Permit No. 83505

THE STATE OF NEVADA

PERMIT TO CHANGE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

Name of Permittee:	**HOMESTAKE MINING COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA**
Source:	**UNDERGROUND (PW-17)**
Basin:	**DIAMOND VALLEY**
Manner of Use:	**MINING, MILLING, AND DEWATERING**
Period of Use:	**JANUARY 1ST THROUGH DECEMBER 31ST**
Priority Date:	**02/22/1965**

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APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit, to change the point of diversion of the waters of an underground source as heretofore granted under Permit 77450, is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 77450, and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. This well shall be equipped with a two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water and a totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of the water begins or before the proof of completion of work is filed. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

The permittee shall keep monthly records of the amount of water pumped from this well and the records must be submitted to the State Engineer on an annual basis within 30 days after the end of each calendar year.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands. The total combined duty of water under Permits 73204, 77447, 77448, 77449, 79705, 79706, 79707, 80797, 80799, 81229, 81230, 81612, 81653, 83501, 83502, 83503, 83504, 83505, 83506 and 83507 shall not exceed 2,111.252 acre-feet annually. However, initially only the net consumptive use amount of 1,944.4 acre-feet can be used. Additional diversion up to the total 2,111.252 acre-feet may be granted if it can be shown that the additional diversion will not cause the consumptive use of 1,944.4 acre-feet to be exceeded.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

The point of diversion and place of use are as described on the submitted application to support this permit.

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, **and not to exceed 0.782 cubic feet per second or 185.6 acre-feet annually.**

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before: **June 11 2015**

Water must be placed to beneficial use and proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before: **June 11 2017**

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before: **N/A**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, JASON KING, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 11th day of **June, 2014**

P.E.

State Engineer

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office FEB 03 2014

Returned to applicant for correction

Corrected application filed Map filed Mar 9 2012 under 81652T

The applicant Homestake Mining Company of California

P.O. Box 676 (Street Address or PO Box) of Eureka (City or Town)

Nevada 89316 (State and ZIP Code) hereby make(s) application for permission to change the

☑ Point of diversion ☐ Place of use ☐ Manner of use ☐ of a portion

of water heretofore appropriated under (Identify existing rights by Permit, Certificate, Proof or Claim Nos. If Decreed, give title of Decree and identify right in Decree.)

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1. The source of water is underground (Well PW-17)
   Name of stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.

2. The amount of water to be changed 0.782 c.f.s., not to exceed 185.6 acre feet annually
   Second feet, acre-feet. One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.

3. The water to be used for mining, milling and dewatering
   Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, etc. If for stock, state number and kind of animals. Must limit to one major use

4. The water heretofore used for mining, milling and dewatering
   If for stock, state number and kind of animals.

5. The water is to be diverted at the following point (Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey and by course and distance to a found section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.)
   Within the NE1/4 NE1/4 Section 15, T.19N., R.53E., M.D.M., or at a point from which the NW Corner of Section 10, T.19N., R.53E., M.D.M. bears N. 40°12' W. a distance of 8,076 feet. (Well PW-17, revised location.)
   Refer to the map supporting Application No. 81652T.

6. The existing point of diversion is located within (If point of diversion is not changed, do not answer.)
   the NW1/4 SW1/4 Section 11, T.19N., R.53E., M.D.M. or at a point from which the NE corner of said Section 11 bears N. 55°15' 02" E. a distance of 5,495 feet. (Well PW-8.)
   Refer to the map supporting Application No. 77442T.

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7. Proposed place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If for irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated.)

The place of use has not changed.

8. Existing place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If changing place of use and/or manner of use of irrigation permit, describe acreage to be removed from irrigation.)

W1/2 of Section 2, all of Section 3, E1/2 Section 4, NE1/4 Section 9, all of Section 10, W1/2 Section 11, NW1/4 Section 14, N1/2 of Section 15, all in T.19N., R.53E., M.D.M..
Refer to the map supporting Application No. 77442T.

9. Proposed use will be from January 1 (Month and Day) to December 31 (Month and Day) of each year.

10. Existing use permitted from January 1 (Month and Day) to December 31 (Month and Day) of each year.

11. Description of proposed works. (Under the provision of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) (State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e., diversion structure, ditches, pipes and flumes or drilled well, pump and motor, etc.)

An existing drilled and cased well, 1820 feet in depth, submersible pump and motor, meter and pipeline to existing dewatering well system for the Ruby Hill Mine. See Well Log No. 115365.

12. Estimated cost of works In excess of $500,000.

13. Estimated time required to construct works Existing. Refer to Well Log 115365 and POC under 81653.
If well completed, describe well.

14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 5 years

15. Provide a detailed description of the proposed project and its water usage (use attachments if necessary): (Failure to provide a detailed description may cause a delay in processing.)

The water under this application is being relocated from Well PW-8 to Well PW-17 for dewatering operations at the Ruby Hill Mine. The water will be co-mingled with other dewatering sources permitted or under lease to Homestake for operations at the Ruby Hill Mine.

16. Miscellaneous remarks:

Please send copies of all correspondence to Bob Brock, Barrick Gold US, 293 Spruce Road, Elko, NV 89801.

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APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

Bruce R. Scott
Type or print name clearly

Signature, applicant or agent

Resource Concepts, Inc.
Company Name

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Carson City, Nevada 89703
City, State, ZIP Code

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$240 FILING FEE AND SUPPORTING MAP MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION