

- **Beau Pre Exploration Sooke Area Valentine Mountain Au Quartz Vein Project Update:** Notice of Work application received for 2, 300m. deep diamond drill holes to test depth potential of two known targets on the project (MINFILE 092B 108).
- **Inspiration Mining Port Renfrew Area Jasper Cu-Zn-Ag-Au VMS Project Update:** Field visit planned on October 9 at commencement of surface geochemical program with vendor/consultant Arne Birkeland, plus Nick Massey and Tom Schroeter of the G.S.B., to this VMS project (MINFILE 092C 080, -081).

**Government/Ministry Activity:**

- **Eastfield Minerals Bella Coola Area Thunderbird Cu-Zn-Ag-Au VMS Project Update:** Analytical results received from August site visit with Larry Diakow and Tom Schroeter to Nifty (MINFILE 093D 006) showing on Thunderbird Project, and issued to Eastfield and copied to Larry Diakow of the G.S.B.; highlights of results in 3 samples analyzed of 6 collected include 2.25% Pb, >10% Zn, >100 g/t Ag and anomalous Mo, Cu, Mn, Cd and Hg; established contact with Glen Garratt of Eastfield.
- **Laramide Resources Lake Cowichan Area Lara Cu-Zn-Ag-Au VMS Project Update:** Analytical results received from September site visit with Greg Carriere to Lara (MINFILE 092B 129) prospect, with results issued to Laramide; spectacular results on 2 samples of 3 taken include up to 2.9%Cu, 2.6%Pb, >10%Zn, >100g/t Ag, 7.5g/t Au and anomalous As, Cd, Sb, Hg, Te, Ga; no acknowledgement yet received from Laramide; most of the claims comprising the Lara property will expire in January, 2002.
- **2001 Regional Geologists Meeting and Field Trip to Harrison Lake PGE Area - October 16-18:** Field trip and meeting cancelled as a cost saving measure by the Mines Branch; participants notified; suggest conference call October 16? alternate?
- **Geological Survey Branch 2001 Activity Review in Victoria - October 12:** Attendance planned to this annual activity review.

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