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To..... P. M. KAVANAGH..... From..... W. M. SIROLA.....

Subject..... JOKER CLAIMS NEAR KASLO, B.C. (82-F/15)..... Date..... April 20th, 1963.....

My reason for not recommending work on the Joker Claims is that the veins are very narrow (1" - 12"). While the average grade of the samples taken suggests that the gold content might be as high as 1 oz. per ton across a few inches, the average grade across a minimum mining width of 3' would be less than 1/3 oz. per ton and would therefore not be commercial.

It is very difficult for me to become enthused about extremely narrow veins occurring at altitudes of 7,000' - 8,000'.

There is a reference to the Joker Claims on page 210 of the 1933 Minister of Mines Report.

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W William M. Sirola.

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April 20th, 1963.

Mr. J. A. Brusset,
West Canadian Collieries Ltd.,
BLAIRMORE, Alta.

Dear Mr. Brusset:

I have reviewed the information you sent me on April 15th on the Joker Group of Claims near Kaslo, B.C.

While there are some intriguing gold values in these veins, the very narrow widths would make it difficult to develop any appreciable tonnage. For this reason, I am not able to recommend that Kerr-Addison participate in the development of this property.

We very much appreciate your submitting the information to us and return it herewith.

Yours very truly,

KERR-ADDISON GOLD MINES LIMITED

William M. Sirola.

c.c. P. M. Kavanagh

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West Canadian Collieries Limited

BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA
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April 15, 1963.

Mr. W. M. Sirola
Kerr-Addison Gold Mines
319 United Kingdom Building
VANCOUVER 2, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Kavanagh has advised me to send you some information about the Joker group of claims near Kaslo, B. C.

I believe that all the information at our disposal is contained in the reports of which copies attached, and on the map which shows the five claims and the three fractions which constitute the group. These cover the outcroppings of a substantially vertical vein which persists over the whole length of the group.

Geological Map #272A, Slocan Sheet, Kootenay district, shows the location and geological environment of the Joker Claims. The Claims are usually free from snow from June to September. However, any person who wants to see them should first contact the Mining Recorder at Kaslo as to road quality and snow at the claims, since the conditions are naturally very variable from one year to another. The trail is normally practicable to cars up to altitude 4,700 over its whole length of 20 miles, after which one has to walk up the 3 miles of the foot trail.

If you intend to send a prospector to the Joker, it would be convenient for him if he first contacted me some 10 days previously (Telephone Calgary AM66567) or if he contacted Mr. M. H. Congdon, General Superintendent, West Canadian Collieries, Blairmore, Alberta (Telephone Blairmore 562-2163)

Hoping you will find the enclosed of interest, and at your disposal for any further exchange of correspondence, I am

Yours very truly,


J. A. Brusset.

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March 27, 1963.

Mr. J. A. Brusset,
West Canadian Collieries, Limited,
Blairmore, Alberta.

Dear Mr. Brusset:

Re: Kaslo-Nelson District, B.C. (82-F)

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I am writing in respect to your letter of March 25th to our president, Mr. Row, in which you mention two properties which your company owns, one in the Kaslo-Nelson district of B. C. and the other in the Pine Point area, N. W. T.

We would appreciate your forwarding to us all the information and data which you have available concerning your two properties, and also a detailed presentation of the deal terms you would want for them. You should send information and data concerning the Kaslo-Nelson district property to W. M. Sirola, our representative in Vancouver, whose office is 319, United Kingdom Building, Vancouver 2. Material concerning the N. W. T. property should be sent to me.

Thank you very much for introducing your properties to us.

Yours sincerely,

KERR-ADDISON GOLD MINES LIMITED,

Paul M. K.

PMK:dt
c.c. W. M. Sirola
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Paul M. Kavanagh,
Chief Geologist - Exploration.

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West Canadian Collieries, Limited

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March 25, 1963.

Mr. W. S. Row,
President,
The Kerr Addison Gold Mines Limited,
Suite 1600, 44 King Street West,
TORONTO 1, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

I have read with great interest your report to the shareholders of Kerr-Addison, and have particularly noticed the efforts of the Company towards exploring and eventually developing new mining properties; also that you have representatives in B. C. and in the Yellowknife district of the Northwest Territories.

This Company hold a group of gold claims in the Kaslo - Nelson district of B. C. which show good assays and a strong quartz-vein along 3,000' of length, and we would welcome an attempt at developing this prospect on the basis of a royalty on production and a percentage. carried interest.

Near Yellowknife, at the immediate western contact of the Pine Point property of Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, we own 30 claims, called the Cube Claims, which appear to be very well situated for the eventual production of lead. However, this Company is not specialized in base metal mines, and would welcome a partner on the same basis as above. After 5 years of holding these claims, during which we have incurred total expenses of \$70,000, we are now in the stage of making application for leases on this property.

Yours faithfully,

J. A. Brusset
Res. P. Green

J. A. Brusset.

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cc: Mr. Caudrelier-Bénac