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METALLURGISTS RETAINED FOR RED DOG TESTING - Dr. G.

Wright.

P.Eng., reports Crew Natural Resources Ltd. has retained Bacon Donaldson & Associates to complete the metallurgical testing program relating to the proposal to ship mill feed from the 100%-owned Red Dog copper/gold project located near Port Hardy on northern Vancouver

Island, B.C.

The metallurgical program will include testwork based on the flowsheet for the nearby concentrator, and will determine grind versus grade and grind versus recovery for both copper and gold; produce a saleable concentrate from a cleaner flotation circuit; and determine compatibility characteristics when milled with existing concentrator feed. This detailed program will be completed in 8 to 10 weeks.

Additionally, the company has engaged Rescan Environment Services Ltd. to prepare an environment prospectus for the proposed project. This should be completed within two weeks and will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Lands and Parks as the intitial stage in the permitting process for the Red Dog project. Permitting for the project is expected to take some 9 to 12 months. (SEE GCNL No.21, 30Jan92, P.5 FOR PREVIOUS PROJECT INFORMATION)

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