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Geological & Mineral Industries Division 520 N.E. E Street Grants Pass, Oregon

Gentlemen:

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Mrs. Kahn and I are the owners of the real property situated in Josephine County, described as SE4 Section 35 Twp 33S R8W, adjoining the mining operation of Barker Enterprises of Grants Pass.

We would appreciate it if you would let us have copies of any reports on the production, etc. of the old Ajax mine located on our property, and also give us the location of the nearby mineral occurrences.

If there are any other recent reopening of mines in our area, I should appreciate receiving details as to location, ownership, production, etc.

Very truly yours,

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Stephen B. Kahn

Attorney at Law (Oregon)

P.S. Should also appreciate knowing of any other sources for above information.

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Dear Mr. Kahns

We are enclosing a copy of a 1947 report on the Ajax Mine which you asked about. This report is from Bulletin 34 published by our Department and unfortunately out of print.

As nearly as we know there is no organized mining activity in that general area right now. There are mining companies exploring in southwestern Oregon from time to time and there has been some recent interest in the Almeda Mine area.

I am also enclosing a Galice geologic map which describes the geology and shows other gold occurrences and prospects in the Ajax Mine area. This map sells for \$1.50 and should you want to keep it, will you please remit.

I hope this information will be of interest to you and if we can be of further help let us know.

Sincerely yours,

N.V. Peterson District Geologist

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Encl: Galice Geo. Map (\$1.50)

Mine file report from Bull. 34

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Mr. N. V. Peterson

Mr. N. V. Peterson District Geologist Dept of Geology & Mineral Industries P O Box 417 Grants, Pass, Or. 97526

Dear Mr. Peterson:

Thank you for the 1947 report on the Ajax Mine.

As I mentioned in my letter of August 4, 1978, Barker Enterprises of Grants Pass has reopened the mine southeast of us, and has secured a permit from BLM for a r/w across SE½ Sec 35 33S 8W, and I understand he will haul several truckloads of ore a week to his stamp mill.

Should you develop any information on his mine, it might affect our interest in reopening the mine on our property, and I should appreciate any material that may become available.

 $$\rm I$ enclose my check for \$1.50 in payment of the Galice geologic map which you so kindly sent me.

Sincerely yours,

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