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## AFFIDAVIT OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENT WORK

STATE OF WashingtonCounty of Skamania

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I, Verdeen L. Lexabeing duly sworn, say that at least \$200.00 (Two Hundred)dollars' worth, and 3 man days, of work and labor were performed upon the following mining claims:

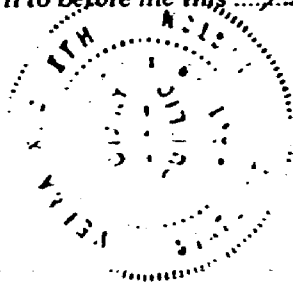
NAME OF CLAIM

Commonwealth Mine # 1Commonwealth Mine #2BLM RECORDS  
FOR LOCATION  
Serial No.2739 (Wash)2740 (Wash)COODY OF  
RECORD FOR LOCATION  
BOOKmm706707in St. HelensMining District, County of SkamaniaState of Washington, between July 1, 1986, and July 31, 1986,for the year ending September 1, 1986 \*Such expenditure was made by or at the expense of Verdeen L. Lexa (owner)owner (or one of the owners) of said claim<sup>s</sup>, for the purpose of  
complying with the law and holding said claim<sup>s</sup>, and was made upon the on the above named claimsclaim<sup>s</sup> and consisted Vertical and Horizontal  
shaft/tunnel exploration. Securing Ore samples. Sluicing.Verdeen L. Lexa

\* Federal law requires that not less than \$100 worth of labor must be performed or improvements made on a mining claim annually to hold the possessory right to the claim. The period within which the work is required to be done commences at 12:00 o'clock Meridian on the first day of September succeeding the date of location of the claim.

The applicable state law should be examined to determine all requirements for an Affidavit of Proof of Labor or Improvements and the time allowed for filing affidavits since requirements and time vary from state to state.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: A mining claim is deemed abandoned under 43 U.S. Code Sec. 1744 unless a copy of the official record of an affidavit of assessment work performed, a notice of intention to hold a mining claim, or a detailed report under 30 U.S. Code Sec. 28.1 is also filed annually for recordation with the state office of the Bureau of Land Management in the state where the claim is situated on or before December 30th of each year following the calendar year in which the claim was located. Because BLM recordation regulations change periodically, you should obtain recordation regulations from your local BLM office to determine effective requirements for mining claims. Additional regulations of the BLM and Forest Service may apply to the conducting of mining operations on national forest and BLM administered lands.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1986.Registered EIndexed, Dir. EIndirect EFilmed EMailed EVerdeen L. LexaNotary Public for Klickitat County  
My commission expires 3/1/89