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Assessor's Parcel No.: N/A unpatented mining claims

County of Eureka

State of Nevada

Garcia Flats Project - 42 Claims

Claims Owned or Controlled by:

Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.

The undersigned affirms that no personal
information is contained in this document.

**AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE FEES
AND
OF INTENTION TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS**

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

The undersigned Affiant, being of lawful age and first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, states as follows:

1. Affiant is the agent of Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc., a Nevada corporation, the owner, claimant, lessee, or assignee ("Owner") of the 42 unpatented lode mining claims located in Sections 21-22, 27-28 and 34 of Township 26 North, Range 54 East, Mt. Diablo Meridian, more particularly described in the list set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by this reference (the "Claims") and is duly authorized to execute this Affidavit.

2. The name and address of Owner is:
Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.
5075 S. Syracuse Street, Suite 800
Denver, CO 80237

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3. The names of the Claims and the United States Bureau of Land Management ("BLM") Serial Numbers for the Claims are more particularly set forth in Exhibit A hereto.

4. Owner has paid to the Nevada State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, on or before September 1, 2017, a maintenance fee in the amount of \$155 for each Claim, pursuant to 30 U.S.C.A. §§ 28f(a) and 28j(c) and related regulations (the "Act"). Such payment was made to hold the Claims for the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2018, as required by the Act. The maintenance fees are in lieu of the performance of annual assessment work and the recording of an affidavit of labor under Section 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and 43 CFR 3833.2.

5. By such payment, by Owner's compliance with applicable federal and state mining laws and regulations, and by this Affidavit, Owner hereby expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2018.

6. By this Affidavit, Owner, in accordance with Nevada state law, also expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2016, and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2017. Owner further expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2017, and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2018.

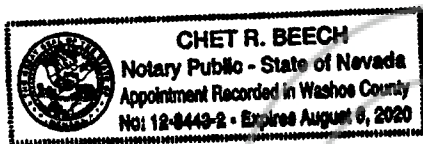
7. Affiant executes this Affidavit on the 7TH day of AUGUST, 2017.

KINROSS GOLD U.S.A., INC.

By: [Signature]

Ryan Bensing, Agent

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 7 day of August, 2017, by Ryan Bensing.



[Signature]

NOTARY PUBLIC

Residing at Reno, Colorado NEVADA

My Commission expires:

August 7/2017

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State of Nevada

County of Eureka

Garcia Flats Project

Claims controlled by: Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.

Claimant Address: 5075 Syracuse St., #800, Denver, CO 80237

Claims Located in Township 26 North, Range 54 East, Sections 21-23, 26-28, & 34-35

EXHIBIT A				
Claim Name	Location Date	Instrument Number	BLM Serial No.	Count
GF 256	24/05/2017		NMC-1148065	1
GF 257	24/05/2017		NMC-1148066	2
GF 258	24/05/2017		NMC-1148067	3
GF 259	24/05/2017		NMC-1148068	4
GF 260	24/05/2017		NMC-1148069	5
GF 261	24/05/2017		NMC-1148070	6
GF 262	24/05/2017		NMC-1148071	7
GF 263	24/05/2017		NMC-1148072	8
GF 264	24/05/2017		NMC-1148073	9
GF 265	24/05/2017		NMC-1148074	10
GF 266	24/05/2017		NMC-1148075	11
GF 267	24/05/2017		NMC-1148076	12
GF 268	24/05/2017		NMC-1148077	13
GF 269	24/05/2017		NMC-1148078	14
GF 270	24/05/2017		NMC-1148079	15
GF 271	24/05/2017		NMC-1148080	16
GF 272	24/05/2017		NMC-1148081	17
GF 273	24/05/2017		NMC-1148082	18
GF 274	24/05/2017		NMC-1148083	19
GF 275	24/05/2017		NMC-1148084	20
GF 276	24/05/2017		NMC-1148085	21
GF 277	24/05/2017		NMC-1148086	22
GF 278	24/05/2017		NMC-1148087	23
GF 279	24/05/2017		NMC-1148088	24
GF 280	24/05/2017		NMC-1148089	25
GF 281	24/05/2017		NMC-1148090	26
GF 282	24/05/2017		NMC-1148091	27
GF 283	24/05/2017		NMC-1148092	28
GF 284	24/05/2017		NMC-1148093	29

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GF 285	24/05/2017		NMC-1148094	30
GF 286	24/05/2017		NMC-1148095	31
GF 287	24/05/2017		NMC-1148096	32
GF 288	24/05/2017		NMC-1148097	33
GF 289	24/05/2017		NMC-1148098	34
GF 290	24/05/2017		NMC-1148099	35
GF 291	24/05/2017		NMC-1148100	36
GF 292	24/05/2017		NMC-1148101	37
GF 293	24/05/2017		NMC-1148102	38
GF 294	24/05/2017		NMC-1148103	39
GF 295	24/05/2017		NMC-1148104	40
GF 296	24/05/2017		NMC-1148105	41
GF 297	24/05/2017		NMC-1148106	42

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