Memorandum

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HARDLUCK CLAIM - M504

EARL D. DODSON:

The project area is located in the northwest corner of British Columbia (Fig. 1). The HARDLUCK claim is situated approximately 57 km northwest of Trapper Lake (Fig. 2). The property lies along the Nahlin fault which dips steeply to the northeast juxtaposing Permian ultramafic rocks against Jurassic shales and siltstones (Fig. 3).

The claim was staked in 1981 during a period of intense competitor activity to cover a 1125 ppb gold anomaly in a small outcrop of quartz-carbonate altered serpentinite. No follow-up work was done in 1981. In 1982 geological mapping and prospecting was carried out on and around the gold anomaly (Fig. 4). All gold and silver geochemistry values are at background levels and the original gold anomaly could not be duplicated.

Due to the lack of precious metal values, no further work is warranted at this time. It is recommended that the property be allowed to lapse and authorization is requested at the appropriate levels.

K. Shannon

KS:am Attach.



