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Dear Mr. Severin:

Thank you for your letter of March 29 regarding potential massive sulfide prospects.

Great Western currently has an option on the New Moon prospect situated west of Morice Lake and 65 miles south of Smithers. Previous work on the property in the late 1960's and early 1970's was directed to a fissure zone containing appreciable lead-zinc and minor precious metal values.

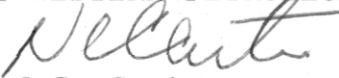
In the late 1970's, numerous float boulders were discovered in moraine. These contain high grade copper mineralization (7-9% Cu) accompanied by silver averaging 1.5-2 ounces per ton. Work by Great Plains Development in 1978 suggested the source of this float as being under small glaciers south of the major valley. The claims are underlain by a Lower Jurassic sequence of intercalated tuffs, sediments, volcanic flows and coarse pyroclastics of dacitic composition. Numerous mafic and felsic dykes are present. (Norcen Energy Res.)

Great Western had an airborne magnetometer-VLF survey flown over the claims in September of 1981. Results indicated a number of areas worthy of follow-up. Mineralized float boulders contain appreciable banded chalcopyrite and magnetite, often associated with jasper and chert.

Great Western is seeking participation in this prospect and would be pleased to discuss this situation further with you.

Yours truly,

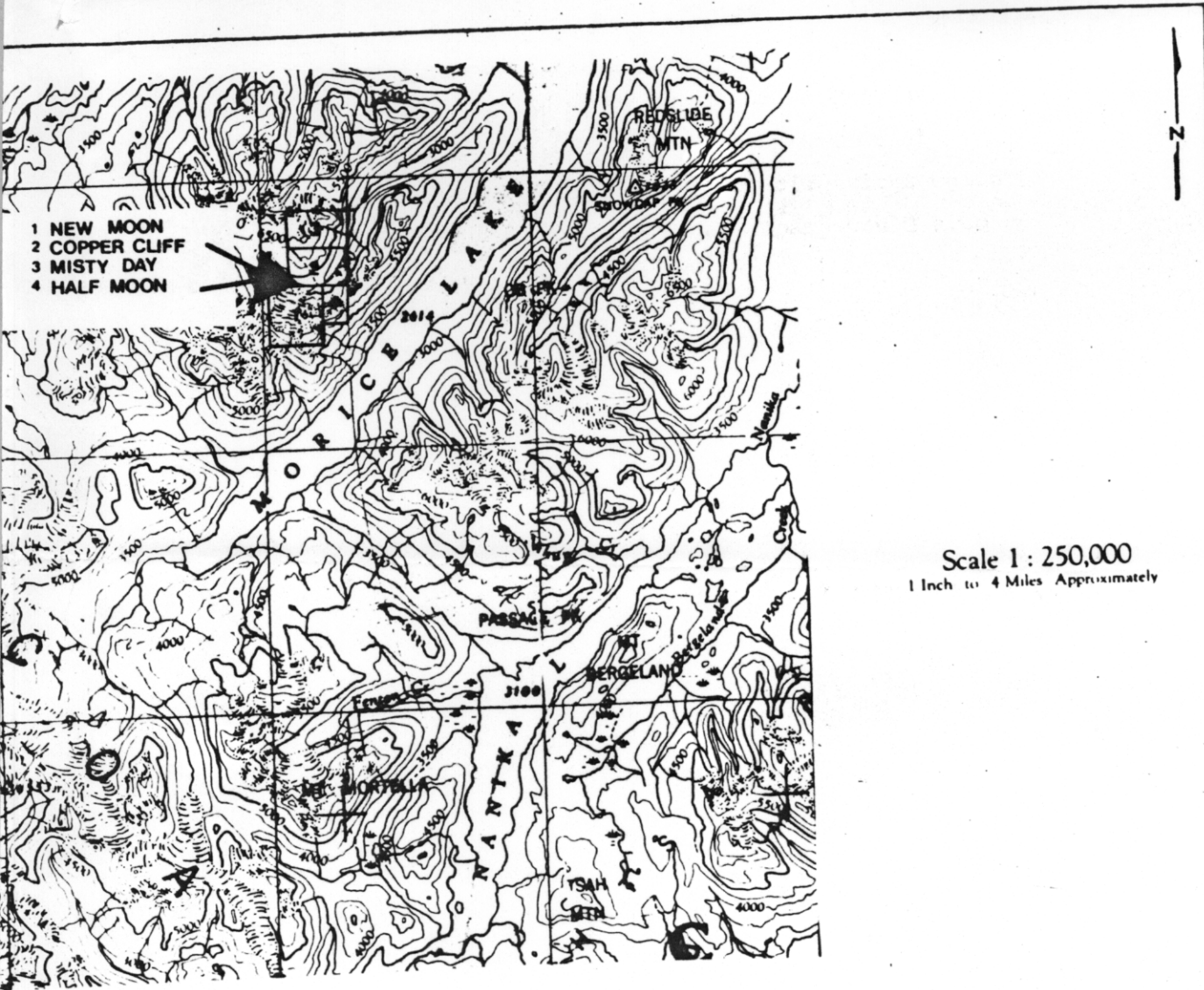
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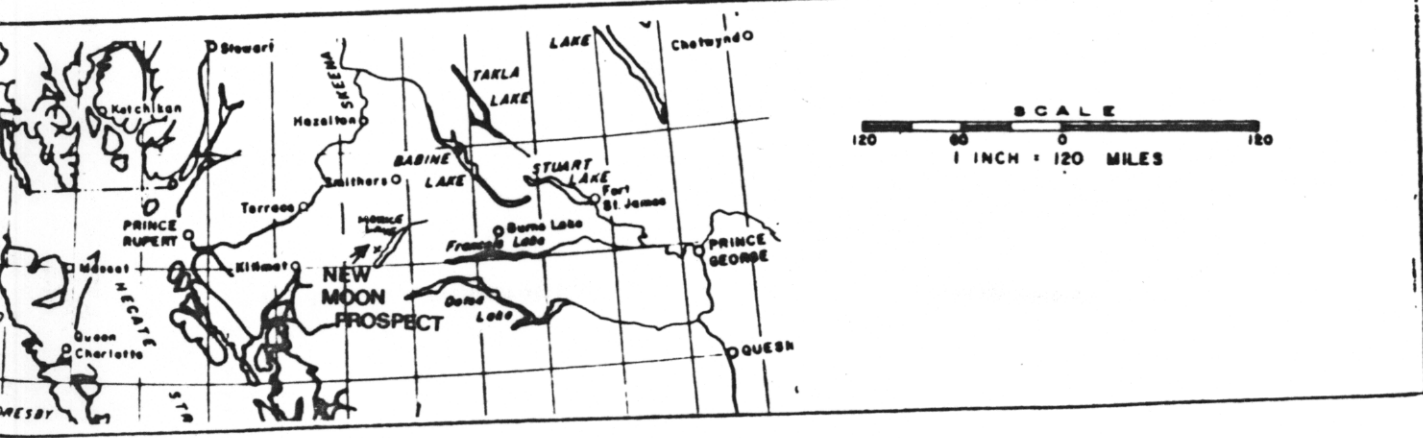
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Scale 1 : 250,000
1 Inch to 4 Miles Approximately

PLAN

Indicate claim boundaries, permanent watercourses, access road and distance to nearest town, proposed roads, test pits, trenches, adits, drill sites, and camp sites.



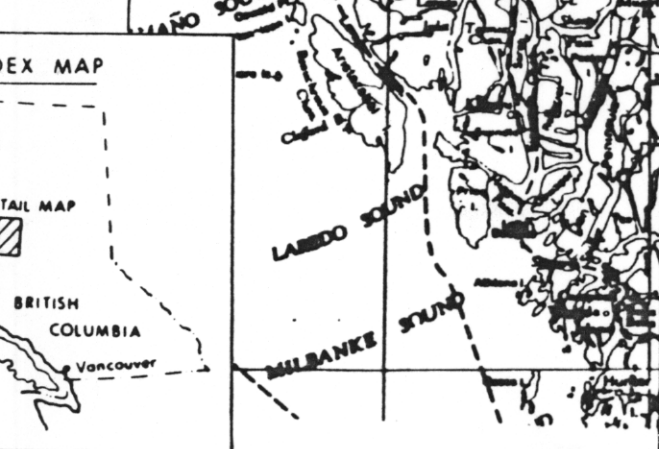
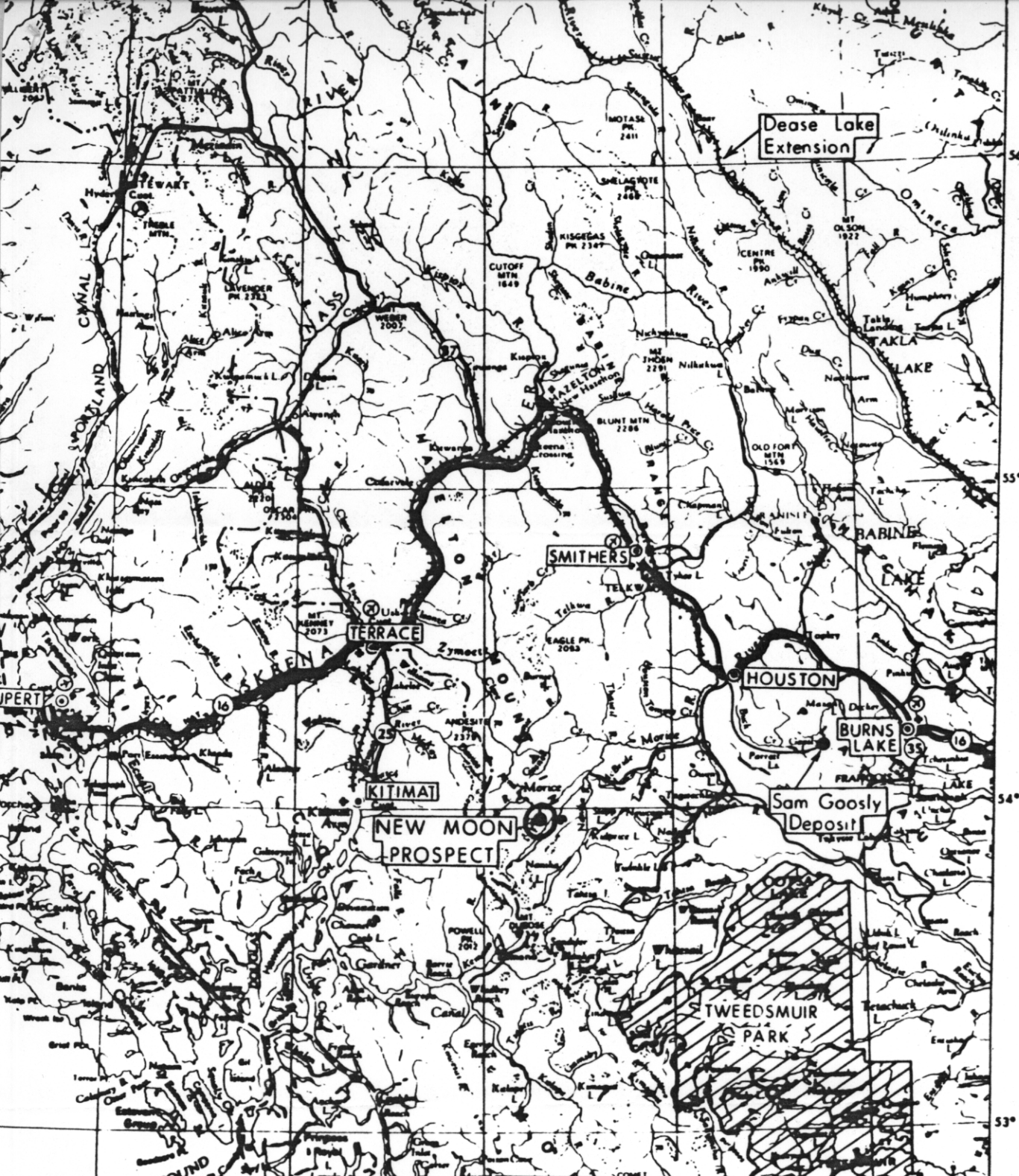
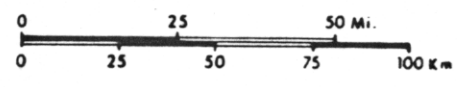


FIGURE 1
 LOCATION AND ACCESS MAP
 NEW MOON OPTION



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March 29, 1982

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Dear Mr. Carter:

During a recent discussion with B.C. government geologist, Dan Aldrich, he mentioned your involvement in massive sulphide exploration and suggested I contact you.

Corporation Falconbridge Copper is actively involved in volcanogenic massive sulphide oriented exploration in Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and California. C.F.C. has operating mines in Noranda (Cu-Zn) and Chapais (Cu-Au), Quebec and until recently at Sturgeon Lake (Cu-Zn), Ontario. We are contemplating becoming actively involved in massive sulphide oriented exploration in B.C. in the future. We will be compiling data and reviewing opportunities as they may arise during the immediate future.

If your company has a massive sulphide deposit or interesting MS prospect that requires outside participation, we would be interested in reviewing the situation.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Paul Severin".

Paul W. A. Severin,
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Exploration Manager