ECSTALL RIVER REGIONAL PROJECT

PROJECT:

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LOCATION:

West Central British Columbia

South of Prince Rupert

ACCESS:

Helicopter and/or Fixed-wing

HOLDINGS:

16 claims totalling 297 units, 7425 hectares

1834 acres = 458 Ont. Claims

JOINT VENTURE

PARTNERS:

Welcome North, Esperanza Exploration, Active Mineral Explorations and E & B

Explorations Inc.

SYNOPSIS:

low relief broad access The (Ecstall River) belt of mid-Paleozoic metasedimentary and volcanic rocks is one of a number of roof remnants present as narrow, elongate, steeply dipping belts within the Coast Intrusions. Three (3) such remnants including the Ecstall River, Anyox and Britannia contained several million tonnes of volcanogenic massive sulphide ore with important copper and zinc content and minor values in silver and gold.

The Ecstall River remnant is approximately 40 miles long and within it, four massive sulphide deposits have been discovered The largest is the Kidd Creek Mining's deposit which contains approximately eight million tonnes of pyrite with 2.3% Zn, 0.8% Cu, 0.70 oz./T Ag and 0.02 oz/T Au.

A large block of claims currently held by the above-noted Joint Venture Partners covers similar rocks to Kidd Creek's Ecstall deposit and the somewhat smaller Packsack pyrite deposit held by other interests. In addition, the claims contain the untested Horsefly deposit from which representative samples of massive pyrite assayed 4.5% Zn, 0.3% Cu and 1.5 ox/T Ag.

As a result of the 1981 exploration program, which included airborne geophysics, geochemistry, mapping and prospecting, four target areas, including the Horsefly have been established.

Further evaluation of these targets by ground geophysics and geochemistry is required in order to define suitable drill targets. The cost of such a program is estimated at \$ 250,000.00.



