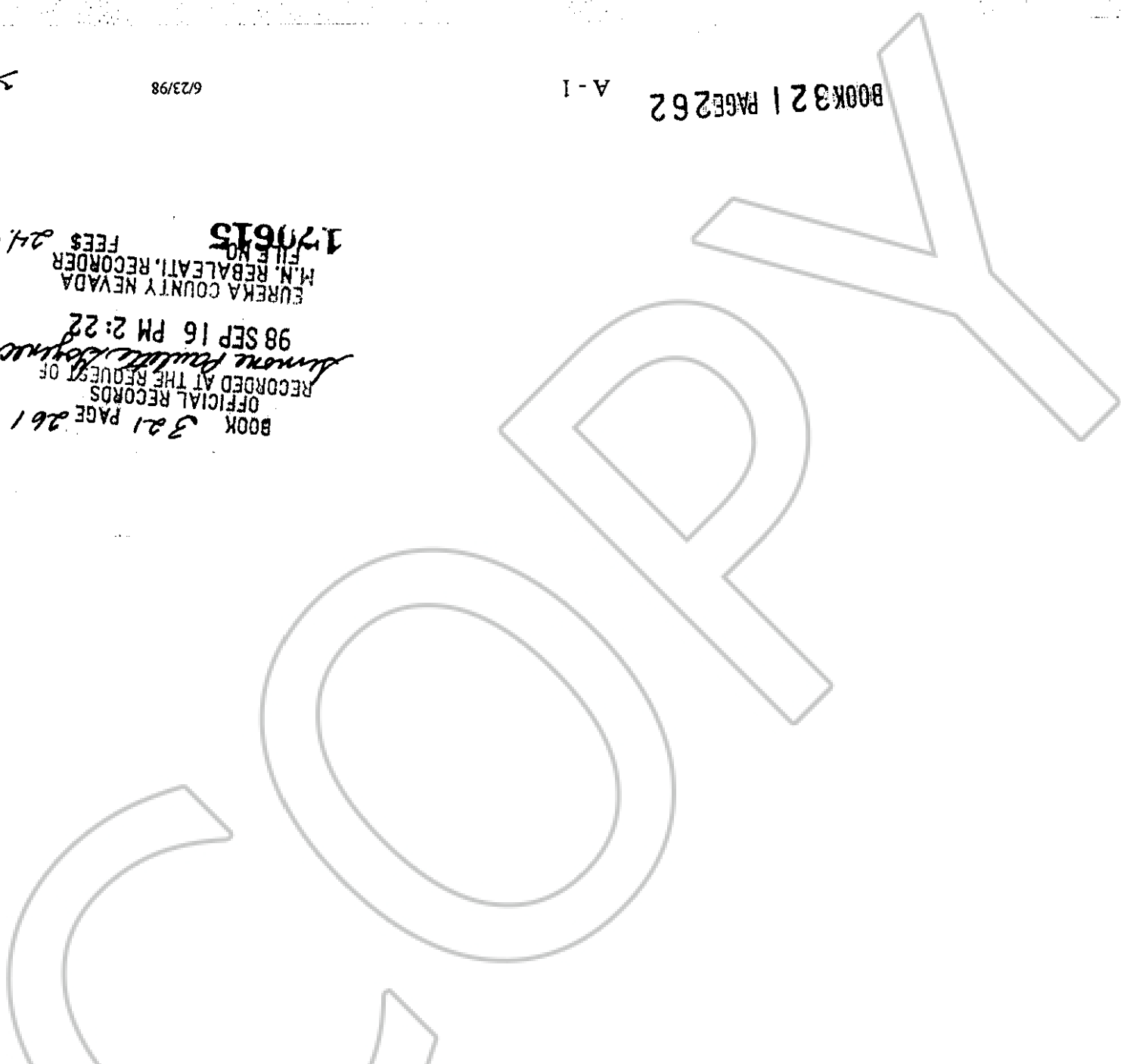
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EXHIBIT A

The following unpatented lode mining claims situated in Section 25, T 23 N - R 49 E, MDM, in Eureka County, Nevada: RCY'D NSO BLM

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| CLAIM NAME | NMC# | BLM | BOOK | PAGE |
|------------|-------|-----|------|------|
| Elizondo 1 | 22480 | 64 | 64 | 189 |
| Elizondo 2 | 22481 | 64 | 64 | 190 |
| Elizondo 3 | 22482 | 64 | 64 | 191 |
| Elizondo 4 | 26113 | 65 | 65 | 69 |
| Elizondo 5 | 26114 | 65 | 65 | 70 |
| Elizondo 6 | 26115 | 65 | 65 | 71 |
| Elizondo 7 | 26116 | 65 | 65 | 72 |



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 OFFICIAL RECORDS
 RECORDED AT THE REQUEST OF
Sharon Pauline Boyneck
 98 SEP 16 PM 2:22
 EUREKA COUNTY NEVADA
 M.N. REBAL EATL. RECORDER
 FILE NO. 170615
 FEES 24.50