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March 16, 1970.

Mr. Art Edwards, Tull Mines Limited, P. O. Box 610, Rossland, B. C.

Dear Art:

## Re: Federated Mining Corporation Limited

At the recent Prospectors' Convention, I met Rodney Kirkham of the Geological Survey of Canada who is very interested in nickel mineralization within the serpentinites. He feels that if the nickel occurs as a metal alloy in the serpentinites rather than as a silicate, it should be easily extractable.

He has offered to investigate samples from Federated. Would you please send half a dozen specimens from various places totalling approximately 5 pounds. I would suggest, possibly, ten lumps of rock, each weighing ½ pound.

Mention in your letter that I asked you to send them to him. His address is:

> Mr. Rodney Kirkham, Geological Survey of Canada, 601 Booth Street, Ottawa, Ontario.

> > Yours truly, A. C. A. Howe International Limited,

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