

PROGRESS REPORT

AMAI INLET GOLD PROPERTY

ALBERNI MINING DIVISION

AUGUST 13, 1973

New Jericho Consolidated Mines Ltd.

PROPERTY SCHEDULE:

AU 1-6 inclusive Record 6744 - 6749
Assessment date: October 7th

AU 7-10 inclusive Record 18247-18250
Assessment date: August 11th

UOI 1-4 inclusive Record 4382-4385
Assessment date: June 24

The AU 1-10 are in good standing to 1975

The UOI 1-4 are in good standing to 1976

LOCATION:

Latitude: 50°01'N
Longitude: 127°05'W

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Property lies 3 miles southwest of Amai Inlet,
in Kyuquot Sound in the northwest part of
Vancouver Island.

OWNERSHIP:

The subject mineral claims are owned
by Mr. Adam Thomson and are under option
agreement with New Jericho Consolidated Mines
Ltd. of Vancouver, B. C.

FIELDWORK 1973:

Established base camp at Inlet
Established field camp at main workings.
Sampling of main workings, tracing of shear
zone and sampling, bulk sampling of main
workings, mapping of area, general reconnais-
ance.

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Fieldwork commenced June 22nd under direction of M. C. Tomlinson, geologist. The base camp of Mr. A. Thomson, located at the head of Amai Inlet was equipped to accomodate the field crew, a four wheel drive vehicle provided access and transportation to Zeballos for supplies, and a boat was employed to travel from the base camp to the access trail which is approximately $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the base camp.

The cabin near the main workings was rehabilitated to provide accomodation for the crew while working at the upper reaches of the shear zone. The trail leading from the logging road was cleared to the workings area.

A gas operated rock drill was employed to drill and blast a bulk sample from the main exposure to confirm assay results taken earlier. Drilling and blasting is being conducted along the strike of the main shear zone to trace the structure and to expose bedrock for the purpose of sampling to confirm the presence of mineralization along the strike of the vein system.

RESULTS OF FIELDWORK:

The main showing on the UOI 3 m.c. is in a strong shear zone in granitic intrusive (Granodiorite to quartz diorite), which has been altered, silicified, serpentine developed, and at least in part mineralized by free gold and sulphides carrying gold values. The prominent fault strikes north-south and dips near vertically and has been traced for a distance of approximately 1500 feet north. The face of the exposure when sampled across 6 feet assayed as follows:

East part of face	2'	Tr. Au
Centre part	1'	.325 oz.
West part	2'	.032 oz.

A second sample taken from the face from the more highly altered zone assayed 1.15 oz.

The face was bulk sampled to provide a more reliable test of the values. Approximately 250 lbs. of rock was taken from the exposure, and two samples were taken from this mass.

The assay results showed:

4.17 and 4.35 oz. Au

A sample was taken from the fresh face of the exposure at the strongest shear. This assayed 9.64 oz. Au per ton., while a sample taken from the wallrock adjacent to the strong shear, showing some sulphides but no visible gold, assayed 1.62 oz. Au.

Trenching is continuing along the strike of the shear zone in an endeavor to trace the mineralization from its present elevation of 1500 feet to the lower levels. The structure has been traced, and the crew are at present blasting exposures for mapping purposes.

Assessment work has been recorded to dates listed earlier.

Arrangements are being made to treat the bulk sample to determine the recovery of contained gold values.