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IN THE ST. HELENS MINING DISTRICT, SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Jess E. Minium, Jr., P.O. Box 120, Kelso, Washington, 98626, claimant and as Attorney for Verde Mining Co., Inc., a Washington Corporation, hereby declares and gives notice of his and their intention to hold and to resume mining operations on the ~~below~~ ^{ATTACHED LIST} described mining claims. These claims are further described in that certain mining deed between Polar Star Mining Company, as grantor, and Verde Mining Co. Inc., recorded previously in Book 51 page 21 and Book "L" page 119, records of Skamania County, Washington, and by this reference incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

These claims were located in the late 1800's and early 1900's. They have been held continuously by ourselves and our predecessor's in interest, since location and the claims are held by ourselves as valuable for the minerals contained theron.

We intend to continue to possess the claims and to continue to develop the claims.

Annual assessment work has not been done in 1980 because of the volcanic eruption of Mt. St. Helens.

DATED: October 15, 1980.

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