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## EASTFIELD RESOURCES LTD.

[ETF-V] 9,805,351 SHS.

## IMPERIAL METALS CORP.

[IPM-T] 59,402,778 SHS.

BEEKEEPER-ARAB DRILLING UNDERWAY - Glen Garratt, P.Geo.,  
vice president,

Eastfield Resources Ltd., and 50/50 joint venture partner Imperial  
Metals Corp. report a drill program is underway on their Beekeeper-  
Arab claim group located northeast of Williams Lake near the Village

of Horsefly, BC. The property is situated 28 km southeast of the  
Mount Polley copper-gold deposit (82,000,000 tons grading 0.42  
grams gold/tonne and 0.30% copper) presently being placed into  
commercial production by Imperial Metals. This year's program will  
expand upon the successful 1996 program when a number of en-  
couraging results were obtained. A number of holes completed last  
year identified a previously unrecognized intrusive breccia which is  
interpreted to be similar to the breccia which hosts the Mount Polley  
deposit. The breccia is believed to be at least 500 metres in diameter  
and has the potential to host a large tonnage mineral deposit.

This year's exploration program will focus on:

- additional drilling to evaluate the extent of the high grade intercept  
found in hole B-96-3 (22 metres grading 0.70% copper and 0.96  
grams gold/tonne).
- 5,000 hectares of prospective geology. Other targets defined by a  
1991 airborne survey remain to be tested by geophysics and drilling.  
The claim group encompasses a large area.

The first phase of the 1997 exploration program consists of  
about 3,500 feet (six holes) of diamond drilling. The second phase,  
consisting of additional drilling and geophysics, is tentatively  
scheduled for later in the spring. Eastfield is operator for the project.

The Horsefly area, particularly the Quesnillia Terrane (Quesnel  
Trough), has recently attracted a lot of attention due to the planned  
summer opening of the Mount Polley Mine and the activities of  
several juniors working in the area, including Eastfield and Big  
Valley Resources and others. (SEE GCNL NO.42, 28Feb96, P.3 FOR  
PREVIOUS BEEKEEPER PROJECT INFORMATION)

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