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WEST PRIDE INDUSTRIES CORP. (WPI-V)

COPPER/GOLD PROPERTY ACQUIRED - Gordon Keevil, director,
reports West Pride

Industries has acquired for staking costs the Adams River copper/gold property on the northeast coast of Vancouver Island, B.C., in the Sayward area. The 4,880-acre property composed of 80 units is owned 100% by West Pride Industries. Copper/gold mineralization was discovered on the property in 1968. The discovery zone, characterized by a copper-rich shear-braided vein zone averaging 2% copper, was traced for a length of 1,600 feet. Lower grade disseminated copper mineralization (0.2 to 0.6%) occurs in the surrounding altered volcanics. Gold values ranged from trace to 0.02 oz/ton with a 2foot chip assaying 0.78 oz.gold/ton.

Limited soil sampling in the area of the discovery zone located two anomalous areas. Area 1 is 1,200 ft. by 1,200 ft. and Area 2 is 4,800 ft. by 2,000 ft. Limited magnetic and induced polarization surveying over this area defined a strong coincident anomaly. In 1972, six diamond drill holes were put down over a strike length of 500 feet at the west end of the Area 2 soil anomaly. All drill holes intersected copper mineralization. Reported values for copper were 0.2% over 8.5 ft.; 0.45% over 75 ft.; 0.84% over 77 ft.; 0.55% over 17ft.; 1.7% over 12 ft.; 0.31% over 29 ft. and 0.47% over 92 ft. The zones were not assayed for gold.

In 1983, a regional stream sediment sampling program confirmed the anomaly over the discovery area and defined two new larger targets. Neither of these anomalies have been tested. Preliminary field work has identified disseminated fine-grained copper in altered mafic volcanics. An altered felsic intrusive with disseminated copper has also been reported. (SEE GCNL No.140, 22Ju191, P.2 FOR OTHER PROJECT INFORMATION)

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