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October 11, 1999

Eureka County Recorder
10204 Main Street
P.O. Box 556
Eureka, NV 89316

By: Certified Mail/Return Receipt Requested
Re: Notice of Intent to hold mining claims

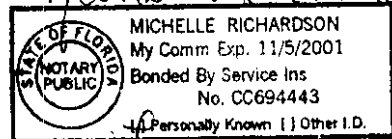
To whom it may concern:

Per requirements of the 1985 mining claim law for the State of Nevada and in accordance with 1993 changes to that law, please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$2,821.50 for filing fees mining claim recordation in Eureka County for the 1999-2000 filing year. The list of claims with NMC numbers, respective mining district and owner/operator are also enclosed.

Please note that the Company was previously known as Merlin Mining Company. Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions regarding these filings, please call the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Martin Sportschuetz
President & CEO



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