

PROPERTY NAME: Turquoise Prospect unnamed

OTHER NAMES:

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Turquoise and Barite(?)

TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Turquoise as nodules along bedding planes

ACCESSIBILITY: None for several years

OWNERSHIP:

PRODUCTION: Unknown

### HISTORY:

County: Lander *Item 16*

County. None

Mining District:

AMS Sheet: Winnemucca

AMS Sheet: The Cedars 15'  
Quad Sheet:

Sec. 34, T 26N, R 44E

Coordinate (UTM): SEE BELOW

North  m

East  m

Zone

DEVELOPMENT: Two very large 100 yards square areas have been bulldozed.

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None.

GEOLGY: The two large bulldozed areas have exposed turquoise as nodules along vugs and open spaces in silicified bedding planes. The sample was taken along bedding planes, fractures, where the turquoise seems to accumulate with silica, some clays and other unidentified minerals. The host rocks are black thin bedded shale and chert of the Valemy Formation that strongly folded and faulted.

REMARKS: Additional scraping in the Slaven Chert may have been from barite prospecting because I did not see any turquoise.

Staking north of Placer Gulch covers approximately 5 square miles and includes miles of roads and many drill pads all of which were drilled. The activity seem's to be several years old.

The unnamed Prospect #2 has been enlarged by dozing into a shaley lakebed sequence I'm not sure what they were after but they seemed to be following a hydrothermal...system which I sampled 689, Photo 17 and 18.

Sampled 688	location	North	4436700
		East	0499180
		Zone	11

<del>REMARKS</del>	Sample 699 location	North	4437020
		East	0500920
		Zone	11

#### REFERENCES:

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