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Prospectors Assistance Program:

- **Mikkel Schau P.91 Schoen Lake Area PGE Project Update:** On July 26, visits were made to two new non-PGE occurrences discovered and staked by Mikkel over the past year while searching for PGE-rich sulphide cumulates at the base of the Triassic Karmutson volcanics in the Schoen Lake area of Northern Vancouver Island; the Flan Au occurrence discovered and staked late in the 2000 P.95 program was visited and sampled; it consists of a very thin quartz-carbonate shear with pyrite+gold bearing diatant zones which last year yielded 2 opt. Au from a bedrock grab sample in a forestry roadcut, capped by a flat-lying silica pyrite (low sulphide epithermal?) zone of unknown size with disseminated pyrite; the **Kringle Cu** occurrence was also discovered last year but staked in 2001, and is a spectacular skarn zone exposed the highway 19 roadcut near Sayward; it consists of magnetite-marble breccia with small pods of massive pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite and bornite close to a feldspar porphyry stock; both new occurrences were sampled, photographed and located by GPS for MINFILE.
- **Dan Blower P.68 Philips Arm/Knight Inlet Polymetallic Project Update:** Preliminary exploration completed on some target areas, but unexpected staking by others has taken place over many of the Knight Inlet area targets and MINFILE occurrences; a tentative site visit is planned pending helicopter availability from Cambell River for 1-2 days at the end of the project on Aug. 12-13.
- **Gary Thompson P.14 Jordan River Area PGE Project Update:** Preliminary exploration completed, including ground geophysics (self potential), geochemistry and prospecting; additional work planned in August-October, pending other contracts.
- **David Haughton P.6 Harrison Lake Area PGE Project Update:** Site visit planned for July 30 to Jason claims, where David has delineated the self potential anomaly to an area of 250m by 350m.
- **Murray McClaren P.53 Harrison Lake Area PGE Project Update:** Site visit planned for July 31 to Sable claims and vicinity, where Murray and assistant Paul Metcalf have located a new area of Ni-Cu-Pt-Pd mineralization.
- **Jeffery Bucove P.15 Leech River Area Au Project Update:** Continuing to prospect upstream along Criss Creek and its tributaries using moss matt sampling and concentrate panning techniques; thanks to Ray Lett for technical assistance provided to Jeffery.

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Mineral Exploration Activity:

- **Northstar Mining Texada Island Dude Cu-Au-Mo Project Update:** Contact received from geological consultant Barney Bowen who has been retained by Northstar to review the economic potential for porphyry type mineralization on the Dude Property.
- **Homegold Resources Nimpkish Lake Area Smiley/White Limestone Project Update:** Notice of work submitted by Homegold for small scale, shallow diamond drilling programs targeting white limestone on two separate claim blocks.
- **Homegold Resources Apple Bay Kaolinite Project Update:** Notice of work re-submitted by Homegold for small scale, shallow diamond drilling program targeting kaolinite potential peripheral to the silica target area previously tested by holes and test pitting.

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Ministry Activity:

- **Regional Geologists' Meeting at Harrison Hot Springs:** Planning completed, venue booked, and memos issued for 2 days of field excursions and a 1 day meeting during October 16-18 at Harrison Hot Springs.

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