

**AFFIDAVIT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD
MINING CLAIM(S) AND SITE(S)**

STATE OF NEVADA)
) SS.
COUNTY OF LINCOLN)

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned certifies that the owner or claimant intended or intends to hold the mining claim(s), mill site(s), and/or tunnel site(s) listed below from 12:00 p.m. on September 1 of the year before this affidavit was made and recorded, until 11:59 a.m. on September 1 of the year that this affidavit was made and recorded. The claims are located in Section(s) 6-9,14-18,20-23,12, Township 1N, Range 66E & 67E, in the Ely mining district, in Lincoln County, Nevada.

Name of claim(s) or site(s):	BLM Serial No(s):
<u>Ely Valley West End Group - See attached</u>	_____
<u>Exhibit A for list of claims</u>	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

The claim map showing said claim(s) is filed as Document Number _____ in the _____ County records.

Name and address of owner or claimant: Pioche-Ely Valley Mines, Inc.
Suite 175
10830 N Central Expressway
Dallas, TX 75231

dated this 15th day of August, 1997. By: [Signature]
owner, claimant, agent, or lessee

subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August, 1997.



Scott L. Edes
NOTARY PUBLIC

RECORDER'S STAMP

EXHIBIT A
LIST OF CLAIMS

CLAIM OWNER: Pioche-Ely Valley Mines, Inc.
ADDRESS: Suite 175
10830 North Central Expressway
Dallas, Texas 75231

	CLAIM NAME	BLM SERIAL NO.
Ely Valley/West End:	Harvester No. 2	80390
	Harvester No. 3	80391
	Harvester No. 42	80430
	O.K. No. 2	80431
	O.K. No. 3	80432
	O.K. No. 4	80433
	O.K. No. 5	80434
	O.K. No. 7	80436
	Superior No. 1	80385
	Superior No. 2	80386
	Marion	80450
	Marion No. 2	80451
	Marion No. 3	80452
	Marion No. 4	80453
	Marion No. 7	80456
	Blue Bell No. 1	80457
	Blue Bell No. 2	80458
	Blue Bell No. 3	80459
	Blue Bell No. 4	80460
	Blue Bell No. 5	80461
	Blue Bell No. 6	80462
	Blue Bell No. 7	80463
	Blue Bell No. 8	80464
	Blue Bell No. 10	80477
	Blue Bell No. 11	80478
Blue Bell No. 12	80479	
Blue Bell No. 13	80480	
Blue Bell No. 14	80481	
Blue Bell No. 15	80482	
Sure Thing	80465	
Sure Thing No. 1	80466	
Sure Thing No. 2	80467	
Anne Fraction	443772	
Harebell	681915	
Cathy Fraction	681916	

NO. 109650

FILED AND RECORDED AT REQUEST OF
Pioche-Ely Valley Mines, Inc.
AUGUST 28, 1997

AT 01 MINUTES PAST 1 O'CLOCK
PM IN BOOK 130 OF OFFICIAL
RECORDS PAGE 105 LINCOLN

COUNTY, NEVADA.

Yuriko Setzer
COUNTY RECORDER

Lellie Boucher deputy