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> [BRN-V] 8,456,078 SHS. WESTMIN RESOURCES INC. [WMI-T] 95,018,999 SHS. ATLIN PROJECT OPTIONED - Terry Tucker, P.Geo., director, reports Brett Resources Inc. has optioned the Bennett property, near Atlin, British Columbia, from Westmin Resources Ltd., subject to regulatory approval. SEE MAP OVERLEAF P.3. The option allows Brett to earn a 60% undivided participating interest in 14 mineral claims (over 3,300 hectares) by spending \$1,800,000 over three years, with a firm commitment to spend \$250,000 on drilling this year. Westmin will operate the initial program after which Brett will be the operator. In addition. Brett can earn an additional 15% (total of 75% interest) by funding all additional expenditures to completion of a feasibility study. According to the terms of the agreement, Brett will also issue Westmin 25,000 common shares upon signing the option agreement, 50,000 shares on the second anniversary, and 75,000 shares upon formation of a joint venture. The Bennett property lies along the northwest striking Llewellyn Fault system and is underlain by various volcanic and sedimentary rock units. The Llewellyn Fault is a strike slip fault system having both epithermal and mesothermal gold mineralization associated with it. Significant gold deposits along this structure include Mt. Skukum, Engineer and Polaris Taku. The regional stream sediment geochemical data clearly shows the Llewellyn Fault is a regionally mineralized structure and confirms the Bennett property is located on an anomalous portion of the structure. Two areas have been identified that could potentially host an economic gold deposit. These have been called the Skarn Zone and the Plateau Anomaly. The Skarn Zone is a 500 by 150-metre area of auriferous iron gossan and carbonate alteration in association with the north striking Paddy Fault. This alteration zone is open to the north and south. Limited drilling was done from a single setup in 1990 that encountered visible gold mineralization in five of the nine drill holes. The drilling returned several significant intersections including: 8.0 metres averaging 3.4 grams gold/tonne, 7.0 metres averaging 3.7 g/t, 9.9 metres averaging 2.1 g/t, 4.0 metres averaging 7.4 g/t and 4.0 metres averaging 4.9 g/t. These intersections were all near surface. Gold values from 1996 surface rock sampling by Westmin ranged up to 12 grams gold/tonne and averaged about 0.5 grams/tonne.

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