Case No. CV-0832002

Dept. No.

IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN

MICHAEL RYDBERG AND MARY RYDBERG,

Plaintiffs,

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MORTIMER FULLER, Trustee of the Townsite of Pioche, Lincoln County, Nevada; HONORABLE DAN L. PAPEZ, District Judge, and HONORABLE STEVE L. DOBRESCU, District Judge, as Successor Trustees of MORTIMER FULLER; SCUTHERN STATES CORPORATION, formerly known as RAYMOND AND ELY MINING COMPANY, a California Corporation; PIOCHE CONSOLIDATED MINING AND RED COMPANY, last place of residence, Lincoln County, Nevada; DOE I through DOE X; together with each and every one and all of the unknown heirs of each and every one of the above-named Defendants, their last known addresses being Lincoln County, Nevada, unless otherwise stated herein; also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon Plaintiffs', title thereto,

Defendants.

DECREE QUIETING TITLE

This cause coming on regularly to be heard on this 215th day of 51/1/17.1 _____, 2003, before the aboveentitled Court, sitting without a jury, the Honorable District Judge, JOSEPH PAVLIKOWSKI, residing; the Plaintiff being represented in Court by GARY D. FAIRMAN, ESQ., A Professional

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Corporation, his attorney; said action having been dismissed as to all fictitious Defendants designated by the names DOE I through DOE X;

WHEREAS, it appears and the Court finds:

That a Summons and Complaint in the above-entitled action was duly served on Defendants, MORTIMER FULLER, last place of residence, Pioche, Nevada; SOUTHERN STATES CORPORATION, formerly known as RAYMOND AND ELY MINING COMPANY, last place of residence, Carson City, Nevada; and PIOCHE CONSOLIDATED MINING AND RED COMPANY, last place of residence, Pioche, Nevada; and DOE I through DOE X; together with each and every one and all of the unknown heirs of each and every one of the above-named Defendants, their last known addresses being Lincoln County and Carson City, Nevada, unless otherwise stated herein; also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon Plaintiffs' title thereto on November 14, 2002, November 21, 2002, November 27, 2002, December 5, 2002, and December 12, 2002, by publication in the NEVADA LEGAL NEWS; and on November 21, 2002, November 28, 2002, December 5, 2002, and December 12, 2002, by publication in the LINCOLN COUNTY RECORD.

That the time within which said Defendants were required to appear and plead herein has expired; that they have not appeared herein; that no answer, motion, or other pleading has been served or filed herein; and that the default of said

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Defendants has been duly and regularly entered; and

WHEREAS, the HONORABLE DAN L. PAPEZ and HONORABLE STEVE L. DOBRESCU have executed Disclaimers of Title; and

whereas, the Court has heard proof of the allegations of said Complaint and has required Plaintiffs to be examined, on oath, respecting ownership and possession of the real property described in said Complaint; and the Court being satisfied that the allegations of the Complaint are true and that the relief asked for should be granted; now, therefore,

On motion of GARY D. FAIRMAN, ESQ., A Professional Corporation, Attorney for Plaintiffs,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED:

1. That Plaintiffs own in fee simple and are entitled to the quiet and peaceful possession of that certain parcel of land situated in the County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, and more particularly described as follows:

That portion of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 22, Township 1 North, Range 67 East, M.D.M., described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin southeast of the Eurke Hoisting House in the Town of Pioche fram which iron pin the Southeast corner of said Section 22 bears 32 1/2° East, 487 feet; Thence North 82° West, 981 feet to an iron pin; Thence North 13° East, 114 feet to an iron pin; Thence North 62° East, 508 feet to an iron pin south of the rail-road; Thence North 87° East, 160 feet to an iron pin south of the rail road; Thence South 58 3/4° east, 468 feet to an iron pin; and thence South 14° West, 260 feet to the Place of Beginning.

NOTE: The above metes and bounds description previously appeared on that certain document recorded July 17, 1876 in Book N of Deed

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EXCEPTING the ground patented to the Nevada Central Railroad Company.

FURTHER EXCEPTING all portions lying within U.S. Highway 93.

FURTHER EXCEPTING any portion lying within the following:

All that certain portion of the Burke and Washington Fatented Lode Mining Claim, designated as Mineral Survey Lot No. 41; embracing a portion of Section 22 and 23 in Township 1 North of Range 67 East, Mount Diablo Meridian, and described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of this tract, from which Post No. 2 of said Lot 41 bears South 12°43'20° East, 85.1 feet and the Southeast corner of Section 22, Township 1 North, Range 67 East, M.D.M. bears South 35°23'40° East, 672.7 feet; Thence South 86°28'40° West, 270.0 feet; Thence North 73°51'20° West, 130.55 feet; Thence North 5°3'40° East, 38.7 feet; Thence South 89°59'20° East, 180.00 feet; Thence North 78°24'20° East, 158.0 feet; Thence North 84°37' East, 51.1 feet; and thence South 3°31'20° East, 94.6 feet to the said Southeast corner of the tract, the Place of Beginning.

- 2. That Plaintiffs' title to said real property is hereby forever quieted against any and all claims of Defendants, MORTIMER FULLER, Deceased; HONORABLE DAN L. PAPEZ, HONORABLE STEVE L. DOBRESCU; SOUTHERN STATES CORPORATION, formerly known as RAYMOND AND ELY MINING COMPANY; and PIOCHE CONSOLIDATED MINING AND RED COMPANY, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property;
- 3. That Defendants, MCRTIMER FULLER, last place of residence, Pioche, Nevada; HONORABLE DAN L. PAPEZ, District

Judge, and HONORABLE STEVE L. DOBRESCU, District Judge; SOUTHERN STATES CORPORATION, formerly known as RAYMOND AND ELY MINING COMPANY, last place of residence, Carson City, Nevada; and PIOCHE CONSOLIDATED MINING AND RED COMPANY, last place of residence, Pioche, Nevada; and any person claiming under them are permanently enjoined and restrained from asserting any claim or 6 interest in or to said real property or any part thereof. 7 DATED this day o 9 10 11 12 13 Submitted by: 14 GARY D. FAIRMAN, ESQ. A Professional Corporation 15 Attorney for Plaintiff P. O. Box 151105 16 Ely, Nevada, 8931 17 300 FEO 26 AM 10 55 18 FATRMAN, ESQ. 19 20 This document to which this certificate is stouched is a full, true and correct copy of the original, on file and record in the County Clerks Office, Piaches Newsda. day of \Con Arg

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