

BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.
 ATTN: TASHA CAPLE
 293 SPRUCE ROAD
 ELKO, NV 89801
 (AFFIDAVIT VIO CLAIMS 1)

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 BARRICK GOLD EXPLORATION INC
Eureka County - NV
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**AFFIDAVIT OF MAINTENANCE FEE PAYMENT
 AND
 NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD CLAIMS**

STATE OF NEVADA)
 : ss.
 COUNTY OF ELKO)

Robert L. Brock, being duly sworn, says:

Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Barrick Gold Exploration Inc.,
 293 Spruce Rd, Elko, Nevada, 89801

1. Pursuant to the provisions of 30 U.S.C. §§ 28f-k and 43 C.F.R. §§ 3834.10 to -23, a claim maintenance fee of \$140.00 is to be paid to the Bureau of Land Management for each non-exempt mining claim, mill site, or tunnel site for the assessment year ending September 1, 2009, in lieu of the requirement to perform and record affidavits of proof of annual assessment work for mining claims and to record a notice of intent to hold mill sites under 30 U.S.C. §§ 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. § 1744.
2. On July 28, 2009, Barrick Gold Exploration Inc. timely paid the federal claim maintenance fee of \$140.00 for each of the claims and/or mill sites identified in the attached Exhibit A (“Claims and Mill Sites”), in accordance with federal law.
3. The name and current mailing address of the owner of the Claims and Mill Sites is: Barrick Gold Exploration Inc., 293 Spruce Rd, Elko, Nevada, 89801.
4. The serial number assigned to each Claim and Mill Site by the Bureau of Land Management is shown on Exhibit A.
5. Notwithstanding any defect of deficiency in the foregoing affidavit, the undersigned states that it is not her intention, nor the intention of the owner of the Claims and Mill Sites, to abandon or otherwise relinquish their interest in any of

the Claims and Mill Sites. It is the owner's intention to hold each of the Claims and Mill Sites through the assessment year ending September 1, 2010.

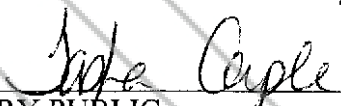
DATED this 29 day of Sept, 2009.



Robert L. Brock
Senior Landman

STATE OF NEVADA)
 : ss.
COUNTY OF ELKO)

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 29th day of Sept., 2009.



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Exhibit A
GREAT BASIN GEN. (PD)

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Claim Name	BLM #	Location Date	State	County	Twn	Range	Section	Book & Page/Doc	Amended?
Claim Group: 1567 - VIO CLAIMS 1									
Owner: Barrick Gold Exploration Inc.									
VIO 1	NMC 839080	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	Bk 357 Pg 1	
VIO 2	NMC 839081	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	Bk 357 Pg 2	
VIO 3	NMC 839082	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 3	
VIO 4	NMC 839083	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 4	
VIO 5	NMC 839084	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 5	
VIO 6	NMC 839085	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 6	
VIO 7	NMC 839086	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 7	
VIO 8	NMC 839087	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 8	
VIO 9	NMC 839088	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 9	
VIO 10	NMC 839089	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 10	
VIO 11	NMC 839090	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 11	
VIO 12	NMC 839091	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 12	
VIO 13	NMC 839092	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 13	
VIO 14	NMC 839093	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 14	
VIO 15	NMC 839094	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 15	
VIO 16	NMC 839095	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 16	
VIO 17	NMC 839096	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 17	
VIO 18	NMC 839097	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 18	

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VIO 19	NMC 839098	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 19	
VIO 20	NMC 839099	Oct/26/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 20	
VIO 21	NMC 839100	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 21	
VIO 22	NMC 839101	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 22	
VIO 23	NMC 839102	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 23	
VIO 24	NMC 839103	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 24	
VIO 25	NMC 839104	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 25	
VIO 26	NMC 839105	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 26	
VIO 27	NMC 839106	Oct/27/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 27	
VIO 28	NMC 839107	Oct/28/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 28	
VIO 29	NMC 839108	Oct/28/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 29	
VIO 30	NMC 839109	Oct/29/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 30	
VIO 31	NMC 839110	Oct/29/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 357 Pg 31	
VIO 32	NMC 843242	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 359 Pg 16	

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Owner: Barrick Gold Exploration Inc.									
VIO 50	NMC 843260	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 34	
					25N	49E	9		
VIO 51	NMC 843261	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 35	
					25N	49E	8		
VIO 52	NMC 843262	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 36	
VIO 53	NMC 843263	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 37	
					25N	49E	8		
VIO 54	NMC 843264	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 38	
VIO 55	NMC 843265	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 39	
					25N	49E	8		
VIO 56	NMC 843266	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 40	
VIO 57	NMC 843267	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 41	
					25N	49E	8		
VIO 58	NMC 843268	Dec/8/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 42	
VIO 59	NMC 843269	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	17	BK 359 Pg 43	
VIO 62	NMC 843272	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	BK 359 Pg 46	
					25N	49E	17		
VIO 63	NMC 843273	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	BK 359 Pg 47	
VIO 64	NMC 843274	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	BK 359 Pg 48	
					25N	49E	21		
VIO 65	NMC 843275	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	BK 359 Pg 49	

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VIO 66	NMC 843276	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 359 Pg 50	
					25N	49E	21		
VIO 67	NMC 843277	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 359 Pg 51	
					25N	49E	21		
VIO 68	NMC 843278	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 52	
VIO 69	NMC 843279	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 53	
VIO 70	NMC 843280	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 54	
VIO 71	NMC 843281	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 55	
VIO 72	NMC 843282	Dec/9/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 56	
VIO 73	NMC 843283	Dec/11/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 57	
					25N	49E	28		
VIO 74	NMC 843284	Dec/11/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	28	Bk 359 Pg 58	
VIO 75	NMC 843285	Dec/11/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	21	Bk 359 Pg 59	
					25N	49E	28		
VIO 76	NMC 843286	Dec/11/02	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	28	Bk 359 Pg 60	
VIO 100	NMC 853436	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 378	
VIO 101	NMC 853437	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 379	
VIO 102	NMC 853438	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 380	
VIO 103	NMC 853439	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 381	
VIO 104	NMC 853440	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 382	
VIO 105	NMC 853441	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 383	

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VIO 106	NMC 853442	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 384	
VIO 107	NMC 853443	Aug/8/03	Nevada	Eureka	25N	49E	16	Bk 367 Pg 385	

Number of Claims for this Claim Group: 65

Total Claims: 65

Total Claims in Eureka County: 65

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