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NEWHAWK GOLD MINES LTD. [NHG-T] 13,317,708 SHS.

BRUCESIDE GOLD RESERVES FOR SALE - Donald A. McLeod, president,

Newhawk Gold Mines stated, "at a recent meeting of the board of directors, a change in the company's mandate was approved. This change in direction will allow for the sale of Newhawk's 60% interest in the Bruceside property and increase its efforts in the search for North American precious metal properties in areas with existing infrastructures."

The Bruceside property at Sulphurets is located about 60 km north of Stewart, northwest B.C. A feasibility study conducted in 1990 reported a West Zone diluted mineable reserve of more than 385,000 gold equivalent ounces with potential for additional reserves. In addition, there are at least 35 other known mineral occurrences on the property. The feasibility study indicated that a 350 tonne-per-day underground operation at then prevailing metal prices and an \$0.85 Canadian dollar would yield a discounted cash flow rate of return of 6.7%. Using current criteria, the discounted cash flow rate of return is estimated at about 20%. GRANDUC MINING CORP. [GDC-T. V] owns the remaining 40% interest in

the project and holds a first right of refusal to purchase Newhawk's interest.

Newhawk is now considering cash or largely cash sale offers for the property. Funds received from the sale of the Bruceside property will be used to expand the company's exploration efforts in Canada, the U.S. and in Mexico. (SEE GCNL NO.8, 11Jan96, P.5 FOR NEVADA PROJECT INFORMATION)

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