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## HILLSBOROUGH RESOURCES LIMITED

[HLB-T] 9,696,818 SHS.

T'SABLE RIVER DRILLING STARTS - George Vooro, president,

Hillsborough Resources

Ltd., reports its 63%-owned Quinsam Coal Corp. has started a drilling program on their T'Sable River property, located about 20 km southeast of Courtenay, on Vancouver Island, BC. The 20-hole, 5,155-metre program is designed to extend the previously identified 11,000,000 tonnes in-situ of metallurgical grade coal. The current drilling should expand the existing resource, provide additional information on geology and structural conditions, and investigate a new potential area on the north side of T'Sable River.

About 1,000 metres of core will be extracted from the drill holes. Core samples from each of the two previously identified coal seam targets will be analyzed for both thermal and metallurgical characteristics. As a result of this program, it is expected sufficient information will be available to support a mine feasibility study. The program is expected to be of two months duration. (SEE GCNL NO.117, 17Jun96, P.3 FOR OTHER INFORMATION)

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