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## **Exploration Activity in the Northeast-Central Region**

Keno (Bren 093A 079). Examined core from hole K00-03 of this porphyry moly (+/-copper) prospect, 32.5 kilometres east of Horsefly, on July 5 with property co-owner Jack Brown-John. Fracture-controlled molybdenite occurs consistently throughout the full length of the hole, but is more conspicuous in zones of moderate to intense argillic alteration. Moly also occurs with quartz in ribboned veins, up to 10 cm across, that cut the altered monzonite. Traces of chalcopyrite are uncommon. The 4-hole drill program totaled 603.5 metres.

Spanish Mountain. Visited July 10 with Imperial Metals geologists Steve Robertson and Pat McAndless and GSBers Fil Ferri and Pat Johnstone. Imperial Metals has completed close-spaced percussion drilling on 5 different zones on the property, including the Dodge Pit and 103 zones (on the and Don claim owned by Bob Mickle) and the LE, M5 and Madre zones (on the CPW claim owned by Wildrose) and is awaiting assay results in order to select the best one or two zones for bulk sampling. Mineralization consists mainly of intensely oxidized pyrite and quartz-pyrite stringers in black phyllites and siltstones, part of the Middle to Late Triassic succession that forms the base of the Quesnel Group. Material will be processed at the Mount Polley mill, and if successful, will lead to an expanded program.

Mount Polley, Visited July 10 with Imperial Metals geologists Steve Robertson and Pat McAndless and GSBers-Fit Ferri and Pat Johnstone. Mine geologist Greg Gillstrom is drilling off an area labeled the Southeast zone (southeast of the rock dumps) where RC drilling in the vicinity of an old single hole anomaly has generated some potentially economic Au-Cu grades in hydrothermally altered intrusion breccia and silicified andesite. Method of using a track mounted 'production' rig for exploration is both inexpensive and very effective. The results of a meetings between the mine and the JPC, held to discuss terms for a new economic agreement, are not yet known.

Sustut Copper. Doublestar Resources expect to begin their diamond drilling program on this volcanic-hosted redbed copper deposit sometime during the last week of July.

Carruthers. Phelps Dodge are planning to begin their diamond drilling program on this VMS prospect in late July.

Tas. Drilling on this gold vein/shear zone prospect has been delayed because of lack of funding.

Operator Omni Resources (Terence Elliot) remains optimistic that funds will be arranged in time for this seasons proposed/approved program to proceed.