

BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.  
ATTN: TASHA CAPLE  
293 SPRUCE ROAD  
ELKO, NV 89801  
(HMC 50)

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HOMESTAKE MINING CO OF CALIFORNIA

**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       )

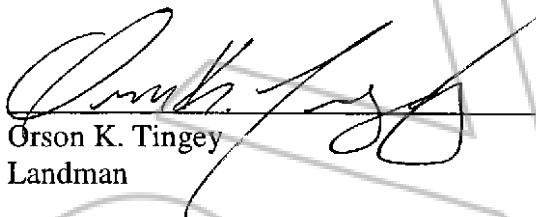
Orson K. Tingey, being duly sworn, says:

Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Homestake Mining Company of California, 460 West 50 North, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84101

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, 2013, 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 October 19, 2012 Homestake Mining Company of California timely paid the federal claim maintenance fee of \$140.00 for each of the 1 claims and/or mill sites situated in County of Eureka, State of Nevada 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: Homestake Mining Company of California, 460 West 50 North, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84101.
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

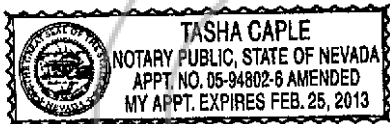
Claims and Mill Sites, to abandon or otherwise relinquish their interest in any of the Claims and Mill Sites. It is the owner's intention to hold each of the Claims and Mill Sites through the assessment year ending September 1, 2013.

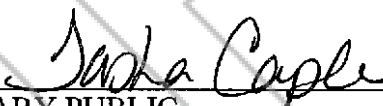
DATED this 19 day of October, 2012.

  
Orson K. Tingey  
Landman

STATE OF NEVADA       )  
                                  : ss.  
COUNTY OF ELKO       )

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012.



  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
2.25.2013  
My Commission Expires

**Exhibit "A"**

| <b>Claim Name</b> | <b>BLM<br/>Prefix BLM #</b> | <b>Location<br/>Date</b> | <b>County</b> | <b>State</b> | <b>Book</b> | <b>Page</b> |
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| HMC 50            | Pending                     | 7/24/2012                | Eureka        | NV           |             | Pending     |