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McEwen Mining Nevada Inc.
2215 North 5th Street
Elko, Nevada 89801
Attn: Land Department

**MINING CLAIM MAINTENANCE FEE FILING
AND
AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS AND SITES**

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) ss.
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The undersigned Affiant, being of lawful age and first duly sworn, deposes and states:

I am the duly authorized agent of McEwen Mining Nevada Inc., the lessee, optionee, operator, or assignee of the claimant ("OWNER") of the unpatented mining claims and/or mill sites more particularly described in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference (the "CLAIMS").

The name and address of OWNER is: McEwen Mining Nevada Inc., 2215 North 5th Street, Elko, Nevada, 89801.

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 the attached Exhibit(s).

It is the intention of the OWNER to hold and maintain all its right title and interest in and to each of the CLAIMS listed on the Exhibit(s) since its date of location, as is provided for by law.

Pursuant to 30 U.S.C. Sections 28f-28k, and 43 C.F.R. Part 3830, and other related applicable regulations, in lieu of the suspended assessment work and filing requirements under 30 U.S.C. Sections 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. Section 1744, and other related applicable regulations:

1. The maintenance fees were timely paid and the federal fee requirements were met for each of the CLAIMS listed on the Exhibit(s) for the assessment year ending September 1, 2017.
2. With this filing to the BLM, the OWNER submits the timely payment of maintenance fees in the amount of one hundred and fifty-five dollars (\$155.00) for each of the CLAIMS listed on the Exhibit(s) for the assessment year ending September 1, 2018,

All such maintenance fees are paid on behalf of the OWNER.

This affidavit is made on this 27th day of July 2017, pursuant to N.R.S. Section 517.230 and any applicable federal laws.

McEwen Mining Nevada Inc.

By: Paula M Dodds
Paula M. Dodds
As Agent

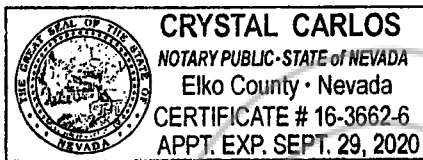
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me on this 27th day of July 2017, by Paula M. Dodds.



Paula M Dodds
NOTARY PUBLIC



Exhibit A
Tonkin Springs Project - 10 leased Claims
Eureka County, Nevada
Owner/Claimant: Aaron Buffington et al.
Owner's Address: c/o Aaron Buffington, PO Box 243, Eureka, NV 89316

| count | Claim Name | BLM Serial NMC # | Eureka County Recording |
|-------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Big Joker | 29558 | 65/496 |
| 2 | Little Joker #1 | 28479 | 65/391 |
| 3 | Little Joker #2 | 28480 | 65/392 |
| 4 | Little Joker #3 | 28481 | 65/393 |
| 5 | Little Joker #4 | 28482 | 65/394 |
| 6 | Little Joker #5 | 28483 | 65/395 |
| 7 | Little Joker #6 | 39052 | 66/552 |
| 8 | Little Joker #7 | 39053 | 66/553 |
| 9 | Little Joker #8 | 39054 | 66/554 |
| 10 | Little Joker #9 | 39055 | 66/555 |

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