

PLACER DOME EXPLORATION INC.

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NOCE OF ABANDONMENT OF MINING CLAIMS

TO ALL WHOM IT MY CONCERN:

NOTICE is hereby gn that Placer Dome Exploration Inc., having an address of 240 South Rock Boulevard, #11 Reno, Nevada 89502, owner of said claims shown on the attached Exhibit "A", hereby aidons each and every such claim effective as of August 31, 2002.

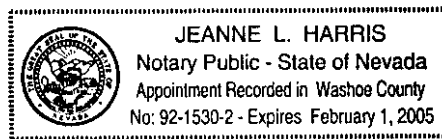
Dated this 10th day September, 2002

By: [Signature]
Name: William C. Hold
Title: Manager, US Gerative Exploration

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
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On this 10TH day of PTEMBER, 2002, William C. Howald personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, _____, known or proved to me to be the person who executed the above Nce of Abandonment of Mining Claims and who acknowledged that he executed the above lotice of Abandonment of Mining Claims in his capacity as Manager, US Generat Exploration for Placer Dome Exploration Inc.

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