

Property Submission -
Cowichan 826512 92c
Copper Property

MEMORANDUM

TORONTO January 20th, 1959

TO: MR. W. S. ROW
FROM: MR. G. M. RADISICS
SUBJECT: COWICHAN COPPER CO. LTD.



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	J.L.B.	
	E.C.J.	

I understand that the present drive on the Cowichan Mines property on Vancouver Island has reached the Skarn zone near which, as you know, ore bodies are encountered on this property.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "G.M. Radisics", written over a solid horizontal line.

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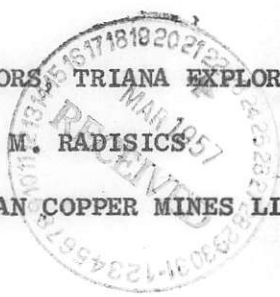
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TORONTO March 21st, 1957

TO: DIRECTORS, TRIANA EXPLORATION LIMITED

FROM: MR. G. M. RADISICS

SUBJECT: COWICHAN COPPER MINES LIMITED



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I have been able to obtain from confidential sources the latest information concerning the Cowichan Copper property located on Vancouver Island. It appears as if the ore reserves at this property now are in the neighborhood of about 1 1/2 million tons of copper ore, 1/2 million tons of which is high grade ore grading between 4.5% - 5% copper, whereas the remaining one million tons is estimated to grade about 1.5% copper.

As you no doubt know, difficulties in getting this property into production were caused primarily by the personality of the President of this undertaking, namely, Ozzie MacDonald, who is not a mining man and who has inflated ideas of his own knowledge concerning mining. I understand, however, from the above sources that Mr. MacDonald is now more amenable to reason and talks are now under way with some undisclosed outside interests who are willing to place the property into production and equip it with a 750 ton per day treatment plant. I further understand that the ensuing production will be sold to Japanese interests.

GMR:vk

- c.c. Mr. W. S. Row
- Mr. R. V. Porritt
- Mr. J. W. Baker
- Dr. P. Price
- Mr. G. C. Andrew

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NADIRA MINES LTD. (N.P.L.)

MINE OFFICE:
P.O. Box 670
LAKE COWICHAN, B.C.

October 17th, 1956.

Mr E. O. Chisholm,
Chief Geologist,
Prospectors Airways Co. Limited,
Suite 1616, 44 King Street,
Toronto 1, Ontario.

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Dear Ted:-

This will acknowledge your letter of September 16th which was forwarded to me from the Vancouver office.

The O. G. MacDonald holdings north and south of the Nitinat river comprises approximately 700 claims stretching some 14 miles along a belt of volcanics. Preliminary mapping this past summer shows evidence of a number of well developed shear zones and prominent faults supplementary to regional folding and subsequent intrusions of peridotite, diorite, aplite and porphyry. Sulphide mineralization is relatively widespread and a number of very nice showings of massive calco have been located by our prospectors.

To date all financing has been provided by Mr MacDonald personally and by public participation in three associated companies which have been incorporated for the exploration and development of these properties. We are currently operating six drills and pushing road construction as quickly as is possible in this rugged terrain. Providing access has in fact been our big problem this past summer.

Although we have a relatively large committment in this project our preliminary drilling is proving most encouraging. Consequently we are not too enthusiastic about negotiating outside participation.

No doubt you will attend the Annual Western C.I.M. convention early in November. I'm sure Pamela would enjoy renewing her acquaintance with your good wife and we could probably find an opportunity to discuss proposals in more detail.

Yours very truly,

ALLAN HARDER

c.c. O. G. MacDonald

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September 26th, 1956.

Mr. Stan Leaming,
 Prospectors Airways Company Limited,
 Box 969,
 Whitehorse, Y. T.

Dear Stan:

The address of Canadian Exploration is Salmo, B. C. They are a wholly-owned subsidiary of Placer Development Limited and report net profits for the nine months ending May 31st, 1956 at \$1,900,000.00 compared with \$1,120,000.00 for the first nine months of 1955.

I note in the Canadian Mining Journal that large holdings of 700 claims have been staked by Ozzie G. McDonald, well known organizer of Cowichan Copper Company Limited, in the Nitinat Valley area on the west side of Vancouver Island. Several companies have been formed including Nadira Mines Limited. They have what is described as an "impressive new showing" carrying "visibly good grade copper" sampled across 14 feet at 900 feet above sea level. The man in charge of Nadira is Alan Harder, former chief mine engineer at Flin Flon, who has recently quit the job. I know Alan Harder very well and consider him a reliable man. It might be well worth looking into when you come down from the Yukon, as they have several other companies formed on the original group of claims and will probably be looking for senior companies to develop these.

I'll write Al Harder a letter advising him that we would like to make an examination of the original find later in the season.

Best regards.

Yours very truly,

PROSPECTORS AIRWAYS COMPANY LIMITED

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E. O. Chisholm,
 Chief Geologist.

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September 26th, 1956.

Mr. Alan Harder,
914, 718 Granville Street
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Al:

I note by the September issue of Canadian Mining Journal, that you are now manager of Nadira Mines Limited, who hold a group of claims in the Nitinat Valley area on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

We are currently engaged in exploration activities across Canada and have an engineer in charge of the west coast area. His name is Stan Leaming, and his address after October will be 1204 Pine Street, Kamloops B. C. I have written Stan a letter asking him to look you up in Vancouver with the view to making an examination of your recent copper discovery there. I would appreciate it if you would let him have any information regarding your holdings there, and if possible to arrange an examination.

Best regards to yourself and wife, and hope we can renew acquaintances on my next visit to Vancouver.

Yours very truly,

PROSPECTORS AIRWAYS COMPANY LIMITED

E. O. Chisholm,
Chief Geologist.

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