

AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

State of Nevada)
) s.
County of Eureka)

Thomas M. Roesch 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 P. O. Box 669, Carlin, Nevada 89822, 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.

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 2001 and September 1, 2002, as required by 30 U.S.C. section 28 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 C.F.R. part 3730, and the Act of April 8, 1948, 62 Stat. 162 and C.F.R. Subpart 3821), in lieu of the suspended assessment work a 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.

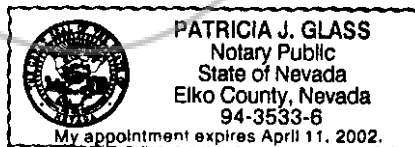


Thomas M. Roesch

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 27 day of Sept., 2001, at Thomas M. Roesch.


Notary Public

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : VENT 12-18

BIM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 705711	VENT 12	EUREKA	277	514	35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
NMC 705712	VENT 13	EUREKA	277	515	35N	50E	12	SW	MDM
NMC 705713	VENT 14	EUREKA	277	516	35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
NMC 705714	VENT 15	EUREKA	277	517	35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
NMC 705715	VENT 16	EUREKA	277	518	35N	50E	11	SW	MDM
NMC 705716	VENT 17	EUREKA	277	519	35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
NMC 705717	VENT 18	EUREKA	277	520	35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :		7							

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : VENT 20-21

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book &		Amended Book &		TWP RGE SEC QTR Mer		
			Page or	Document #	Page or	Document #			
NMC 741388	VENT 20	EUREKA	297	368			35N	50E	11 SE MDM
NMC 741389	VENT 21	EUREKA	297	369			35N	50E	12 SW MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :			2						11 NE MDM

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : VENT 19

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 720365	VENT 19	EUREKA	286	468	35N	50E	12	NE	MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :		1							

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : VENT 22

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 778921	VENT 22	EUREKA	313 449		35N	50E	11	NE	MDM
							12	NW	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block :

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : PAL

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 532013	PAL	EUREKA	192 47		35N	50E	12	NE	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block :

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA

Project : HIGH DESERT
Block Name : MOLE 12

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC	QTR	Mer
NMC 677566	MOLE 12	EUREKA	247 33		35N	50E	11	SE	MDM
							12	SW	MDM

Total Count for Claim Block : 1

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Total County Count
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Total Claim count for this Exhibit : 13

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