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**BRITISH COLUMBIA
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY**

Memo To: File
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Subject: Ashgrove Cement

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Notes on a telephone conversation:

- The company conducted minor exploration programmes in 1992 and 1993.
- They consisted of 200 - 300 foot reverse circulation holes around the pit.
- Chips were sampled every 10 feet. They were tested for sulphur, pyrite, Magnesium content.
- Generally the magnesium content is towards the top of the section. It is somewhat erratically distributed.
- Generally, pure calcium limestone is at the base.
- The quarry has increased production somewhat. It produced 1.3 million tonnes in 1993.
- It produced 800,000 tonnes of cement grade, 300,000 tonnes of chemical grade, 150,000 of agricultural grade limestone.
- It also produced 200,000 tonnes of aggregate.

Robert