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PROPERTY NAME: Snowstorm Mine

OTHER NAMES: _____

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Ag, PbTYPE OF DEPOSIT: Vein, shear zone

ACCESSIBILITY: _____

OWNERSHIP: _____

PRODUCTION: Est 1500 tons Ag-Pb oreHISTORY: Silver-lead ore discovered in 1906Snowstorm mining Co. worked 1927-28, Some work up to 1938.County: LanderMining District: North Battle Mt.AMS Sheet: WinnemuccaQuad Sheet: Battle Mountain 15'Sec. 25, T 33N, R 45E

Coordinate (UTM):

North	4	5	0	6	4	2	0	m
East	0	5	1	1	2	5	0	m
Zone	+11							

DEVELOPMENT: Shafts, stopes caving to surfaces, remains of old gravity mill.ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None, property drilled in las few years (rotary holes)

GEOLOGY: N20°W, flat-dipping shear zone in thin-bedded chert, shale (Western - facies Paleozoic), some quartz veining, some barite(?) cementing breccia along shear zones. Pods of gossan, hemimorphite x/s seen in one area. Are workings on E-W striking 20°S dipping shear zone, gossan on frac surfaces, CuOx clots, some pyrite. Appear to be several parallel (E-W) shear zones on ridge E & W of old mine, drilling has explored these(?)

Sample 556Photos.

REMARKS: Barite deposit now being expolited on slope northeast of the old mine, Snowstorm mine is probably now within the barite mining Co. claims.

REFERENCES: NBMG Bull. 88, 1977, p. 89-90EXAMINER: J.V. TingleyDATE VISITED: 8/29/82