

CASSIAR ASBESTOS

On September 11, 1995 Paul Wojdak, Bob Lane, and myself very briefly toured the old (demolished) Cassiar townsite with Jim Doucette, 'caretaker' for B.C. Chrysotile Ltd. Unfortunately, the company could not raise then necessary funding for its tailings re-processing project this year. 'Assets' include an estimated \$200 million (tailings stockpile), plus \$1 million of broken asbestos ore from the McDame underground exploration/development project.

In addition, Jedway Jade (DJ Drilling - John Shusler) were 'working on' the Cassiar waste dumps (esp. "West" dump) trying to retrieve/recover high-grade jade boulders. Unofficially, it is estimated that about \$500,000 of material was taken out in 1995. Larger equipment will be required for future work.