## CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION LODE MINING CLAIM

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## TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Undersigned hereby certifies that he, on behalf of NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, has caused to be located the XTC 19 Lode Mining Claim in the following quarter section(s):

1/4SectionTownshipRangeMeridianSW1027 North48 EastMDM

in an Unknown Mining District, Eureka County, Nevada, on the 22nd day of May, 1999

The name and mailing address of the locator is:

NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY 555 FIFTH STREET ELKO, NV 89801

The claim is approximately <u>1500</u> feet long and <u>600</u> feet wide, such that <u>20</u> feet are claimed in a <u>easterly</u> direction and <u>1480</u> feet in a <u>westerly</u> direction from the point of discovery (monument of location), at which the Notice of Location was posted, together with <u>300</u> feet on each side of the monument of location and center line of the Claim. The general course of the lode or vein is from the <u>easterly</u> to the <u>westerly</u> direction.

The number, location and markings on each corner monument is as follows:

Location	<u>Markings</u>	<u>Description</u>
No. 1: Northeast Corner	NE Cor. XTC 19	2" X 2" X 4' wood post
No. 2: Southeast Corner	SE Cor. XTC 19	2" X 2" X 4' wood post
No. 3: Southwest Corner	SW Cor. XTC 19	2" X 2" X 4' wood post
No. 4: Northwest Corner	NW Cor. XTC 19	2" X 2" X 4' wood post

As erected on the ground, each corner monument is marked as described above by a scribed metal tag.

The work of location consisted of making a claim map as provided in N.R.S. 517.040 which map is recorded herewith.

SIGNATURE OF LOCATOR: NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY

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BY:

Scott R. Holmes, Agent for NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY BOOK 328 PAGE 117 OFFICIAL RECORDS RECORDED AT THE RECUEST OF NEW MONT 5610 99 AUG -3 PM 1:25

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