

RECORDING REQUESTED AND RETURN TO:  
NEWMONT USA LIMITED  
d/b/a NEWMONT MINING CORPORATION  
Attn: Land Department  
P.O. Box 669  
Carlin, NV 89822

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## **MINING CLAIM MAINTENANCE FEE FILING AND AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES**

**2003/2004 Filing for project: LEEVILLE (Thiercof)**

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AND SITES

State of Nevada    )  
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County of Eureka    )

Scott R. Holmes, f. being duly sworn, deposes and says:

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

The COMPANY, whose address is P.O. Box 669, Carlin, Nevada 89822, leases or otherwise controls an unpatented mining claim(s) and/or mill site(s) described in Exhibit A attached hereto (the claim(s)). The owner(s) of the Claim(s) is/are Drury J. Thiercof & Frances Mae Thiercof whose address is P.O. Box 818, Carlin, Nevada 89822.

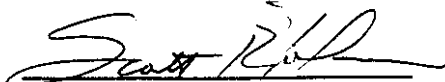
It is the intention of the COMPANY, and the owner(s) of the Claim(s), to maintain, develop and hold the Claim(s) as provided for by law.

Pursuant to 30 U.S.C. Section 28f to 28k and 43 C.F.R. Part 3830 (and, to the extent applicable to any of the Claim(s), the Act of August 11, 1955, 69 Stat. 681 and 43 C.F.R. Part 3730, and the Act of April 8, 1948, 62 Stat. 162 and 43 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 and (c):

1. The maintenance fee was paid and the federal fee requirements were met for each of the Claim(s) for the assessment year ending September 1, 2003.
2. With this filing the Bureau of Land Management, the COMPANY submits the maintenance fee for the assessment year ending September 1, 2004 in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each of the Claim(s).

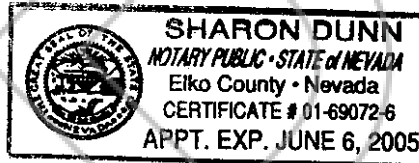
All such maintenance fees are paid on behalf of the COMPANY and the owner(s) of the Claim(s).

This affidavit is made as of the date set forth below, pursuant to N.R.S. Section 517.230 and any applicable federal laws.

  
Scott R. Holmes

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 23 day of June, 2003,  
by Scott R. Holmes.

  
Notary Public



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REPORT : EXHIBIT A

Company Name : NEWMONT USA LIMITED  
State : NEVADA

Project : LEEVILLE  
Block Name : DIXIE LEA/BACK PAY

EXHIBIT A

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BLM Serial #	Claim Name	County	Book & Page or Document #	Amended Book & Page or Document #	TWP	RGE	SEC QTR	Mer
NMC 27470	DIXIE LEA	EUREKA	29	200	35N	51E	18	NW MDM
NMC 27471	DIXIE LEA NO. 1	EUREKA	29	201	35N	50E	12	NE MDM
NMC 27472	BACK PAY	EUREKA	29	187	35N	51E	07	SW MDM
NMC 27473	BACK PAY NO. 1	EUREKA	29	188	35N	50E	12	NE MDM
Total Count for Claim Block :			4		35N	51E	18	NW MDM

Count of Claims by County  
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Total County Count  
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Total Claim count for this Exhibit : 4

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