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TO: See Below

Subject: Prince George Update to Apr. 3rd.

Issues:

Nazko Quarry: Nazko First Nation has indicated they wish to have Canada Pumice enter into a joint venture with them respecting this quarry.

Cunningham Lake (Eastfield Res.): Yekooche First Nation (opposed) to work going forward until treaty negotiations complete.

Harrison Placer: J. Pardy met with tenure holders, B.C. Lands and CMA to resolve a Lands application.

Kemess: Expect financing \$120M to be in place by mid April. Sediment control plan 80% complete. PKS not returning. Hydro expected to be hooked up April 6th. Recall of workers continues. Powerline road deactivation plan underway. D. Edwards completed inspection of electrical installations. Sign off by contractors, consultants and B.C. Hydro certifying protective systems required.

Land Use:

MacKenzie: Flexible management approach for minerals being proposed that recognises the difficulty of prescribing land use objectives and strategies with the same confidence as can be accomplished for other resources.

Ft.St.James: Guide outfitter concern re his proposed SMZ being sent as separate attachment to LRMP document.

Prince George: Period for public comment ended. Some improvements to text because of the request of a prospector. The amount of influence that the private sector has at these tables cannot be overstated.

Robson: Push to get document together. PAS totals to be reduced by 7800 Ha. 10 year timeline for timber harvest deferral in Caribou high.

FYI:

EB met with Cariboo Mining Association(CMA). Advised that a number of issues ranging from streamlining the permit and tenure process to the usual concern of

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Subject: Prince George Update to Feb 27

Issues:

Copper Mines: On brink of closure due to low metal prices!

Willow Creek: EA office hopes to have referral to Ministers by March 9th. Project construction decision expected in two weeks. Company has indicated they are now prepared to sign certificate

West Moberly: MOU negotiations continue with regional leadership from Charlie Lake and PG. Stressing regional co-operation and communication with the First Nation.

Kemess: Takla First Nation has filed in the Supreme Court of B.C. requesting among other things, an injunction against all Defendants (Canada, B.C., Royal Oak) in reference to all resource management activity relating to the Project. Company has notified government that it will layoff about 150 people for an undisclosed amount of time due to lack of water behind the tailings storage facility.

Eastfield - Cunningham Lake: Complaints from Yekoocheten FN. Several band members apparently previously held mineral claims on the ground now covered by the Fort claims. Reports of blasting and trenching were attributed to forest companies working in the area. The company was encouraged to contact the band leader.

Land Use Issues:

Ft. St. James LRMP: Last minute changes to the document without discussion or referral to MEM or table likely will cause significant problems for any development that may impact fish habitat. Revisions without industry representation should cause this plan to cave or at least hic-up at the political level!

Prince George LRMP: "Enhanced" referrals will require more staff time. IAMC briefing note on KAKWA being prepared.

Horsefly: T. Buck Suzuki env. group has requested preferred group status on the technical working group since they represent coastal fisheries workers.

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Subject: Re: Significant NEW Discovery?

Tom....

We hope to do a lake sediment RGS survey this summer over remaining unsurveyed areas of 93F, 93K, or hopefully both. No comments yet from management.

This new locality falls into the unsurveyed part of 93K, so if you have any opportunity to lend your support for completing RGS coverage in that area this summer, it would certainly be appreciated!

thanks.....

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