NOTICE AND CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF LODE MINING CLAIM, NEVADA

KNOWN ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that PLACER DOME U.S. INC., having an address of HC 66 BOX 1250, CRESCENT VALLEY, NEVADA 89821 has located the PATCH 380 lode mining claim, in Eureka County, in the State of Nevada, on the 744 day of July, 2004.

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EUREKA COUNTY, NEVADA M.N. REBALEATI, RECORDER FILE NO. FEES 20.50

The claim is located in the:

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SW 1/4 Section Z9 , Township _	<u>28N.</u> , Range <u>51E</u>	, M.D.M.	
SE 1/4 Section 30, Township _	28N., Range51E	, M.D.M.	
NE 1/4 Section 31, Township	28N., Range <u>51E</u>	<u>.</u> , M.D.M.	
NW 1/4 Section 32, Township	28N., Range 51E	, M.D.M.	
The claim is 1500 fe	et long and 600	feet wide and	10 feet is claimed in a
North direction along the leng	th of the claim and	1490 feet is c	laimed in a South
direction along the length of the claim f	rom the Location Mo	nument at which a No	tice of Location is posted,
together with 300 feet in width on	each side of the center	r of the claim. The g	eneral course of the lode
deposit, as can be determined at this tim	ie is in a <u>North</u>	and South	direction. The
description of the claim is as follows:			/
Beginning at Corner No. 1, the	Northeast Corner of	the claim;	
Thence South ,	1500 feet to Co	mer No. 2, the Southe	ast Corner;
Thence West ,	600 feet to Co	ner No. 3, the Southy	vest Corner;
Thence North ,	7700	ner No. 4, the Northw	

The location of each corner of the claim is shown on the claim map that is filed herewith. The number, location and markings on each boundary or corner monument is as follows:

the place of beginning.

Location	<u>Markings</u>	Description
No 1: Corner No. 1	NE Cor. PATCH 380	11/2" x 11/2" Wood Post, 4' Long
No. 2: <u>Corner No. 2</u>	SE Cor. PATCH 380	1½" x 1½" Wood Post, 4' Long
No. 3: <u>Corner No. 3</u>	SW Cor. PATCH 380	11/2" x 11/2" Wood Post, 4' Long
No. 4: <u>Corner No. 4</u>	NW Cor. PATCH 380	1½" x 1½" Wood Post, 4' Long

As erected on the ground, each boundary or corner is marked as described above by an aluminum tag attached to the monument.

The monumentation and markings of the above mentioned corners on the ground was completed on this date, and the location work consisted of making a claim map as provided in NRS 517.040. Two copies of this map have been filed with the Eureka County Recorder, and the lode claim filing fee has been paid to the County Recorder.

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feet to Corner No. 1, the Northeast Corner;

William F. Mueller, Agent for Placer Dome U.S. Inc.