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CASCADIA INTERNATIONAL RESOURCES INC.

[CIE-V] 8,600,274 SHS.

WESTERN KELTIC MINES INC.

[WKM-V] 7,624,871 SHS.

FAWN DRILLING STARTS - N. MacKinnon, president, Cascadia International Resources Inc., and 50/50 joint venture partner Western Keltic Mines Inc. report a 600 metre drilling program has begun at the Fawn property on the Nechako Plateau southwest of Vanderhoof, west of Prince George, BC. This will be the second drilling program undertaken by Cascadia on the Fawn property. The drilling program is under the direction of Equity Engineering Ltd. of Vancouver, B.C.

Previous drilling by Western Keltic and Cascadia has focused on the Giver and Givermore Zones. Epithermal gold mineralization has been encountered at depth at both of these zones with grades of 2.0 grams gold/tonne and 25 grams silver/tonne over 8.1 metres and a 1.1 metre interval grading 2.02 grams gold/tonne. Further drilling of these areas has been postponed until the mineral potential of the Malaput Zone has been tested.

The Malaput Zone is located four km southeast of the Giver Zone and was originally discovered by the BC Geological Survey in 1993. It is an area covered by impervious till. Results of soil sampling may be indicative of mineralization and potentially similar to the Giver and Givermore Zones. The zone has been traced for 300 metres by 30 metres and is characterised by a zone of silification and seritization. Surface geochemical results of up to 225 ppb gold, 336 ppm arsenic, 218 ppm lead and 13,600 zinc have been found. The Malaput Zone will be the subject of a four to five hole diamond drilling program to test for epithermal mineralization at depth. (SEE GCNL NO.120, 23Jun98, P.8 FOR DETAILS OF INITIAL SHARE DISTRIBUTION)

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