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VALENTINE MOUNTAIN UPDATE - Robert Beaupre, president, Beau Pre Explorations Ltd., provides

an update on the Valentine Mountain prospect on southern Vancouver Island, BC. Located in the B zone under forest cover are several geophysical and geochemical anomalies. One of these anomalies located between line 20600E/20087N and line 19600E/20137.5N is a distinct buried IP anomaly with a high resistivity response which appears to extend depth and is coincident with a gold-in-soil geochemical anomaly. Also observed in the zone are numerous quartz veins, one of which has returned an assay of 94.68 grams gold/tonne.

Access to this zone has been limited due to forest cover and has always been a prime target due to soil geochemistry and structure. A new access road is under construction along the full length of the anomalous zone. Staff are presently mapping and locating specific targets for future sampling and/or diamond drilling.

Last March, Beau Pre granted an option for Applied Mine Technologies Inc. (private) to earn a 40% working interest in the Valentine Mountain project by paying \$100,000 and spending \$1,400,000 on exploration by 31Dec98. (SEE GCNL NO.57, 21Mar97, P.6 FOR MORE OPTION DETAILS)

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