## CERTIFIED RECORD OF LAND CORNER MONUMENTATION

History of original corner establishment: Established by Fred Mensch, U.S. Deputy Surveyor under Group No. 6, Oregon; special instructions dated June 2, 1911, approved June 26, 1911.

DIAGRAM ጥንጸና R4E | R5E S24 S 19 S25 1983

Surveyor Mensch "set a basalt stone 15x10x6 inches, 10 inches in the ground; marked with 4 notches on north and 2 notches on south side"; from which:

LS 1071

A basalt rock 7x5x3 feet bears  $N3\frac{1}{2}$ °W, 148 links distance, marked "B O 24." "The Lookout" bears S581/4° W.

## Description of corner evidence found:

Found a basalt stone 10 inches x 10 inches x 6 inches, firmly set with a portion of the stone broken off. A small portion of a carved "X" is visible on the top of the stone. No other marks visible; from which:

A basalt stone 2.5 feet x 2.5 feet x 1.75 feet bears NO4°19'W, 108.70 feet distance; no marks visible on stone.

(See attached affidavit.)

## Description of monument and accessories I established to perpetuate the original location of this corner:

At the point marked by the recovered original stone, I set a 21/2-inch diameter, 30-inch long galvanized iron post with a  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter brass cap marked as shown in corner diagram. Monument projects 12-inches above ground in a mound of stone. Buried original stone along side.

I mark the following references:

A 7-inch diameter fir bears N38° 15'W, 25.50 feet distance, scribed "T38S R4E S24 LS 1071 BT."

An 11-inch diameter fir bears S79°59'W, 82.70 feet distance, scribed T38S R4E S25 LS 1071 BT."

September 15, 1983

Witnesses:

Gary Hofmaster Stephan Barott Phil Colvard

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## AFFIDAVIT

I, Thomas L. Newcomb, of Medford, Oregon, do hereby acknowledge that I am a surveying technician employed by the Rogue River National Forest, Medford, Oregon. I specialize in property corner search activities for the Forest, and I have 19 years experience in searching for evidence of Government corners.

I hereby state that, while searching corners for the Forest Service in April 1973, I found the following evidence of the section corner common to Sections 24 and 25, T. 38 S., R. 4 E., W.M.:

A basalt stone 10-inches  $\times$  10-inches  $\times$  6-inches, firmly set, with an "X" clearly chiseled in the top of the stone.

I believe this to be the original corner stone as set by U.S. Deputy Surveyor Fred Mensch in 1911. As of 1973, I had had 9 years experience searching Government corners. During that time I searched for and recovered approximately 55 to 60 corner stones established by Surveyor Mensch, and I have found that most of the section corner stones set by him were marked with an "X" rather than with notches or grooves as are generally reported in the record.

In June 1983 I again visited the corner position and found the same basalt stone, firmly set, with a piece of the stone broken off. However, a small portion of the chiseled "X" is clearly visible on the remaining portion of the stone. This stone is the same one I recovered in April 1973, and marks the corner of Sections 24 and 25.

I make this statement openly and freely before the witness and the Notory Public signing and attesting to same this  $19^{12}$  day of October, 1983.

RANDALL M. ZANON, Witness

THOMAS L. NEWCOMB, Testifier

I, Jerry R. Swanson, a Notary Public for the State of Oregon, do hereby certify that Thomas L. Newcomb, of Medford, Oregon, did acknowledge to me that he is the individual stated herein and that he makes this statement openly and freely.

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My COMMISSION EXPIRES 7-30-81

JERRY A. SWANSON, Notory Public

My commission expires 7-30-81

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