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PLEASE ARRANGE TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING NEWS RELEASE AT 9:00AM THURSDAY
JANUARY 12, 1984. REA WILL MAKE A SIMULTANEOUS RELEASE IN VANCOUVER.
PLEASE GIVE A COPY TO W.J., L.C.K., AND J.DACOSTA.

FALCONBRIDGE COPPER / REA GOLD RELEASE

CFC ANNOUNCES THAT IT HAS COMPLETED 15 DIAMOND DRILL HOLES
TOTALLING 1726 METRES ON THE KAMLOOPS AREA PROPERTY OPTIONED FROM
REA GOLD CORPORATION. VOLCANOGENIC MINERALIZATION ENCOUNTERED TO
DATE APPEARS TO OCCUR AS THIN DISCONTINUOUS LENSES. THE TWO BEST
INTERSECTIONS ASSAYED 0.59 PERCENT CU, 1.49 PERCENT PB, 2.47
PERCENT ZN, 3.68 PERCENT AS, 128 G AG/TONNE AND 17.1 G AU/TONNE
OVER A WIDTH OF 3.35 METRES AND 0.26 PERCENT CU, 2.08 PERCENT PB,
3.74 PERCENT ZN, 7.73 PERCENT AS, 34G AG/TONNE AND 9.2 G AU/TONNE
OVER A WIDTH OF 1.5 METRES.

RESULTS WILL CONTINUE TO BE EVALUATED. EXPLORATION AND DRILLING
WILL RESUME IN MID JANUARY.

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