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PROOF OF LABOR ON UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS

STATE OF IDAHO))ss.)	NEVADA
County of Kootenai		ARROWHEAD

Before me, the subscriber, personally appeared Paul E. Hyde, Manager of Lands for Hecla Mining Company, who being first duly sworn says, that in excess of \$3,700 worth of work on improvements were performed or made upon the 37 unpatented claims.

That Hecla Mining Company is the lessee of a contiguous group of unpatented claims which are located in Section 28, of Township 9 North, Range 23 East, M.D.B.M., and recorded in Douglas County, Nevada, and are owned by Barium Products & Mining Company whose address is P.O. Box 50300, Reno, Nevada 89513. Hecla Mining Company is the owner of additional contiguous claims.

The said claims are listed on the attached Exhibit "A."

That such expenditure was made by Hecla Mining Company for the benefit of Hecla Mining Company, lessee, and Barium Products & Mining Company, owner of said claims, for the purpose of holding said claims; all stakes, monuments or trees marking boundaries of said claims are in proper place and position.

That said agent caused to be done and performed the assessment work thereon required by law to be done upon said claims for the year ending at noon on September 1, 1990.

That said claims are held by Hecla Mining Company for the valuable mineral contained therein.

That the character or type of such work and the amount thereof was geologic mapping, geochemical sampling and assaying and property evaluation at a cost in excess of \$3,700.

That such work was done in January, February, March, April and August of 1990.

That said work was performed by Donald Strachan, consulting geologist of Hawthorne, Nevada, Tom Temkin, geologist from Reno, Nevada, and employees of Hecla Mining Company.

Paul E. Hyde, Manager of Lands

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of kept, 1990.

Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho, residing at Tast July,

My commission expires 4-18-91

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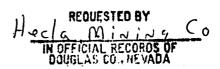
EXHIBIT "A"

The following described unpatented lode mining claims situated in Section 28, Township 9 North, Range 23 East, M.D.B.M., Douglas County, Nevada, the location certificates of which are recorded in the Recorder's Office of Douglas County, Nevada, at the book and page numbers appearing opposite the claim names set forth below and which are also recorded in the Office of the Bureau of Land Management in Reno, Nevada, under the BLM serial numbers appearing opposite the claim names as follows:

Claim Name	Book	<u>Page</u>	NMC Number
SKY HI SKY HI #1			216337 216338
SKY HI #2			216339
SKY HI #3 - 16	282	685 - 698	233671 - 233684
SKY HI #51	282	699	233685
SKY HI #52 - 54	282	700 - 702	233686233688
SKY HI #56	282	703	233689
SKY HI #76	282	704	233690
SKY HI #77	282	705	233691
SKY HI #80 - 82	282	706 - 708	233692 - 233694
PIRI #1		/	280086
PIRI #4			280087
PIRI #11 - 15			280088 - 280092
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BJ #1	583	2168	275230
BJ #2	583	2170	275231

Total 37 Claims





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