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PERMITS AND NOTICES
PAIUTE PROJECT BMC1869

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BRISTLECONE MINING CO.

2525 Sharon Way; Reno, NV 89509; (702) 826-2838

March 18, 1988

N36-84-040N

Bureau of Land Management
Carson City District Office
1535 Hot Springs Road
Carson City, NV 89701

Dear Sirs:

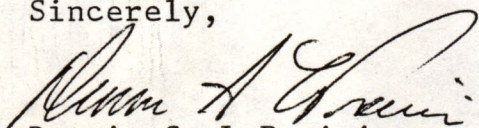
Pursuant to 43 CFR 3809.1-3, Bristlecone Mining Company wishes to submit this Notice of disturbance of 5 acres or less for the Paiute Project in Washoe County, Nevada.

The mining claims on which the disturbance will take place are as follows;

Name	BLM Serial #
Paiute #69	NMC 221379
Paiute #70	NMC 221380
Paiute #71	NMC 221381
Paiute #72	NMC 221382

The proposed activity will consist of approximately 1,000 feet of NQ Core Drilling. The equipment used for this activity will consist of a skid mounted diamond drill rig provided by Coates Drilling of Carson City, Nevada. Existing access routes will be used and no new access routes are envisioned. The location of the proposed drill site is shown on the enclosed map. The activity will commence following timely approval of this Notice.

Sincerely,



Dennis S. LaPrairie
encl.



United States Department of the Interior
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
CARSON CITY DISTRICT OFFICE
1535 Hot Springs Rd., Ste. 300
Carson City, NV 89706-0638



IN REPLY REFER TO:

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N36-84-040N
(NV-03480)

Mr. Dennis S. LaPrairie
Bristlecone Mining Co.
2525 Sharon Way
Reno, NV 89509

OCT 31 1990

Dear Mr. LaPrairie:

In accordance with the surface management regulations (43 CFR 3809), we recently inspected Bristlecone Mining Company's Paiute project in Washoe County, Nevada. This operation was conducted under Notice N36-84-040N, a copy of which is enclosed for your reference.

During our inspection, we observed that the 1989 roads and dozer cuts had been constructed both in the wash, as proposed, and on the steep slopes on both sides of the wash. We could not locate any drill holes on these new roads, but noted that older drill holes on the property remain unplugged.

The disturbances on steep terrain, including older roads constructed by Denison, lack erosion control measures and have already begun to erode. Slope stability problems and further soil loss are likely to result unless interim reclamation (waterbars, outslowing the road bed) is begun.

We are therefore requesting a status report for operations conducted under Notice N36-84-040N. In the report, to be submitted to this office within 30 days of receipt of this letter, please describe the current status of the project, as well as your plans to counter further erosion on the site.

Questions about this matter may be directed to Ron Moore or Craig McCaa of my staff at (702) 885-6000. If it would be helpful, we can make arrangements to meet with you on the property.

FAX TRANSMITTAL

DATE 11/15/90

TO: Colin Marshall

FAX # 416-365-7369

FROM: Dennis

PHONE # 202-826-2838

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Sincerely yours,

James M. Phillips
Area Manager
Lahontan Resource Area

Enclosure:
Notice

BRISTLECONE MINING CO.

2525 Sharon Way, Reno, NV 89509; (702) 826-2838

January 30, 1991

Mr. Ron Moore
Bureau of Land Management
Carson City District Office
1535 Hot Springs Road
Carson City, NV 89701

Re: Bristlecone Mining Company Ownership

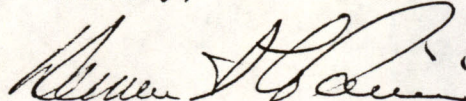
Dear Ron:

As we discussed during our site visit to the Paiute Claims (NMC 221323 through NMC 221401) which are being explored under a Notice of Disturbance (#N36-84-040N(A2)), Bristlecone Mining Company has changed ownership. Bristlecone Mining Company is now a 95% owned subsidiary of Golden Zone Resources Inc., a publicly owned company traded on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. As of January 25, 1990, the new President of Bristlecone Mining Co. is Grant Hagestad and the new Secretary/Treasurer is Les Phillips. The new address for Bristlecone Mining is:

Bristlecone Mining Co.
3001 S. Winchester Blvd., Suite 12
Campbell, California 95008

Any questions you have concerning future plans for the Paiute Claims should be directed to Grant Hagestad at the above address.

Sincerely,


Dennis S. LaPrairie



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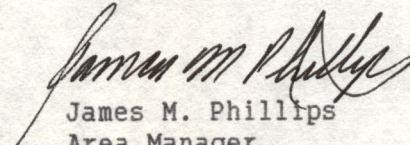
Mr. Dennis S. LaPrairie
Bristlecone Mining Co.
2525 Sharon Way
Reno, Nevada 89509

Dear Mr. LaPrairie:

Thank you for your amendment to Notice No. N36-88-019N submitted in relation to the surface management regulations (43 CFR 3809). We received this document in our office on July 19, 1989.

Your Amendment is in order and complete. We have enclosed general reclamation guidelines to assist you in complying with the surface management regulations. If you have questions, or desire assistance, please contact my staff geologist, Ron Moore. He may be reached at 702-885-6155. Please notify this office when your operations have been completed so that an inspection of the area can be conducted.

Sincerely yours,


James M. Phillips
Area Manager
Lahontan Resource Area

Enclosure:
Guidelines

GENERAL GUIDELINES
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RECLAMATION

A. ACCESS/DRILL ROADS

1. Keep to minimum width needed for safe operations. Grade should not exceed 30%. In steep terrain, track-mounted drill rigs should be considered as an alternative to road construction.
2. Follow the natural terrain where practicable to minimize cut and fill.
3. Stay in dry drainage bottoms as much as possible especially if roads are to be abandoned.
4. Roads that have a grade of less than 6% should be ripped to promote moisture infiltration and revegetation.
5. Roads that have a grade of greater than 6% should be ripped and properly waterbarred (see attached).

B. DRILL SITES

1. Drill in roadways where possible. Self-leveling drill rigs should be considered for steep terrain.
2. All drill holes should be plugged with either cement or a mechanical device at least 5 feet below the surface. Drill cuttings will be disposed of down-hole and leveled with the surface.
3. Drill pads should be regraded to approximately match the natural contour. When pads require a cut and fill construction, the operator may be required to "pull" cast material upslope to aid in recontouring. Topsoil should be saved and spread following recontouring.

C. TRENCHES/PITS

All trenches and pits should be backfilled and recontoured upon completion of sampling and/or mapping. Excavations required to show mineralization may be left open temporarily. Trenches and pits should be constructed so they do not pose a hazard to humans or livestock. Fencing may be required.

D. SEEDING

Seeding requirements are based on a variety of factors including precipitation, type of soils, aspect and slope. Generally, if annual precipitation is less than 8 inches, seeding will not be required. When seeding is required, the District will make recommendations on a case-by-case basis.

Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council

Post Office Box 256

Nixon, Nevada 89424

Telephone: (702) 574-0140, 786-5626

June 6, 1989

Dennis S. LaPrairie
Bristlecone Mining Co.
2525 Sharon Way
Reno, NV 89509

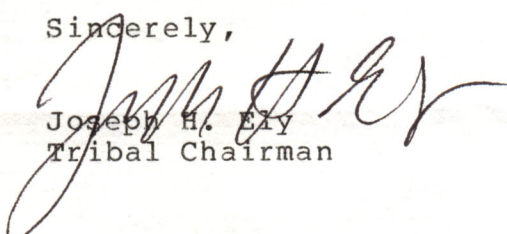
Dear. Mr. LaPrairie:

In reference to your access needed to your mining claims in the Big Mouth Canyon, I presented your request to the Tribal Council at a meeting held June 2, 1989.

I discussed with the Council the road you requested to use for access to the mines and the areas needed to load and unload equipment. After discussing, the Tribal Council approved your request for permission to use the road and the areas indicated for equipment loading/unloading. The Council understands access of the road would entail no more than four vehicle trips per day for approximately a two week period. Should use heavily increase or necessary maintenance be required, please contact me prior to.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 786-5626.

Sincerely,


Joseph H. Ely
Tribal Chairman

JHE:ch
cc: file

BMC LETTERHEAD

July 17, 1989

Mr. Ron Moore
Bureau of Land Management
Carson City District Office
1535 Hot Springs Road
Carson City, NV 89701

Re: N36-84-040N

Dear Ron:

In reference to our telephone conversation today, please find enclosed a map showing the route for our proposed drill road on the Paiute project in Washoe County.

If you wish to make a site visit to assess alternate routing for the road, feel free to call me and we can arrange a meeting.

Reclamation of all areas disturbed during our exploration program on this property will be completed to the standard described in Section 3809.1-3(d) of 43 CFR.

When this reclamation has been completed, except to the extent necessary to preserve evidence of mineralization, you will be notified so that an inspection may be made of the area.

Sincerely,

Dennis S. LaPrairie

BRISTLECONE MINING CO.

2525 Sharon Way; Reno, NV 89509; (702) 826-2838

May 1st, 1988

Mr. Joe Ely
Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe
P.O. Box 256
Nixon, Nevada 89424

Dear Mr. Ely;

Thank you for returning my call today concerning access to our mining claims in Big Mouth canyon. As we discussed, we have acquired a group of unpatented claims from Denison Mines who shut down their U.S. operations about two years ago.

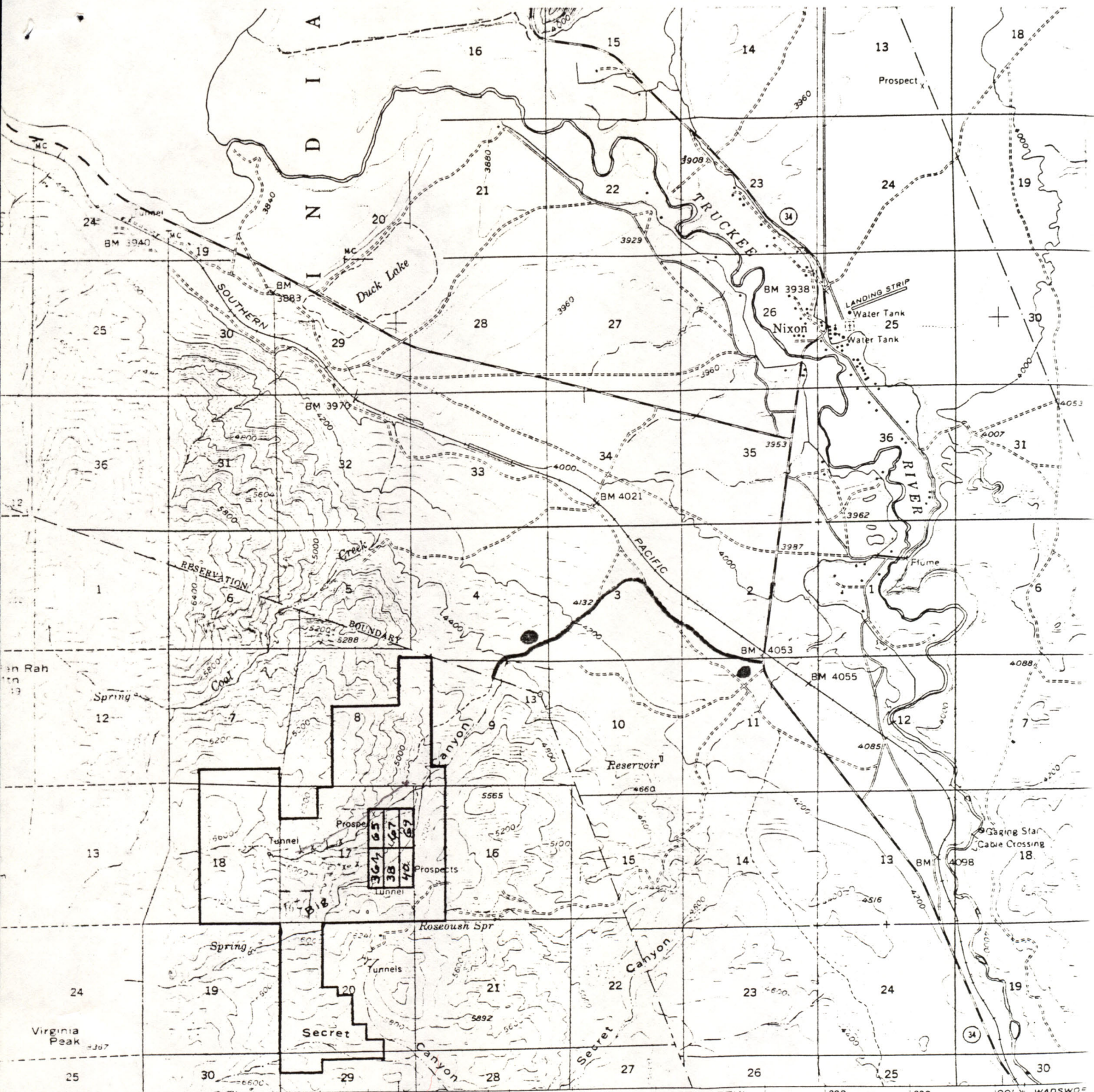
Enclosed is a map showing the road which we wish to use for access to the claims from Highway 34. This road is not currently maintained and our use will be minimal. I have also noted on the map, with red circles, two areas where we would like to have permission for loading and unloading equipment. These areas were used by the previous owners for unloading the drill rig which they had contracted.

If you will grant us permission for access and use of this road we will indemnify and hold the Tribe harmless from any claims, demands or liabilities arising out of our use of the road and assume full responsibility for our use of the road.

Our work program for this year is for road construction to some of the old underground workings in the center of the property. This would entail no more than four vehicle trips per day for a period of approximately two weeks. In the event we step up operations and need heavier use of the road, we will contact you first to obtain permission for increased use and any necessary maintenance.

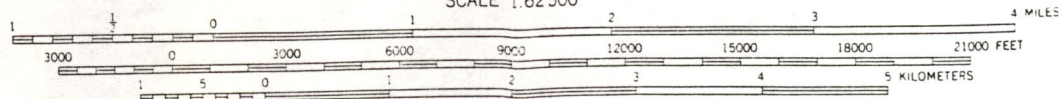
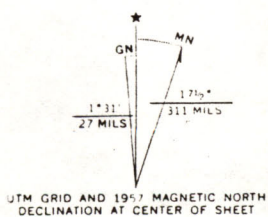
Sincerely,

Dennis S. LaPrairie



U.S. Geological Survey

Map projection methods
 and datum
 used in this map
 are as follows:
 UTM GRID AND 1947 MAGNETIC NORTH
 DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET



CONTOUR INTERVAL 40 FEET
 DOTTED LINES REPRESENT 20 FOOT CONTOURS
 DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS
 FOR SALE BY U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, DENVER 25, COLORADO OR WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
 A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

BRISTLECONE MINING CO.

2525 Sharon Way; Reno, NV 89509; (702) 826-2838

April 4, 1988

Bureau of Land Management
Carson City District Office
1535 Hot Springs Road
Carson City, NV 89701

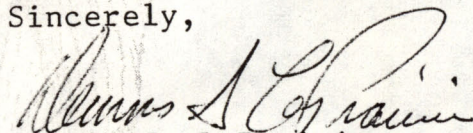
Dear Sirs:

In reply to your letter of March 31, 1988 regarding our Notice #N36-84-040N, the following statement should complete this Notice.

Reclamation of all areas disturbed during our exploration program on this property will be completed to the standard described in Section 3809.1-3(d) of 43 CFR.

When this reclamation has been completed, except to the extent necessary to preserve evidence of mineralization, you will be notified so that an inspection may be made of the area.

Sincerely,


Dennis S. LaPrairie



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MAR 31 1988

Mr. Dennis S. LaPrairie
Bristlecone Mining Company
2525 Sharon Way
Reno, NV 89509

Dear Mr. LaPrairie:

Thank you for your Notice submitted in relation to the Surface Management Regulations (43 CFR 3809). We received this document in the office on March 21, 1988.

Your Notice is incomplete and cannot be processed until we receive the following information:

A statement that reclamation of all areas disturbed will be completed to the standard described in Section 3809.1-3(d) of this title and that reasonable measures will be taken to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of the federal lands during operations.

This information must be received 15 days prior to occupying the lands.

Sincerely yours,

James M. Phillips
Area Manager
Lahontan Resource Area

BRISTLECONE MINING CO.

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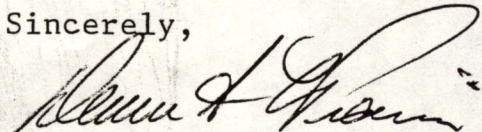
March 21, 1988

Bureau of Land Management
Carson City District Office
1535 Hot Springs Road
Carson City, NV 89701

Dear Sirs:

As a follow up to my letter of March 18, 1988, I have been informed that there is a current file number for our Paiute project in Washoe County. We hold this property under an option agreement with Denison Mines U.S. Inc. who conducted a drilling program in 1984 under their notice #N36-84-040N. I have enclosed a copy of the Memorandum of Agreement under which responsibility for this project has been transferred to Bristlecone Mining Co. I will reference all further correspondence on this project to the existing file number unless otherwise notified.

Sincerely,



Dennis S. LaPrairie
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