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RE: Marie Claims (82M/3W)

I was informed by Mr. Gordon White that Mr. Paquette of Chase, B.C., telephoned himin the week of June 17th, 1974. Mr. Paquette had previously been in telephone conversation with Mr. Nimsick regarding Government acquisition or financing of work on the Marje claims. Mr. Nimsick told Mr. Paquette to contact Gordon White and to arrange for him to examine and report on Paquettes' Marje claims. The attached Report is the result of Whites' examination of the ground on June 24th, 1974.

Whites' conclusion is that the value of the limestone is too low to justify risking the costs of exploration, development, quarrying, promoting, and selling the ultimate commodity. He recommends that no work be done on the claims.

Stuart S. Holland, Chief Geologist, Geological Divs., Mineral Resources Branch

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