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Date: April 13, 1992
To: D. A. Sketchley/Grid File 3661200
From: G. M. Ditson
Re: **Bear Porphyry Property Near Bear Lake; 94D/2W**

This property was submitted in 1989 by Gerald Ryznar. I wrote it up in the Porphyry File and gave it a MIDDLING geologic ranking with a recommendation to merely monitor any activity. It was not visited in 1989, and in 1990 Mr. Ryznar brought it in again. He suggested that there was a considerable area of the IP chargeability zone which had not been drill tested, and which could contain a deposit of considerable size. Richard Cannon and I reviewed the data again, and decided that Mr. Ryznar was correct, and a property examination would not hurt.

The property was again submitted in 1991 while I was in Mexico, and Ed forwarded it to the Kamloops office. Because of a mix-up in grid file names, when the property was researched, the incorrect file was pulled, and Ron Wells ended up doing the evaluation all over again from scratch. He concluded that the property was not of interest, and Mr. Ryznar was so informed. He contacted me subsequently, and I informed him that I would do a property examination in 1992.

The property is not ranked very high because the area drilled has been shown to have a low/no gold content, and copper grades only approach 0.3%. Mr. Ryznar does, however, have a point. There is a large area of the IP chargeability which has not been touched in the southeastern sector of the survey. Because there are some cliffs in this sector, I felt that a short property examination consisting of a traverse along the base of the cliffs to prospect and sample talus debris would tell us whether or not a large, well-mineralized deposit is present.

Mr. Ryznar is a continuous source of property submittals, and is rather persistent at it. Although I do not anticipate the presence of a mega-deposit with superior grades, a surprise is possible, and I would prefer not to string Mr. Ryznar along any more than we already have.