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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION

LODE MINING CLAIM

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The undersigned hereby certifies that he has caused to be located the VIO 42 Lode Mining Claim in the following quarter sections(s)

%	Section	Township	Range	_Meridian_
SE		25 NORTH	49 EAST	MDB&M
NE	16	25 NORTH	49 EAST	MDB&M

In Eureka County, Nevada, on the 8TH day of December 2002.

The name and mailing address of the locator is Placer Dome Exploration Inc 240 South Rock Boulevard, State 117 Reno, Nevada 89502

The Claim is approximately 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide, such that 10 feet is claimed in a North direction and 1490 feet in a South direction from the point of discovery (monument of location), at which the Notice of Location was posted, together with 300 feet on each side of the monument of location and center line of the Claim. The general course of the lode or vein is from the North to the South direction.

The number, location and markings on each corner monument are as follows.

	<u>Location</u>	<u>Markines</u>	<u>Description</u>
No 1	Northwest Corner	N W Corner VIO 42	1½" x 1½" x 4' wood post
No 2	Northeast Corner	N E Corner VIO 42	1½" x 1½" x 4' wood post
No 3	Southeast Corner	S E Corner VIO 42	11/3" x 11/3" x 4" wood post
No 4	Southwest Corner	S W Corner VIO 42	11/3" x 11/4" x 4' wood post

As erected on the ground, each corner monument is marked as described above by scribed metal tags.

The work of location consisted of making a claim map as provided in NRS 517 040

Dated this 11th day of February, 2003

SIGNATURE OF LOCATOR

H Tonking, Agent

Suggested Form - Nevada Department of Minerals Nevada - Lode Certificate of Location - NRS 517 050 RECORDER'S STAMP

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