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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION

State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 1 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 21st day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 1480 feet in a North direction and 20 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NE +SE Quarters of Section 33, T. 19 N R. 53 E,
NW +SW Quarters of Section 34, T. 19 N R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

WABASH 6 on the North; PMJV 3 on the East;
PMJV 2 on the South; and SSV 56R on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 1"
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 1"
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 1"
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 1".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

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)ss.
COUNTY OF Washoe)

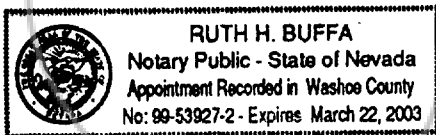
On this 18 day of July, 2000, before me, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared before me Robert L. Petray, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

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Ruth H. Buffa
Notary Public
Residing At: Reno, Nevada
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The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 20 feet in a North direction and 1480 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SE Quarter of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
SW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
NE Quarter of Section 4, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

PMJV 1 on the North; PMJV 4 on the East;
SSV 200 on the South; and SSV 57R on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 2"
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 2"
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 2"
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 2"

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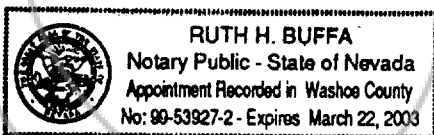
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The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 3 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 21st day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 750 feet in a North direction and 750 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,

SW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,

Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

WABASH 6 on the North; YOUNG MABLE and MARIE on the East;

PMJV 4 on the South; and PMJV 1 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 3".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 3".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 3".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 3".

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STATE OF Nevada)

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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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174997

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The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 400 feet in a North direction and 100 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,

Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

PMJV 3 on the North; AUGUST 1 on the East;
SSV 198 on the South; and PMJV 2 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 4"

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 4"

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 4"

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 4"

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 5 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 8th day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 250 feet in a North direction and 1250 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NE+NW Quarters of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

GEI 82 on the North; HILSIDE 3+4 on the East;
VARIOUS PATENTS on the South; and HILLSIDE on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 5".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 5".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 5".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 5".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 750 feet in a North direction and 750 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

AUGUST 1 on the North; LANTERN on the East;
SAGE BRUSH on the South; and SSV 198 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 6".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 6".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 6".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 6".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 7 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 19th day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 300 feet in a North direction and 700 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SE Quarter of Section 28, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NE Quarter of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

SSV 23 on the North; PMJV 8 on the East;
WABASH 2+3 on the South; and SSV 40 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 7".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 7".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 7".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 7".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 8 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 18th day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 20 feet in a North direction and 1480 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SW Quarter of Section 27, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
SE Quarter of Section 28, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NE Quarter of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,

Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

SRH 17 on the North; PMJV 9 on the East;
PMJV 10 on the South; and PMJV 7 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 8".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 8".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 8".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 8".

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By Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Ruth H. Buffa

Notary Public

Residing At: Reno, Nevada

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RUTH H. BUFFA
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The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 9 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 18th day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 20 feet in a North direction and 1480 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SW Quarter of Section 27, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

SRH 19 on the North; VINNIE 5 on the East;
HILLSIDE 6 on the South; and PMJV 8 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 9".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 9".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 9".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 9".

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The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 10 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 20th day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 500 feet in a North direction and 1000 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NE Quarter of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

PMJV 8+9 on the North; HILLSIDE 6 on the East;
WABASH 1 on the South; and WABASH 2 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 10".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 10".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 10".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 10".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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Robert L. Petray, Agent

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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 11 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 23rd day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 1480 feet in a North direction and 20 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 75 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
NE Quarter of Section 4, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

PMJV 2 on the North; SSV 200 on the East;
PMJV 12 on the South; and SSV 74 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 11".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 11".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 11".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 11".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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Robert L. Petray, Agent

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COUNTY OF Washoe)

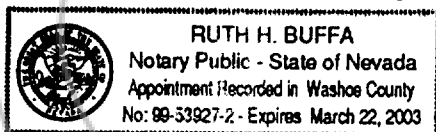
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State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 12 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 23rd day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 20 feet in a North direction and 1480 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 75 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NW+SW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,

NE+SE Quarter of Section 4, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,

Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

PMJV 11 on the North; SSV 201 on the East;

SSV 108 on the South; and SSV 75 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 12".

Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 12".

Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 12".

Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 12".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

STATE OF Nevada)
)ss.

COUNTY OF Washoe)

On this 18 day of July, 2000, before me, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared before me Robert L. Petray, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

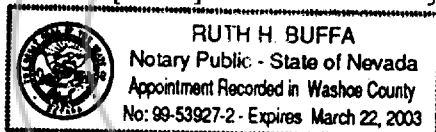
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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

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The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 225 feet in a North direction and 375 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 150 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:
SW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:
AUGUST 9 on the North; PMJV 14 on the East;
SSV 104 on the South; and SSV 199 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 13".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 13".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 13".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 13".

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

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COUNTY OF Washoe)

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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

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The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 1480 feet in a West direction and 20 feet in a East direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is East to West.

This lode mining claim is located in the:
SW+SE Quarters of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:
Fourth of July, Compass, and Lena on the North; Gap 9 on the East;
SSV 100, 102, 104 on the South; and OPHIR 1 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 14"
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 14"
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 14"
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 14"

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

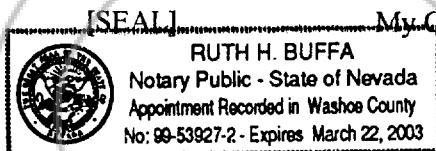
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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 15 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 13th day of July, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 1480 feet in a North direction and 20 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 100 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NE Quarter of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

WABASH 3 on the North; WABASH 8 on the East;
SSV 56R on the South; and SSV 41 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 15"
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 15"
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 15"
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 15"

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

By Robert L. Petray
Robert L. Petray, Agent

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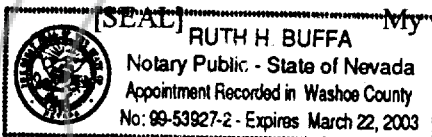
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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 16 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 14th day of July, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 400 feet in a North direction and 400 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 100 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SW Quarter of Section 34, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NW Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

GROVER CLEVELAND on the North; WHIPPOORWILL on the East;
GASLIGHT on the South; and LANTERN on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 16".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 16".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 16".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 16".

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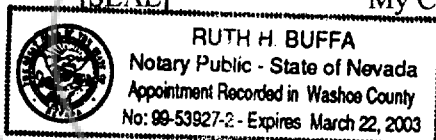
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State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the PMJV 17 lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 14th day of July, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 580 feet in a North direction and 20 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:
NE Quarter of Section 3, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:
OMEGA 2 on the North; OMEGA 2+8 on the East;
GAP 10 on the South; and OMEGA 1 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR PMJV 17"
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR PMJV 17"
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR PMJV 17"
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR PMJV 17"

HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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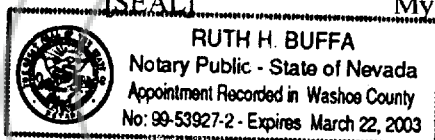
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State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the SSV 56R lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 21st day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 1480 feet in a North direction and 20 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

NE+SE Quarters of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

WABASH 8 on the North; PMJV 1 on the East;
SSV 57R on the South; and SSV 58 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR SSV 56R".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR SSV 56R".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR SSV 56R".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR SSV 56R".

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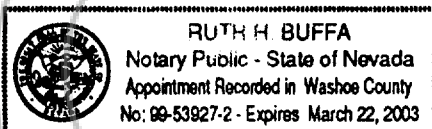
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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
State of Nevada Lode Claim

The undersigned HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, whose principal place of business is 1600 Riviera Ave. Suite 200, Walnut Creek, California 94596-3568, certifies that it has located the SSV 57R lode mining claim, more particularly described below. The date of location is the 21st day of June, 2000.

The number of linear feet claimed in length along the course of the vein, each way from the point of discovery, is 20 feet in a North direction and 1480 feet in a South direction. The width claimed on each side of the center of the vein is 300 feet. The general course of the lode or vein, as near as may be determined, is North to South.

This lode mining claim is located in the:

SE Quarters of Section 33, T. 19 N, R. 53 E,
NE Quarters of Section 4, T. 18 N, R. 53 E,
Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Eureka County, Nevada.

This claim is contiguous to and is bounded by the following claims:

SSV 56R on the North; PMJV 2 on the East;
SSV 74 on the South; and SSV 59 on the West.

The work of location consisted of making the maps provided in NRS 517.040.

Corner No. 1, the NW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NW COR SSV 57R".
Corner No. 2, the NE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "NE COR SSV 57R".
Corner No. 3, the SE Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SE COR SSV 57R".
Corner No. 4, the SW Corner, is a 1½"x1½"x4' wooden post marked "SW COR SSV 57R".

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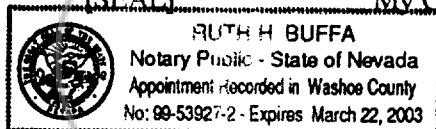
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