

AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

175265

State of Nevada)
) ss.
County of Elko)

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

I am the duly authorized agent of Newmont Mining Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("NEWMONT"), and am personally acquainted with the matters described herein.

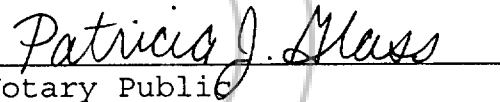
NEWMONT, whose address is 555 5th Street, Elko, Nevada 89801, owns the unpatented mining and millsite claims described in Exhibit A attached hereto as the "Claims".

It is the intention of NEWMONT to maintain and develop the Claims as is provided for by law, and to hold the same.

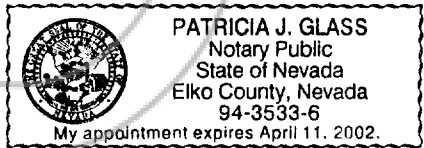
NEWMONT has paid a maintenance fee of \$100 and met the federal fee requirements for each of the Claims for the assessment years ending September 1, 2000 and September 1, 2001, as required by 30 U.S.C. section 28f to 28k and 43 C.F.R. Part 3830 (and, to the extent applicable to any of the Claims, the Act of August 11, 1955, 69 Stat. 681 and 4 C.F.R. part 3730, and the Act of April 8, 1948, 62 Stat. 162 and 4 C.F.R. Subpart 3821), in lieu of the suspended assessment work and filing requirements of 30 U.S.C. section 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. section 1744(a) and (c). This affidavit is made pursuant to N.R.S. section 517.230.


Richard J. Moorhead

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 19 day of October, 2000, at Richard J Moorhead.


Notary Public

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : TS - BLUESTAR
Block Name : PROSPECTIVE 19 ETAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 328472	PROSPECTIVE 19	EUREKA	131 526		36N	50E	20	NW	MDM
NMC 328473	PROSPECTIVE 20	EUREKA	131 527		36N	50E	20	SW	MDM
NMC 330752	PROSPECTIVE 70	EUREKA	132 269		36N	50E	20	SW	MDM
NMC 330753	PROSPECTIVE 71	EUREKA	132 270		36N	50E	20	NW	MDM
NMC 330755	PROSPECTIVE 73	EUREKA	132 272		36N	50E	17	SW	MDM
NMC 334820	PROSPECTIVE 86	EUREKA	134 297		36N	50E	20	NW	MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :		6							
Count of Claims by County		EUREKA	6						

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Company Name : NEMMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : BARRICK ASSET EXCHANGE
Block Name : GOLDSTRIKE 17ETAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC QTR	Mer
NMC 57170	GOLD STRIKE 17	EUREKA	N 148	34 34 65 567 66 3	36N	50E	30 NE	MDM
NMC 57171	GOLD STRIKE 18	EUREKA	N 149	34 34 65 568 66 4	36N	50E	30 NE	MDM
NMC 57172	GOLD STRIKE 19	EUREKA	N 150	34 34 65 569 66 5	36N	50E	30 NE	MDM
NMC 57173	GOLD STRIKE 20	EUREKA	N 151	34 34 65 570 66 6	36N	50E	30 NE	MDM
NMC 57188	GOLD STRIKE 35	EUREKA	N 166	34 34 65 585 66 21	36N	50E	19 SE	MDM
NMC 57189	GOLD STRIKE 36	EUREKA	N 167	34 34 66 22	36N	50E	19 SE	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block : 6

Count of Claims by County

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Company Name : NEMMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : BARRICK ASSET EXCHANGE
Block Name : WS 78-81 MILLITES

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 390491	WS - 78	EUREKA	153 290		36N	50E	29	NW	MDM
NMC 390492	WS - 79	EUREKA	153 291		36N	50E	29	NW	MDM
NMC 390493	WS - 80	EUREKA	153 292		36N	50E	29	NW	MDM
NMC 390494	WS - 81	EUREKA	153 293		36N	50E	29	NW	MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :					4				

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Company Name : NEMMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : POST
Block Name : RODEO 4-7, 10

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC QTR	Mer
NMC 526222	RODEO NO. 4	EUREKA	190 344		36N	50E	20	NW MDM
NMC 526223	RODEO NO. 5	EUREKA	190 345		36N	50E	20	NW MDM
NMC 526224	RODEO NO. 6	EUREKA	190 346		36N	50E	20	NW MDM
NMC 526225	RODEO NO. 7	EUREKA	190 347		36N	50E	20	NW MDM
NMC 526228	RODEO NO. 10	EUREKA	190 350		36N	50E	20	NW MDM

Total Count for Claim Block : 5

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : POST
Block Name : PROSPECTIVE 1 ETAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC QTR	Mer
NMC 328454	PROSPECTIVE 1	EUREKA	131 508		36N	50E	19	NW MDM
NMC 328455	PROSPECTIVE 2	EUREKA	131 509		36N	50E	19	NW MDM
NMC 328456	PROSPECTIVE 3	EUREKA	131 510		36N	50E	19	SW MDM
NMC 328457	PROSPECTIVE 4	EUREKA	131 511		36N	50E	19	SW MDM
NMC 328458	PROSPECTIVE 5	EUREKA	131 512		36N	50E	19	NW MDM
NMC 328459	PROSPECTIVE 6	EUREKA	131 513		36N	50E	19	NW MDM
NMC 328460	PROSPECTIVE 7	EUREKA	131 514		36N	50E	19	NE MDM
NMC 328461	PROSPECTIVE 8	EUREKA	131 515		36N	50E	19	SW MDM
NMC 328463	PROSPECTIVE 10	EUREKA	131 517		36N	50E	19	SE MDM
NMC 328464	PROSPECTIVE 11	EUREKA	131 518		36N	50E	19	NE MDM
NMC 328465	PROSPECTIVE 12	EUREKA	131 519		36N	50E	19	SE MDM
NMC 328466	PROSPECTIVE 13	EUREKA	131 520		36N	50E	19	NE MDM

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State : NEVADA

Project : POST
Block Name : PROSPECTIVE 1 ETAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC QTR	Mer
NMC 328467	PROSPECTIVE 14	EUREKA	131 521		36N	50E	19 SE	MDM
NMC 328468	PROSPECTIVE 15	EUREKA	131 522		36N	50E	19 NE	MDM
NMC 328469	PROSPECTIVE 16	EUREKA	131 523		36N	50E	19 SE	MDM
NMC 328470	PROSPECTIVE 17	EUREKA	131 524		36N	50E	30 NE	MDM
NMC 328471	PROSPECTIVE 18	EUREKA	131 525		36N	50E	19 NE	MDM
NMC 328482	PROSPECTIVE 29	EUREKA	131 536		36N	50E	19 SE	MDM
NMC 328484	PROSPECTIVE 31	EUREKA	131 538		36N	50E	20 SW	MDM
NMC 328486	PROSPECTIVE 33	EUREKA	131 540		36N	50E	19 SW	MDM
NMC 328489	PROSPECTIVE 36	EUREKA	131 543		36N	50E	19 NE	MDM
NMC 328490	PROSPECTIVE 37	EUREKA	131 544		36N	50E	19 SE	MDM
NMC 328491	PROSPECTIVE 38	EUREKA	131 545		36N	50E	18 SE	MDM
					36N	50E	19 NE	MDM
					36N	50E	19 SE	MDM

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State : NEVADA

Project : POST
Block Name : PROSPECTIVE 1 ETAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 328492	PROSPECTIVE 39	EUREKA	131 546		36N	50E	17	SW	MDM
							18	SE	MDM
							19	NE	MDM
							20	NW	MDM
NMC 328493	PROSPECTIVE 40	EUREKA	131 547		36N	50E	19	NE	MDM
							19	SE	MDM
							20	NW	MDM
							20	SW	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block : 27

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Total County Count

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Total Claim count for this Exhibit : 48

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