

NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION

ORIGINAL

LODE MINING CLAIM

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that Battle Mountain Exploration Company, a Texas corporation, whose address is 2700 E. Executive Drive, Suite 150, Tucson, Arizona 85706, did on this 25th day of September, 1989 locate and claim and does hereby locate and claim, in compliance with all applicable law and regulation, the ESC-9 lode mining claim. Said claim is located in the following quarter section(s):

1/4	Section	Township	Range	Meridian
SE	28	1 North	65 East	M.D.M.
		1 North	65 East	M.D.M.
		1 North	65 East	M.D.M.
		1 North	65 East	M.D.M.

in Ely Springs Mining District, Lincoln County, Nevada.

The claim is approximately 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide, such that 1450 feet are claimed in a westerly direction and 50 feet in an easterly direction from the point of discovery (monument of location), at which the Notice of Location was posted, together with 300 feet on each side of the monument of location and center line of the claim. The general course of the lode or vein is from the East to the West direction.

The location of each corner and side center monument is shown on the mining claim map recorded herewith. The position and markings of each monument are as follows:

Position/Markings

- Monument No. 1 is a pipe marked NE Corner ESC-9
- Monument No. 2 is a pipe marked SE Corner ESC-9
- Monument No. 3 is a pipe marked S Side Center ESC-9
- Monument No. 4 is a pipe marked SW Corner ESC-9
- Monument No. 5 is a pipe marked NW Corner ESC-9
- Monument No. 6 is a pipe marked N Side Center ESC-9

All corner and side center monuments consist of PVC pipe at least 3" in diameter and 5' in length set at least one foot in the ground and marked as described above on an aluminum tag or on the pipe. The monumentation and marking of the above-described lode claim was completed within 60 days from the date of posting the Notice of Location.

The work of location consisted of making and recording of duplicate claim maps and payment of fees prescribed by NRS 517.040. Said claim map and description have been filed with the County Recorder's office and the Nevada State BLM office and are by reference incorporated herein.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1989.

SIGNATURE OF LOCATOR:

BATTLE MOUNTAIN EXPLORATION COMPANY

By John C. Hulse (Agent)

When Recorded Return to:

Land Department Battle Mountain Exploration Company 2700 E. Executive Dr., Suite 150 Tucson, Arizona 85706-7151

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(RECORDER'S STAMP)

No. 92854

\* Filed and Recorded at the request of \* BATTLE MOUNTAIN EXPLORATION COMPANY \* this 5th day of December, 1989, at \* 10 Minutes past 2 O'clock P. M., in \* Book 88 of Official Records, Page 258 \* Lincoln County, Nevada.

FRANK C. HULSE County Recorder