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AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

State of Nevada)
) ss.
County of Elko)

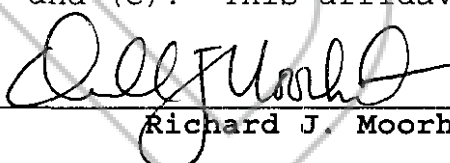
Richard J. Moorhead, first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am the Manager of Lands, U.S., of NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY, a Delaware corporation ("Newmont"), and am personally acquainted with the matters described herein.

Newmont, whose address is 555 Fifth Street, Elko, Nevada, 89801, owns the unpatented mining claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Claims").

It is the intention of Newmont to maintain and develop the Claims as is provided for by law, and to hold the same to and through 11:59 a.m., September 1, 1999.

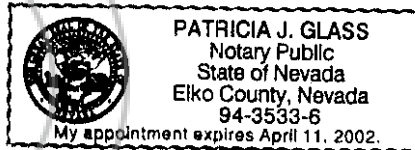
Newmont has paid a maintenance fee of \$100 and met the federal fee requirements for each of the Claims for the assessment year ending September 1, 1999, as required by Public Law 103-66, 107 Stat. 312 and 43 C.F.R. Part 3830 (and, to the extent applicable to any of the Claims, the Act of August 11, 1955, 69 Stat. 681 and 43 C.F.R. Part 3730, and the Act of April 8, 1948, 62 Stat. 162 and 43 C.F.R. Subpart 3821), in lieu of the suspended assessment work and filing requirements of 30 U.S.C. § 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. § 1744(a) and (c). This affidavit is made pursuant to N.R.S. § 517.230.


Richard J. Moorhead

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 14 day of October, 1999, by Richard J. Moorhead.


Notary Public

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Company Name : NEWMONT GOLD COMPANY
State : NEVADA

Project : POST
Block Name : BVC 213-215

BIM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Meridian
NMC 721089	BVC 213	EUREKA	287	205	34N	48E	03	SW	MDM
NMC 721090	BVC 214	EUREKA	287	206	34N	48E	09	NE	MDM
NMC 721091	BVC 215	EUREKA	287	207	34N	48E	04	SE	MDM
							10	NW	MDM
							03	SW	MDM
							10	NW	MDM
							03	SW	MDM
							10	NW	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block : 3

Count of Claims by County

EUREKA 3

Total County Count

EUREKA 3

Total Claim count for this Exhibit : 3

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OFFICIAL RECORDS
RECORDED AT THE REQUEST OF
Newmont Gold Company
99 OCT 22 PM 1:47

EUREKA COUNTY NEVADA
M.N. REBALEATI, RECORDER
FILE NO. FEES.

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