Ref. No. E227 Date: 10/20/87

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Company Name: Esso Minerals Canada Ltd.

Project Name: Chemainus

60 km NW of Victoria Location:

Contact: John A. McDonald

Title: Expl. Manager Phone: (604)661-7100

Previous Budget:\$ 495,000 Current Budget:\$ 923,675 Grant: \$ 70,000

Location:

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N/A

Yes

District Geologist: P. Wilton NTS Reference: 92B13W Commodity Sought: **PMS** Visited By: **HPW** 

Proportion of FAME Funding to Total Budget: 15.16% Proportion of Total MEIP Funds on Project:

Forecast vs Actual Project Expenditures: 

MONTH **FORECAST** ACTUAL VARIANCE \$ \$ April 87 7,800 7,800 87 May 52,500 52,500 June 87 181,500 181,500 July 87 63,200 63,200 Aug 87 0 26,710 26,710 Sept 87 0 0 2,725 0ct 87 0 Nov 87 0 0 87 Dec 950 0 Jan 88 0 0 88 Feb 0 0 March 88 0 0

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TOTAL: 308,675 331,710 ======== =========

Budgeted Funds Remaining:

Capsule Summary of Project: Survey and drill various targets in Sicker Group.

1987/88 Program:

FAME Grant Issued

Amount of Previous

Returned:

Grant:

Agreement

in 1986/87?: No

Grid-controlled mapping, rock and soil sampling, magnetometer and IP surveys followed by trenching in selected areas.

## Comments:

## Progress:

JOLY/AUGUST: During July, drilling program was in full swing and continued forward from June. As well, grid geophysics continued and complimented last year's property work comprising geology, geochemistry and geophysics. With the completion of the drill program in July, work in August mainly concentrated on data presentation/interpretation. Results to date continue to reveal unsuspected complexities on the property, particularly the amount of mafic intrusions present and the frequency of reverse faults on the property. In addition, potentially favourable geological environments for ore deposition have been revealed by diamond drilling and geological mapping that require more work in the next drill program on the property.