

AFFIDAVIT OF GEORGE F. ROBINSON

STATE OF ALASKA)
) ss
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

I, GEORGE F. ROBINSON, being first sworn on oath, depose and say:

1. That I am an adult Alaska resident;
2. That I have personal knowledge of the facts presented in this case;
3. That I am the current or past owner of the 40 claims which are the subject of this appeal;
4. That I purchased these claims in 1952 and have worked these claims since that time until the recent purchases or leases;
5. That when I purchased these claims, the prior owners told me that they did not have the original location notices;
6. That in my examinations of mining records since then, I have never found any location notices for these claims;
7. That since I have owned the claims, I have filed affidavits of annual labor for each required year;
8. That I am now retired and that my income from these claims whether from sale or lease comprises almost the sole source of my retirement income;
9. That it would be basically total devastation for me

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if these claims were to be decalred void as they are my only regular source of income;

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

DATED at Chicken, Alaska, this 29th day of September, 1986.

George F. Robinson
George F. Robinson

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 29th day of September, 1986.



W. Dean Hutchinson
Notary Public State of Alaska
My commission expires: Postmaster-Indef

AFFIDAVIT OF DIANNE M. JENKINS

STATE OF ALASKA)
) ss
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

I, DIANNE M. JENKINS, being first sworn on oath, depose and say:

1. That I am an adult Alaska resident;
2. That I have personal knowledge of the facts presented in this case;
3. That I am the business associate of Garland H. Achman, and am regularly responsible for doing the paperwork, research, filings etc., for transactions involving his business holdings such as the 25 claims he leased on Jack Wade Creek;
4. That before entering into the lease with George F. Robinson, I researched to the best of my ability the old records available and was unable to find the original location notices for these claims;
5. That as part of my research before entering into the lease, I went to ELM in Fairbanks and checked their records regarding the 25 claims we hoped to lease;
6. That an examination of those records revealed that Mr. Robinson had filed in 1979 as required by FPLMA, and that affidavits of annual labor had been filed timely each year since;

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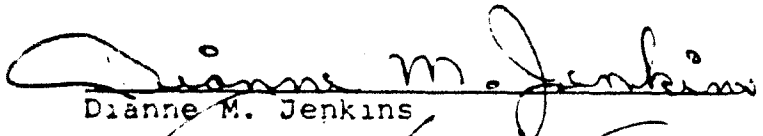
7. That further examination of the records revealed a notation made by a BLM staff person that the land status and filings were "OK";

8. That my associate relied upon this information regarding the claims status when deciding to enter into a long term lease with Mr. Robinson for 25 claims;

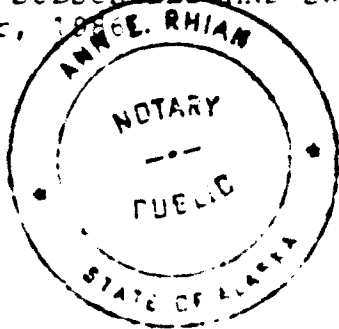
9. That since obtaining the claims, Mr. Achman has expended many thousands of dollars and 3 years of full-time time and effort in making those claims a viable mining operation as they were for Mr. Robinson.

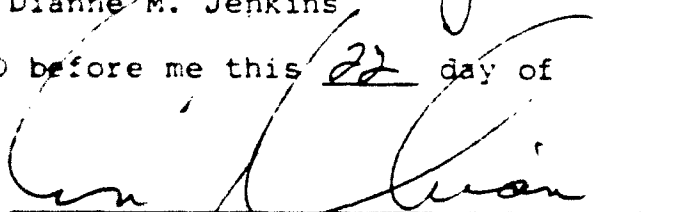
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

DATED at Fairbanks, Alaska, this 22 day of September, 1986.


Dianne M. Jenkins

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 22 day of September, 1986.




Notary Public State of Alaska
My commission expires: 4/12/90