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JOINT NEWS RELEASE - MOONDUST VENTURES INC. AND GRAND AMERICA MINERALS LTD.

COPPER PORPHYRY SYSTEM EXPANDED BY RECENT DRILL PROGRAM

Vancouver, B.C., March 15, 1991 - Moondust Ventures Inc. ("Moondust") and Grand America Minerals Ltd. ("Grand America") today announced that a recently completed drill program has expanded the copper porphyry system on the western portion of the Webb property, located in the Mount Milligan area of central British Columbia. The companies are pleased to report that three additional drill holes were completed and all of these encountered copper values.

One of the holes, Hole 91-5, includes a 50 foot interval from 537-587 feet which averaged 0.13% Cu, including a 10 foot interval which averaged 0.34% Cu.

The results for the current holes (91-1; 91-4; 91-5) and the holes drilled in 1990 (90-M-4, 90-M-5), are shown in the table below: (see map overleaf)

<u>Hole No.*</u>	Grid Location					<u>Intercept</u>	Feet	&Copper
91-1 (-60E)	34 +	OON	33	+	50E	325- 654	329	0.02
91-4 (-90)	38 +	OON	34	+	00E	362- 647	285	0.03
91-5 (-60E)	36 +	OON	32	+	25E	337- 607	270	0.03
90-M-4 (-60E)	34 +	OON	30	+	50E	549-1607	1058	0.04
90-M-5(-60E)**	34 +	00N	31	+	50E	1170-1450	280	0.04

To date, these five drill holes have established a broad area of 400 meters x 500 meters with copper values ranging from 0.01% to 0.52%. Overall sulphide content of 10% was noted in drill holes 91-1 and 91-4 and up to 15% in 91-5. Of particular significance is that the copper values in diamond drill holes 91-1 and 90-M-4 doubled from 0.02% and 0.04%. These holes are 300 meters apart.

* Holes 91-2, 91-3, 90-M-1, 90-M-2, 90-M-3 were not completed due to technical difficulties encountered during drilling.

** Hole 90-M-5 intersected a monzonite dyke from 440 - 1100 feet.

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE MNV For further information contact: John Toporowski, President Tel (604) 685-2065 • Fax (604) 685-7349 The results from all drilling conducted to date have confirmed the presence of a large, weakly mineralized copper zone within a favourable host environment. All of the holes showed chlorite and epidote alteration plus or minus minor secondary potassium feldspar. These alteration assemblages are indicators of a porphyry style environment.

The area of current drilling is overlain by approximately 300 feet of overburden. The overburden thickness decreases to less than 50 feet at the western claim boundary, approximately 1100 meters west of hole 90-M-4.

The management and geological consultants of both Moondust and Grand America are reviewing all information received to date and are in the process of formulating a Phase III exploration program.

Grand America has now acquired an additional 20% undivided working interest in the Webb property and now holds a 50% interest. Moondust remains the operator of the project and will remain operator as long as it maintains an interest of 50% or greater in the property.

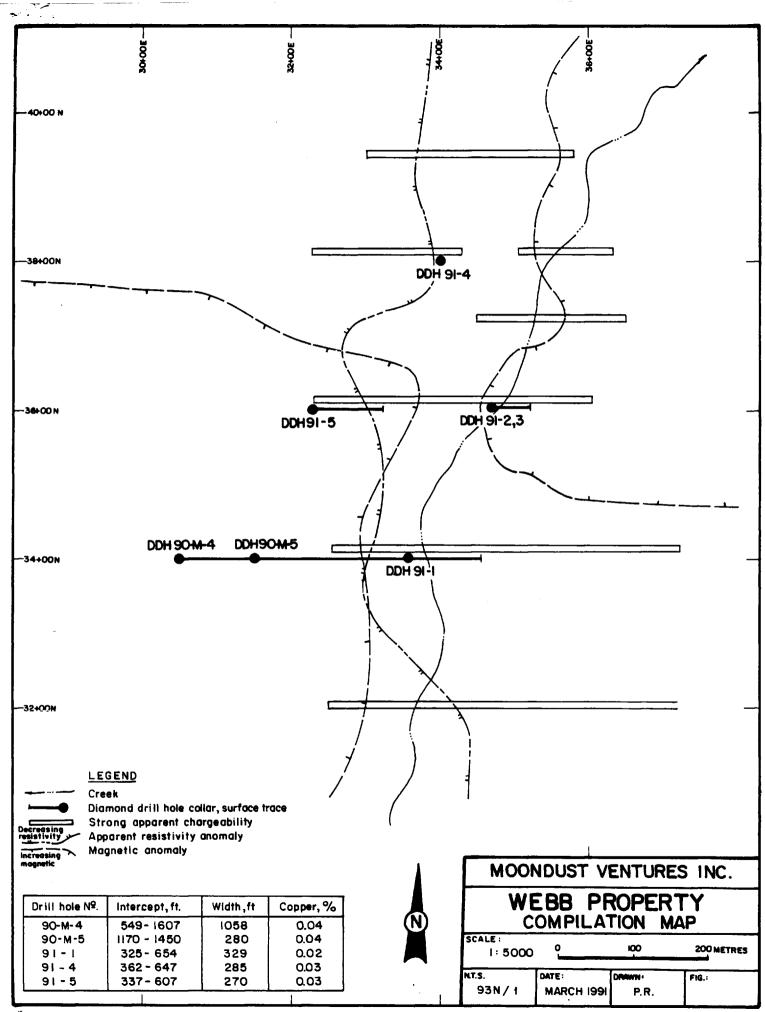
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