

BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.
ATTN: TASHA CAPLE
293 SPRUCE ROAD
ELKO, NV 89801
(AFFIDAVIT POWDER KEG (EAST)-QUICKSILVER)

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QUICKSILVER PHENOMENON LLC
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)

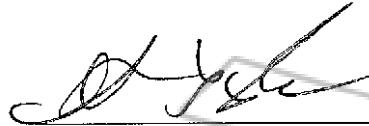
Robert L. Brock, being duly sworn, says:

Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC,
2017 E. ¾ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81503

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: Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC, 2017 E. ¾ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81503.
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.

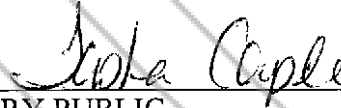
DATED this 29 day of Sept., 2009.



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

CORTEZ EXPLORATION

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Claim Group: 1336 - Powder Keg (East)-Quicksilver
 Owner: QUICKSILVER PHENOMENON LLC

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| POWDER KEG 2 | NMC 854599 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 118 | |
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| POWDER KEG 8 | NMC 854605 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 124 | |
| POWDER KEG 10 | NMC 854607 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 126 | |
| POWDER KEG 12 | NMC 854609 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 128 | |
| POWDER KEG 14 | NMC 854611 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 130 | |
| POWDER KEG 16 | NMC 854613 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 4 | Bk 371 Pg 132 | |
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| POWDER KEG 20 | NMC 854617 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 136 | |
| POWDER KEG 21 | NMC 854618 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 137 | |
| POWDER KEG 22 | NMC 854619 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 138 | |
| POWDER KEG 23 | NMC 854620 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 139 | |
| POWDER KEG 24 | NMC 854621 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 140 | |
| POWDER KEG 25 | NMC 854622 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 141 | |
| POWDER KEG 26 | NMC 854623 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 142 | |
| POWDER KEG 27 | NMC 854624 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 143 | |
| POWDER KEG 28 | NMC 854625 | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 144 | |

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| POWDER KEG 31 | NMC 854628 | | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 147 | |
| POWDER KEG 32 | NMC 854629 | | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 148 | |
| POWDER KEG 33 | NMC 854630 | | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 8 | Bk 371 Pg 149 | |
| POWDER KEG 34 | NMC 854631 | | Sep/16/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 150 | |
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| POWDER KEG 81 | NMC 854678 | | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 27N | 50E | 28 | Bk 371 Pg 197 | |
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| POWDER KEG 130 | NMC 854721 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 27N | 50E | 33 | Bk 371 Pg 240 | |
| POWDER KEG 131 | NMC 854722 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 27N | 50E | 33 | Bk 371 Pg 241 | |
| POWDER KEG 133 | NMC 854723 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 27N | 50E | 33 | Bk 371 Pg 242 | |
| POWDER KEG 136 | NMC 854725 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 27N | 50E | 32 | Bk 371 Pg 244 | |
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| POWDER KEG 145 | NMC 854731 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 250 | |
| POWDER KEG 147 | NMC 854732 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 9 | Bk 371 Pg 251 | |
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| POWDER KEG 164 | NMC 854744 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 16 | Bk 371 Pg 263 | |
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| POWDER KEG 172 | NMC 854750 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 16 | Bk 371 Pg 269 | |
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| POWDER KEG 177 | NMC 854755 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 16 | Bk 371 Pg 274 | |
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| POWDER KEG 179 | NMC 854757 | Sep/1/03 | Nevada | Eureka | 26N | 50E | 16 | Bk 371 Pg 276 | |
| Number of Claims for this Claim Group: 109 | | | | | | | | | |
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