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March 4, 1974

Mr. William S. Lapp,  
Lapp, Lazar, Laurie & Smith, Chartered,  
1200 Builders Exchange Building,  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402  
U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Lapp:

Following a thorough review of the reference material which you mailed to me, and of reports by staff of the B.C. Department of Mines, I must advise that I do not feel that I could provide a satisfactory feasibility report at this stage of the mine's development.

May I point out that I consider the present minable ore reserves too small to justify the time and expense of making the required detailed analysis of probable capital investment, operating costs and earnings.

The present situation might warrant making a geological evaluation of ore potential - but only if Mr. J. Lamb could provide much more detail via plans, cross-sections, geological and sampling notes, and be also available for some personal discussions of this data.

Please note the 'Carnegie' mill is now referred to as the 'Kam-Kotia' mill.

Yours very truly,

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W.M. Sharp, P.Eng.

Antoine  
Pode metals

1970 - 500 T. h. grade ore left @ bottom of mine road.

1969 - nil.

1968 - D. drilling - 1500'  
Develop - 500'  
Ore mined - 6670 tons., milled @ Red Deer mill  
→ 241 tons of Pb lens }  
359 tons of Zn lens } → Banke Hill

Mine worked until Nov 13 w/ my crew of 15.

1967 - W. Wurgert, Mine mgr.  
J. Lamb, consultant  
Sifting done on old Tom mine vein for  
several 100's feet and a raise driven to the  
old Antoine whys (vert. dist. 450') Ore found  
(more in lamp depth) 100' below Antoine 5. lev  
and a sub-lev driven to explore this horizon.  
25 T ore shipped to trail. + some milled  
stockpiled @ Red Deer mill.

1966 - Mine camp set up @ Tom mine adit.  
Tom mine & extended 1200' to the projected  
depth project of Antoine, encountering three  
veinlet containing siderite and minor  
galena & sphalerite which was drilled on  
for 200 ft., then 300' drill from X.C.

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*Rec'd March 14/74*

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March 11, 1974

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Mr. Thomas J. Merrifield  
Suite 570  
885 Dunsmuir Street  
Vancouver 1, B.C.  
Canada

Dear Mr. Merrifield:

Enclosed please find a letter dated March 4, 1974 from William Sharp.

I suggest that if you are still interested in proceeding on this thing that you obtain such reports from Mr. Lamb and discuss the same with Mr. Sharp.

I have explained to Mr. Sharp that we are not in a position to make any payments for a feasibility report until such time as he can give us an estimate of the cost. He has further explained to me that he will not do the same unless he has such information.

I suggest in view of the foregoing, that you contact Mr. Sharp directly to see if there is any way we can proceed.

*Secure all of J. Lamb's maps, reports, & cables returned to a geol. eval. also secure his consent re my use of this mat'l via a letter from him to me.*

Very truly yours,

LAPP, LAZAR, LAURIE & SMITH  
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William S. Lapp

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cc: Mr. William Sharp ✓

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February 20, 1974

Mr. William Sharp  
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Canada

Dear Mr. Sharp:

I enjoyed talking to you yesterday, February 19, 1974, regarding Antoine Silver Mines, Ltd.

In anticipation of presenting a feasibility study I herewith enclose for your review the present situation at Antoine Silver Mines, Ltd. as outlined by Mr. John Lamb as well as a supplement report dated March 17, 1970.

I would appreciate your reviewing the same to determine whether the information therein gives you a better basis as to determine your schedule for proceeding on the same and preparing a feasibility study.

*Limit these  
preliminary  
impressions  
only.*

Inasmuch as you are familiar with the property, I would appreciate if after reading this you could notify me as to some of your off-hand observations so that I may have a better assessment of the economic feasibility of reactivating the mine. I further trust that the information herewith enclosed will be held on a confidential basis by you and that all your correspondence be addressed directly to my attention.

In order to avoid any misunderstandings, I want to clarify at the outset that any review of these materials done by you is anticipation of a feasibility study if you should be available to do so and the group decides to retain you and that there will be no charge for any work that you do in regard to the matter as far as preliminary investigation and submitting a proposal for your feasibility study.

I further notice that the mill that Mr. Lamb discusses in his reports is not the same mill that we discussed over the phone,

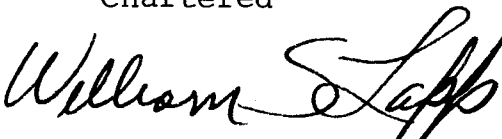
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namely, the Cam-koti Burkam mill. Please advise if I am  
erroneous.

Very truly yours,

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