

November 15th, 1974.

To: J.J. Crowhurst
From: W.R. Bacon
Re: ANCHOR-TAKLA

I have reviewed the geology and exploration work undertaken on the Takla Silver property and, subsequently, had a session with Harry Mitchell (681-7731).

Mitchell advises that the property, or important parts of it, was re-staked recently upon expiry of the claims as we knew them. The re-staker was a chap by the name of Lipinski of Ashcroft who is notorious, particularly in the Kamloops area - where he staked over the top of thousands of claims, including Afton, during the Afton rush a couple of years ago.

Mitchell says he can make a deal with Lipinski on two Takla claims and these claims apparently would cover the No. 1 Zone, i.e. the Main Zone on which the underground work was done and at least 90% of the diamond drilling.

Mitchell was talking about high-grading the No. 1 Zone and putting it through a mill that he would set up on the property - but he wanted our advice as to the feasibility of such a venture and what the numbers might be. I didn't discourage him but suggested that we have another session upon your return. Mitchell is in no hurry whatsoever.

There are many maps, reports, diagrams, etc., on the property and I am leaving out on your table a copy of the Jamieson-Douglas 1" = 50' surface plan on which I doodled back in 1968 - particularly with respect to the drilling. I laid out 12 surface holes, 10 of which were for the purpose of drilling the Main Zone at some considerable depth - to see if there was any improvement in size or grade. Going over the logs, I find data on 9 surface holes, logged by Gilbert and re-logged by Phendler at my request. However, on Page 3 of your report dated February 26th, 1969, I note you refer to Hole 68-S-11A so, possibly, all the 12 holes were drilled.

Incidentally, it would be worthwhile your going over the assays obtained in the drill holes on this same Page 3.

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W.R. Bacon