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## INT'L. WAYSIDE GOLD MINES LTD.

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CARIBOO GOLD PROJECT UPDATE . J. Frank Callaghan,

president. Inter-

national Wayside Gold Mines Ltd., provides an update on the 100% optioned Cariboo Gold Project at Wells, about 100 km east of Quesnel near historic Barkerville, BC.

The company has received from the Ministry of Environment, Lands and Parks amended Permit PE5553 issued pursuant to the provisions of the Waste Management Act. This is part of an ongoing process to maintain the waste management permit for the Mosquito Creek property, part of the project. Management is

considering the possibilities of using the mill site on the Mosquito Creek property for treating a bulk sample.

The company retained Jo Harris & Associates in February to make an application for a Project Approval Certificate under the Environmental Assessment Act for a 3,000-ton per day operation. The Project Approval Certificate is a requirement to expand the existing Mine Permit at Mosquito, to include the Cariboo Gold Quartz mine and its 1,000,000+ ounce gold resource. In September 1995, management began discussions with the Provincial and Federal Governments. The Cariboo Mine Development Review Committee met quarterly to discuss impacts and outline procedures for starting the application phase of the Mine Development Assessment Process.

Richard D. Hall, Ph.D., P.Eng., is preparing exploration proposals for open pit and underground gold targets on Island Mountain. Robert Reid, P.Geo., reports drilling on the 800-foot portion of the BC Vein north of the shaft continues. The 16th drill hole in this area is near completion. An additional six drill holes have been planned out to complete the drilling necessary for the "mineral inventory" of this area. Based on favourable results in the northern exposed portion of the BC Vein, drilling will continue South of the BC Shaft. South of the BC Shaft 1,700-ft. of known vein remains to be explored.

Management believes an opportunity exists for an open pit mine together with a high-grade underground operation. The Cariboo gold project consists of the Cariboo Gold Quartz Mine, Island Mountain Mine and the Mosquito Creek Gold Mine, which covers 11,500 acres over a distance of eight by three miles. The company has drilled off thus far a resource of 1,000,000+ ounces that may be mineable by open pit methods. (SEE GCNL NO.29, 11Feb99, P.7 FOR OPTION DATA & NO.25, 5Feb99, P.3 FOR PREVIOUS PROJECT INFORMATION)

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