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Vancouver, B.C.---Multinational Mining Inc. Joint Venture is continuing a comprehensive exploration program on its Chappelle project in the Toodoggone area of northern B.C.

Phase one diamond drilling consisted of seven inclined holes totalling 1,941 ft. to further test B Zone where previous drilling has indicated 50,000 tons grading 0.587 oz/ton gold and 5.16 oz/ton silver.

Five of the recent drill holes were designed to test for a northeast extension of B Zone at shallow depths. Little quartz vein material was intersected and only low gold and silver grades were obtained from these holes. Results suggest that economic grades are restricted to below the 5,750 ft. level with the B Zone structure.

Two short holes were drilled to evaluate the upper part of the main B Zone mineralized shoot. One of these shallow holes encountered poor core recovery and gold-silver values were low. Results of the other hole are as follows:

	<u>Interval (ft.)</u>	<u>Length (ft.)</u>	<u>Gold (oz/t)</u>	<u>Silver (oz/t)</u>
M88-06	62.0 - 73.0	11.0	0.111	0.76
	including 62.0 - 69.0	7.0	0.162	1.08
	and 65.0 - 66.8	1.8	0.519	3.44

Extensions to the B Zone shoot are being evaluated by geophysical (Induced Polarization) and geochemical surveys prior to additional drilling.

The North Quartz and New zones, on trend with B Zone and 1,300 and 2,500 ft. northeast respectively, represent targets for similar gold-silver shoots. The New Zone, discovered late in the 1987 field season, has been recently prospected and sampled. Mechanical trenching is scheduled for the near future prior to planning diamond drilling of this and the nearby North Quartz zone.

Numerous other targets in the western half of the extensive property area are within a radius of one mile of B Zone and the existing 100 tons per day mill on the property.

One of these targets, C Vein, was partially exposed over a strike length of 300 ft. by hand trenching in the early 1970's. Detailed surface sampling yielded gold and silver values over sample lengths of more than 5 ft. Two inclined holes drilled west of the exposed Vein in 1981 intersected 15-20 ft. of quartz with anomalous gold values and silver grades of up to 3.55 oz/ton.

Recent geochemical and geophysical surveys indicated that this structure may be more extensive than previously recognized and drilling is planned to further test the C Vein.

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