

BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.
ATTN: TASHA CAPLE
293 SPRUCE ROAD
ELKO, NV 89801
(AFFIDAVIT BLACK LADY-FRAZIER)

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JONES, LUCIA

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**AFFIDAVIT OF MAINTENANCE FEE PAYMENT
AND
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD CLAIMS**

STATE OF NEVADA)
 : ss.
COUNTY OF ELKO)

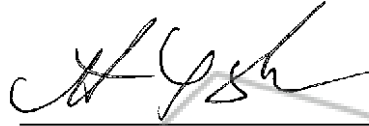
Robert L. Brock, being duly sworn, says:

Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Lucia Jones, 5260 Mesa Verde Drive, Sparks, Nevada 89435; Bruce J. Frazier, P.O. Box 1738, 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 Cortez 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: Lucia Jones, 5260 Mesa Verde Drive, Sparks, Nevada 89435; Bruce J. Frazier, P.O. Box 1738, 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 or 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.


NOTARY PUBLIC

2/25/2013
My Commission Expires

Exhibit A
CORTEZ MINE

JUL/10/2009

Claim Name	BLM #	Location Date	State	County	Twn	Range	Section	Book & Page/Doc	Amended?
BLACK LADY	NMC 26684	Oct/24/73	Nevada	Eureka	27N	48E	34	Bk 46 Pg 400	

Number of Claims for this Claim Group: 1

Total Claims: 1

Total Claims in Eureka County: 1

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9:00
A.M. JUL 28 2009

