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 Cordex Exploration Co.
 573 E. Second St.
 Reno, Nevada 89502

**CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION
 LODGE MINING CLAIM**

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned hereby certifies that he has caused to be located the QC 144 Lode Mining Claim in the following quarter section(s): NE ¼ of Section 1, and the SW ¼ of Section 31, Townships 1 and 2 North, Ranges 54 and 55 East, M.D.B. & M., in Lincoln County, Nevada on the 13th day of June, 1996.

The name and mailing address of the locator is:

Rayrock Mines, Inc., dba Cordex Exploration Co., 573 E. Second St., Reno, NV 89502

The claim is approximately 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide, such that 20 feet is claimed in a Northerly direction and 1480 feet in a Southerly 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 North to South direction.

The number, location and markings on each boundary or corner monument is as follows:


LOCATION	MARKINGS	DESCRIPTION
NO. 1 NE CORNER	NE COR.	2" x 2" x 4' wooden post
NO. 2 SE CORNER	SE COR.	2" x 2" x 4' wooden post
NO. 3 SW CORNER	SW COR.	2" x 2" x 4' wooden post
NO. 4 NW CORNER	NW COR.	2" x 2" x 4' wooden post; Corner 4 is common with Corner 1 of QC 143

As erected on the ground, each side center or corner monument is marked as described above by a 2" x 2" x 4' wooden post with metal tag.

The work of location consisted of making a claim map as provided in N.R.S. 517-040.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1996.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT FOR LOCATOR


 Agent for Rayrock Mines, Inc.
 dba Cordex Exploration Co.

RECORDER'S STAMP

NO. 105551

Filed and recorded at the request of Cordex Exploration Co. on August 5, 1996 at 1 minutes past 1 o'clock p.m. in Book 120, Page 51, Official Records, Lincoln County, Nevada.

Yuriko Setzer
 Recorder

Deputy