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AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES

State of Nevada)
) s.
County of Eureka)

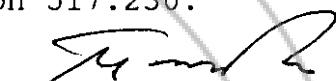
Thomas M. Roesch first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

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").

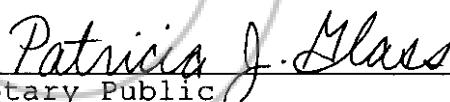
It is the intention of NEWMONT to maintain and develop the Claims as is provided for by law, and to hold the same.

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 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.



Thomas M. Roesch

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



Notary Public

PATRICIA J. GLASS
Notary Public
State of Nevada
Elko County, Nevada
94-3533-6
My appointment expires April 11, 2002.

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Company Name : NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION
State : NEVADA
Project : TS - BLUESTAR
Block Name : BLUESTAR 1959 27-29

BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Amended Book & Page or Document #			TWP	RGE	SEC QTR Mer
			Book &	Page or Document #	Page or Document #			
NMC 87079	BLUE STAR - 28 - 1959	EUREKA	K	163	23	104	35N	50E 04 SE MDM
NMC 87080	BLUE STAR - 29 - 1959	EUREKA	K	164	23	105	35N	50E 09 NE MDM

Total Count for Claim Block :

Count of Claims by County

EUREKA 3

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NMC 87082	BLUE STAR - 34 - 1959	EUREKA	K 164	23	107	35N	50E 04 SW NDM
NMC 87083	BLUE STAR - 35 - 1959	EUREKA	K 165	23	108	35N	50E 09 NW MDM

Total Count for Claim Block :

Count of Claims by County

EUREKA 3

Total County Count

EUREKA 6

Total Claim count for this Exhibit :

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

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