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Myra Falls Statistics 2000 final.txt
 From: Sean Mckinley [smckinley@boliden-westmin.com]
 Sent: Friday, May 18, 2001 12:47 PM
 To: Houle, Jacques EM:EX
 Subject: Myra Falls Statistics

Hi Jacques,

Here are the statistics that you requested, current as of Jan. 1, 2001.

Ore Reserves:

✓ Undiluted Mining Reserve - proven and probable ore for which a mining plan exists:

6,165,853 tonnes @ 1.7g/t Au, 46.1g/t Ag, 1.7% Cu, 0.5% Pb, 8.3% Zn

✓ Geological Inventory - proven, probable, measured and indicated ores; includes undiluted mining reserve:

11,890,276 tonnes @ 1.7g/t Au, 53.3g/t Ag, 1.5% Cu, 0.6% Pb, 7.7% Zn

(these are the numbers we use for our depletion and depreciation)

2000 Production:

2,200,031 lbs.

1,166,624 tonnes mined @ 1.6g/t Au, 26.7g/t Ag, 1.7% Cu, 0.2% Pb, 5.0% Zn

Cu concentrate: 66,922 tonnes @ 7.1g/t Au, 244.7g/t Ag, 26.1% Cu, 2.0% Pb, 3.9% Zn

Zn concentrate: 94,758 tonnes @ 2.5g/t Au, 61.5g/t Ag, 1.4% Cu, 0.9% Pb, 55.1% Zn

Knelson Au concentrate: 9.7 tonnes @ 5,021.4g/t Au, 1,644.6g/t Ag

I hope this is what you were looking for.

Cheers,

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* Need: Cu, Zn, Pb.

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From: Houle, Jacques EM:EX [SMTP:Jacques.Houle@gems9.gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2001 10:49 AM
To: McKinley Sean (E-mail)
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Subject: January 1, 2001 Statistics
Importance: High

Hi Sean:

I just realized that I don't yet have the finalized statistics for MFO, including reserves and final production numbers for 2000. Would it be possible to forward these to me at your earliest convenience? I did get your drilling statistics earlier, thanks, but I believe the reserves were pending the late public release of 2000 operating results by Boliden.

How is the exploration budget and drilling at MFO looking for 2001? The rest of the region is looking a bit better this year, based on Notices of Work submitted to date. People are even starting to look for VMS deposits again. Any chance of sneaking off the minesite if something is worth looking at?

Cheers,
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From: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Sent: Friday, May 18, 2001 2:44 PM
To: Houle, Jacques EM:EX
Subject: RE: PAA List for 2001, etc.

Arne phoned this am to see if I was still interested; I said I was. He also mentioned he was going to contact you. He's STILL waiting for the 'final' word from his backers. Production #s - that's fine, I can do that (FYI - in the past I was provided with the actual numbers - guess there's a change). See 'ya next week. Tom.

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From: Houle, Jacques EM:EX
Sent: Friday, May 18, 2001 2:33 PM
To: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Subject: RE: PAA List for 2001, etc.

Tom:

- 1) Myra Falls production- I think this is as good as you're going to get because they only produce concentrates and don't correct back to smelter receipts, so just multiply the figures and round off to lbs and oz's, or metric equivalents.
 - 2) It sounds like Boliden is finally getting its act together rescuing Lomas Bayas and Fortuna de Cobre, at least to me.
 - 3) Have you confirmed the 28/29 trip with Arne?
 - 4) Myra Falls exploration: \$2.1 million planned for 2001, consisting of 22,000 m of drilling and about 400 m of drifting.
- Jacques

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From: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Sent: Friday, May 18, 2001 2:04 PM
To: Houle, Jacques EM:EX
Subject: RE: PAA List for 2001, etc.

Jacques - thanks very much. 1) Re-Production: You quoted values in "Expl'n & Mining in BC - 2000"; unfortunatley, I should have been more explicit about my request - i.e. the ACTUAL amounts of metals produced (cf. grades from tonnes). I am often reluctant to assume that it's a simple exercise of multiplying tonnage by grade to get these numbers, depending on a number of factors e.g. recovery. What do you suggest here? I'm completing a Production/Reserves Table (for 2000) which I plan on forwarding to Headquarters and the Regions
2) Boliden Press Release - too bad re-Noranda/Falconbridge (Chilean assets). Any news re-Myra Falls 'interest'?
3) Jasper - on the 'hook' to visit on 28/29 with Arne (+ you?)
4) Myra Falls - expl'n budget for 2001?
Cheers, Tom.

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From: Houle, Jacques EM:EX
Sent: Friday, May 18, 2001 1:04 PM
To: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Subject: PAA List for 2001, etc.

Tom:

I noted in your report that you hadn't yet received this, so here it is. Also, I'm attaching the Myra Falls data from Sean McKinley. Speaking of which, I am attaching a release from Boliden for you as well.

Cheers,
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