EUREKA COUNTY, HEVADA M.N. REBALEATI, RECORDER

AFFIDAVIT OF ANNUAL RENTAL PAID AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS

STATE OF NEVADA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF LANDER)

The undersigned, first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. The owner intends to hold the 107 mining claims listed below for the assessment year ending September 1, 2004, which mining claims are situated in Eureka County, Nevada.

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- 2. That \$125.00 is being paid for each mining claim listed above for the assessment year beginning noon September 1, 2003 and ending noon September 1, 2004.
- That said payment was made by the Cortez Gold Mines, with an address of HC 66 Box 1250, Crescent Valley, Nevada 89821-1250, on behalf of Metalwind LTD, the owner of said mining claims.

Bria & dren By:

Brian G. Iverson

Regional Manager, Land Affairs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August

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