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## HAPLE RESOURCE CORP. (MRZ-V)

NEW MOON PROFERTY - Maple Resource Corp. has acquired an option to earn 55% in the New Moon property, 55 miles southwest of Smithers, B.C. from

LUCERO RESOURCES CORP. (LCR-V) by payments of \$200,000 and issuing 75,000 shares and spending \$300,000,000 over 4 years, subject to regulatory approval.

The 25 claim New Moon property of 421 units is underlain by the early to mid-Jurassic Hazelton Group. Previous work has identified over twenty mineral occurences. The Main Showing has drill-inferred geologic reserves of 672,458 tons grading 1.90% lead, 5.81% zinc, 0.45 oz./ton silver, and 0.029 oz./ton gold. The zone remains open along strike and at depth. The northern group of showings feature surface values of 0.234 oz./ton gold and 39.9 oz./ton silver over 4.0 metres, and 0.376 oz./ton gold and 2.45 oz./ton silver over 2.0 metres from trenching. On the southern portion of the property, the Boulder Showing is comprised of banded massive sulphide boulders whose source is believed to be beneath the New Moon Glacier; samples of these boulders have returned assays up to 12% copper, with lesser zinc and silver values.

Maple is planning a \$300,000 program of surface exploration and diamond drilling in 1990.

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