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KENA BULK TONNAGE- Arthur Troup, P.Eng., reports Sultan POTENTIAL CONFIRMED Minerals Ltd. has completed a preliminary evaluation of geological, geochemical and diamond drill information for the 100% optioned Kena Gold Zone portion of its Kena copper, gold property located near Nelson in southeast BC.

From 1981 to 1991 several exploration companies completed diamond drilling programs on the property. During prior exploration programs, the one-km long Kena Gold Zone, situated along the four-km long gold soil anomaly, was tested with 6,446 metres of diamond drilling in 43 holes.

In 1999, Sultan conducted a brief examination of diamond drill core stored on the property and identified numerous drill holes which required additional core sampling. Sultan selected several of the previously unsampled drill intervals for analysis. In holes where Sultan completed infill sampling of previously unsampled drill intersections, the average grade of the entire mineralized interval generally remained the same or increased slightly when the gold assays from the previously unsampled sections were included.

Preliminary evaluation of Sultan's assays combined with previous results indicate that 38 of the 43 holes previously drilled intersected important gold mineralization. The tables OVERLEAF PAGES 1 & 2 compile diamond drill core assay results obtained by Sultan and by previous property owners from the Kena Gold Zone. The tables show the width of the mineralized intersections in each hole. It is important to note some of the drill holes were only partially assayed, therefore the combined width of the intervals over which the assays were averaged is also given, as is the percentage of the mineralized interval that has been sampled to date.

Gold grades are in grams/tonne as are the cutoff values used for the interpretation. In many cases the reported mineralized intervals represents the entire length of the drill hole. The new infill assays therefore confirm potential for a large bulk tonnage gold deposit.

Sultan will now complete sampling and assaying of the remaining unsampled drill core from the intervals outlined in the tables prior to completing its evaluation of the Kena Gold Zone.

The map OVERLEAF P.3 shows the locations of the above reported diamond drill holes in the Kena Gold Zone. A compilation of historic information including geochemistry, geophysics and limited diamond drilling, is currently underway for the Gold Mountain Zone and the South Gold Zone located about 500 metres northwest and two km southeast respectively of the Kena Zone. The Gold Mountain Zone and the South Zone are each comparable in size to the Kena Zone and soil geochemical results suggest gold grades could be similar to those seen in the Kena Zone. This work is expected to be completed by early February. (SEE GCNL NO.10, 17Jan2000, P.5 FOR PREVIOUS KENA PROJECT INFORMATION)

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HOLE #	FROM (m)	TO (m)	WIDTH (m)	SAMPLED (m)	SAMPLED (%)	AU (g/t)	CUTOFF (g/t)
LK86-35	17.50	101.65	84.15	25.12	30	0.526	0.50
Including	28.70	38.00	9.30	9.30	100	1.046	1.00
Including	33.20	36.00	2.80	2.80	100	2.715	2.00
LK86-36	3.00	110.25	107.25	61.41	56	0.303	0.25
Including	32.50	76.50	44.00	15.66	36	0.550	0.50
Including	33.11	39.00	5.89	5.89	100	1.107	1.00
LK86-37	1.75	128.00	126.25	79.74	63	0.301	0.25
LK86-38	11.00	136.75	125.75	70.06	56	0.560	0.50
Including	58.00	95.52	37.52	28.49	76	1.046	1.00
Including	73.45	81.50	8.05	8.05	100	2.323	2.00
LK86-39	3.90	141.20	137.30	48.55	34	0.333	0.25
LK86-40	3.05	163.37	160.32	124.87	78	0.429	0.25
Including	103.00	163.37	60.37	60.37	100	0.512	0.50
Including	111.00	122.05	11.05	11.05	100	1.022	1.00
Including	109.00	113.00	4.00	4.00	100	2.381	2.00
LK86-41	5.80	83.59	77.79	56.22	72	0.444	0.25
Including	16.23	57.00	40.77	26.27	64	0.642	0.50
Including	16.23	23.00	6.77	6.77	100	1.500	1.00
Including	16.23	20.00	3.77	3.77	100	2.080	2.00
TK87-43	11.43	139.60	128.17	76.96	60	0.567	0.50
Including	18.93	40.95	22.02	7.00	32	1.079	1.00
Including	99.97	119.20	19.23	12.75	66	1.122	1.00
TK87-45	17.23	67.46	50.23	3.00	6	0.305	0.25
TK87-46	19.00	126.18	107.18	32.94	31	1.874	1.00
Including	53.89	107.34	53.45	22.02	41	2.676	2.00
TK87-47	45.68	163.74	118.06	25.14	21	0.363	0.25
Including	58.41	163.74	105.33	6.34	6	0.539	0.50
K90-1	7.50	243.00	235.50	190.50	78	0.357	0.25
Including	102.00	175.50	73.50	70.50	96	0.541	0.50
Including	102.00	126.00	24.00	24.00	100	1.104	1.00
Including	102.00	111.00	9.00	9.00	100	2.282	2.00
K90-2	4.50	51.00	46.50	46.50	100	0.251	0.25
NK91-3	10.00	350.00	340.00	286.00	84	0.433	0.25
Including	87.00	347.10	260.10	245.60	94	0.515	0.50
Including	203.50	222.30	18.80	15.80	84	1.234	1.00
Including	214.30	218.20	3.90	3.90	100	2.727	2.00

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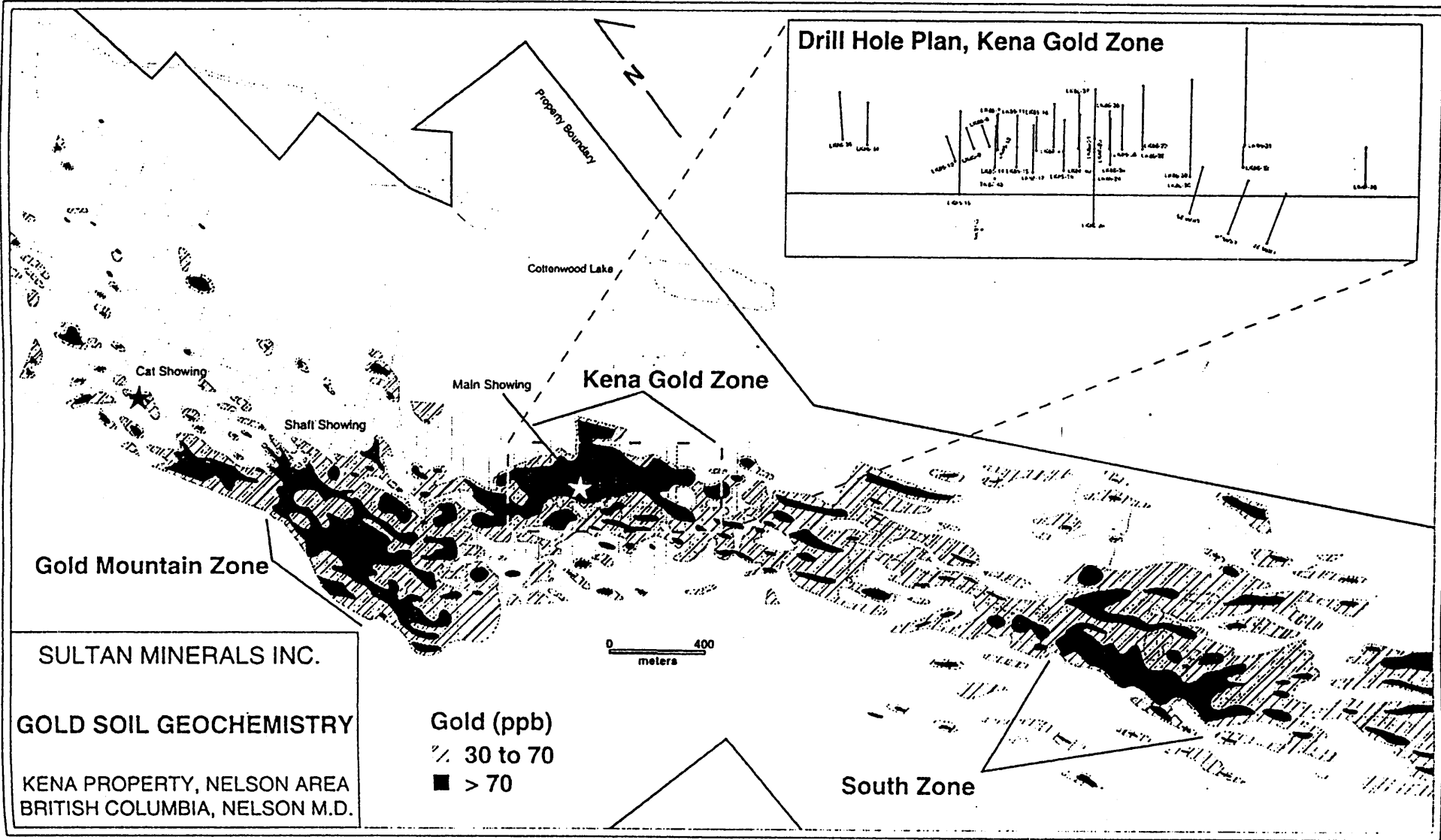
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