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November 10, 1977

Mr. E. Mullin
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Dear Ed,

Re: Siwash Creek Zn Showings

Although a little late, I didn't forget about the Siwash Creek data and enclose pertinent I.P. maps, profile, Zn geochem, geology and borehole data. As you can see, DDH 1970 #9 must have been very close to the showing you have exposed and, in fact, contained five feet of interesting but uneconomic mineralization.

The samples I took assayed as follows:

SC 1 - Black manganiferous clay	- 0.49 oz./ton Ag
SC 2 - High-grade grab samples	- 0.61 oz./ton Ag
with visible sphalerite	0.18% Pb
	7.10% Zn

As you can see, the borehole was short on silver too, despite a 2.30% Pb. This confirms my recollection that in the so-called Dillard Zone of Siwash Creek, the silver was:

- (a) not related to lead,
- (b) was very patchy, and
- (c) probably tied into tetrahedrite or similar minerals.

Obviously, the showings you have would easily explain the geochemistry and it remains to be tested whether the mineralization in the showings and boreholes could be extended to anything better down dip and along strike. A few more I.P. lines parallel to L 116 N would perhaps help

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determine this, although the profile does not suggest much in the way of an easterly extension down dip.

As we have already probably drilled the showing, or an extension of it, and the silver values appear to be very low, we would not be interested in doing anything with it at this time.

It was fun to revisit my first field project in Canada and most interesting looking back through the old data. Incidentally, I enclose a copy of the Third Quarter report showing the information you asked about, together with an Annual Report for general interest.

Yours truly,

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DATE: October 12, 1977

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Samples submitted: October 7, 1977
Results completed: October 12, 1977

CERTIFICATE OF ASSAY

I hereby certify that the following are the results of assays made by us upon the herein described ore samples.

MARKED	GOLD		SILVER	Pb	Zn						TOTAL VALUE PER TON (2000 LBS.)
	Ounces per Ton	Value per Ton	Ounces per Ton	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent		
SC - 1			0.49	-	-						
SC - 2			0.61	0.18	7.10						

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