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BRALORNE-PIONEER GOLD MINES LTD.

[BPN-V] 4,266,100 SHS.

AVINO MINES & RESOURCES LTD.

[AVO-V] 17,061,279 SHS.

ENCOURAGING GOLD BRIDGE - Louis Wolfen, president, Bralorne-
DRILL RESULTS RECEIVED Pioneer Gold Mines Ltd. and
Avino Mines & Resources Ltd.

jointly report results from the recent drilling program at the Bralorne gold project located near Gold Bridge, about 120 air miles north of Vancouver, B.C. Bralorne-Pioneer Gold Mines can earn a 50% interest in the property from Avino Mines by spending \$4,000,000 on exploration plus certain stock and cash considerations.

An underground drill program from the 400 level of Bralorne was implemented to intersect extensions of the Bralorne and Pioneer veins in the 2,000-foot gap of unexplored ground between the two mines. This is a large area that was not mined before the previous operators closed down the project in 1971 due to low gold prices.

The drill program was successful in proving three veins contain visible gold and two of the three veins are mineable widths.

HOLE 95-1: DESIGNED TO INTERSECT THE EXTENSION OF THE 52 VEIN

	INTERVAL FEET	GOLD OZ/T
"NEW VEIN"	772-772.5	1.266
HOLE 95-2: DESIGNED TO INTERSECT THE TAYLOR VEIN	296.5-297.5	.16
	306.5-309.5	.355
SLUDGE SAMPLES OF HOLE 95-2:	304-314	.184
	314-324	.593
OR	304-324	.390
HOLE 95-3:	322.5-324	.112
HOLE 95-4:	262-263.3	.313
HOLE 95-5:	240-241	.056

The results are similar to what the mine operated at, for almost 50 years and produced over 4,100,000 ounces of gold. Bralorne-Pioneer has made application to the B.C. Government for a mine development certificate and expect to receive this soon. The company plans to re-open the mine as soon as possible. (SEE GCNL NO.244, 21Dec94, P.1 FOR PREVIOUS DRILL RESULTS)

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