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## AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE FEES AND OF INTENTION TO HOLD THE GOLD BUG MINING CLAIMS

STATE OF NEVADA	)
	) ss.
COUNTY OF WAHSOE	)

The undersigned Affiant, being of lawful age and first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, states as follows:

- 1. Affiant is the agent of Nevada Horizon Resources Inc., the owner or claimant ("Owner") of the unpatented lode mining claims more particularly described in the list set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by this reference (the "Claims") and is duly authorized to execute this Affidavit.
  - 2. The address of Owner is:

Nevada Horizon Resources Inc. P.O. Box 50129 Sparks, Nevada 89435-0129

- 3. The names of the Claims, the United States Bureau of Land Management ("BLM") Serial Numbers for the Claims, and the recording information for the Claims in the records of the County of Douglas, State of Nevada, are more particularly set forth as follows and listed in Exhibit A hereto. The Gold Bug Claim 1, 2, and 3 certificates of location are recorded in Douglas County Book 1297, pages 3847-49, documents #428820, 428821, and 428822. The location map is recorded at page 3854, document #428827. The Gold Bug Claims 1, 2 and 3 NMC numbers are 782947, 782948, and 782949.
- 4. Owner has paid to the BLM, on or before September 1, 2001, a maintenance fee in the amount of \$100 for each Claim, pursuant to 30 U.S.C.A. § 28f (a) (the "Act"). Such payment was made to hold the Claims for the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2002, as required by the Act. The maintenance fees are in lieu of the performance of annual assessment work and the recording of an affidavit of labor under Section 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and 43 CFR 3833.2.
- 5. By such payment, by Owner's compliance with applicable federal and state mining laws and regulations, and by this Affidavit, Owner hereby expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2002.
- 6. By this affidavit, Owner, in accordance with Nevada state law, also expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2000 and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2001. Owner further expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2001 and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2002.

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Affiant executes this Affidavit on the  $13^{fl}$  day of August, 2001. 7.

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**NEVADA HORIZON RESOURCES INC.** 

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Steven M. Green, as agent and on behalf Of Owner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 13th

day of August, 2001.



KAREN CORRELL Notary Public - State of Nevada

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## **Exhibit A**

Claim Name	County Book #	County Doc#	BLM Serial#
Gold Bug 1	1297	428820	782947
Gold Bug 2	"	428821	782948
Gold Bug 3	и	428822	782949

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