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Dear Fred:

I want to thank you and Newhawk for providing the services of Steve Roach for the past two months. He was a great help and a pleasure to work with.

I have not had an opportunity to check his work yet, but I am confident that the did a good job. He plotted considerable geology and sample locations, measured UTM co-ordinates of sample sites, carefully checked sample locations, prepared samples for chemical analyses, and did many miscellaneous chores. Without his help it is apparent now that we would not have been able to provide you with the geological and lithochemical information and remaining chemical analyses that you wanted before the field season. He also had an opportunity to familiarize himself with the geology of the entire property and surrounding region.

Steve has evidently made copies of all the silicate and metal analyses that we have. I have no hesitation that you use these however you see fit for exploration, nevertheless, I request that they not be passed on to other researchers, such as the UBC-MDRU group. The analyses will be made available to them and everybody else when they are published. As you are aware, we are still actively accumulating data and have net had sufficient time to analyze the results.

One hundred and four samples (including standards) for neutron activation analyses will be picked up today by Bondar-Clegg. They will invoice Newhawk and send the results to you. These include

my 1990 and the remainder of my 1989 surface samples. When we receive the results, I will give my impression of any that I think might be of economic importance.

I hope that our's and Steve's work and the chemical analyses will contribute to the success of this summer's exploration program. We very much appreciate Newhawk's continued support for our work.

Sincerely,

R.V. Kirkham

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cc: A. Ransom

S.B. Ballantyne