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2600 N Central Avenue
Suite 110
Phoenix, AZ 85004

August 14, 2000

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Bureau of Land Management
Nevada State Office
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Reno, NV 89520-0006

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Re: Payment of Annual Maintenance Fee

NEVADA STATE OFFICE
RENO, NEVADA

Gentlemen:

This will serve notice that Phelps Dodge Exploration Corporation, whose address for purposes of this filing is 2600 N. Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004-3014, intends to hold the mining claims described on Exhibit A attached hereto for the assessment year ending at 12 o'clock, noon, on September 1, 2001 by payment of the annual maintenance fee of \$100 per claim. Payment of such amount is made herewith for such assessment year for each of the claims the name and BLM Serial number of which, and the book and page or index number of recording of the location notice in the official records of Lincoln County, Nevada, of which is set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein. Said claims are owned by Richard Burgess whose address is Highway 76, Box 158, Beryl, UT 84714 and Randall and Susan Moore whose address is 860 Lyman Avenue, Reno, NV 89509.

PHELPS DODGE EXPLORATION CORPORATION

Donald A. Stillwell

State of ARIZONA
County of Maricopa

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on August 14, 2000 by Donald A. Stillwell of PHELPS DODGE EXPLORATION CORPORATION, on behalf of the corporation.

(Seal)

Lestie Nelson
Notary Public

My commission expires:

9-30-00

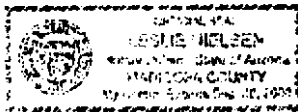


EXHIBIT A

CLAIM NAME	RECORDED LINCOLN CO. BOOK/PAGE	BLM SERIAL NO. NMC
MN 31 THROUGH 42	145/89-112	809097 THROUGH 809108
MN 43A	145/113-114	809109
MN 44A	145/115-116	809110
MN 118 THROUGH 121	145/117-128	809111 THROUGH 809116
MN 181 THROUGH 194	145/129-158	809117 THROUGH 809130
Owned by: Randall and Susan Moore 860 Lyman Ave., Reno, NV 89509		
PRONTO #2	130/141	109668
PRONTO #3	130/142	109670
PRONTO #5	130/143	109671
KENO #6	130/138	109687
Owned by: Richard Burgess Highway 76, Box 158, Beryl, UT 84714		
Total - 38 claims		

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October 16, 2000

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COUNTY, NEVADA

Leslie Boucher

COUNTY RECORDER

BY Denise Stevens, Deputy

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