

<u>WESTMIN RESOURCES LTD. (WMI-V,T,M)</u>						
INTERVAL	LENGTH	GOLD	SILVER	COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
<u>METERS</u>	<u>METERS</u>	<u>G/TONNE</u>	<u>G/TONNE</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
<u>BATTLE ZONE:</u>						
HOLE NO.14-918, Section 17 + 98E inclined -73 ⁰ South						
301.1-310.6	9.5	0.8	14.5	2.4	0.1	17.2
HOLE NO.18-307, Section 18 + 70E inclined -35 ⁰ North						
90.5-101.5	11.0	2.1	23.3	1.5	0.1	11.5
<u>GAP ZONE:</u>						
HOLE NO.14-757, Section 13 + 72E inclined -63 ⁰ North						
195.2-232.9	37.7	1.6	107.1	1.6	0.6	15.5
HOLE NO.14-732, Section 14 + 78E inclined -64 ⁰ North						
244.0-248.3	4.3	3.5	165.0	0.2	3.8	9.4

Westmin Resources Ltd. has reported completion of four additional ore grade holes in the Battle and Gap Zones, located in the Buttle Lake mine, 50 miles west of Campbell River, Vancouver Island, B.C.

Hole No. 14-732 is an upper zone which may be part of the Gap Zone. It is planned to deepen this hole plus No. 14-757 to try to intersect the Battle Zone below them. (SEE GCNL 193, OCT.6/92, P.1 FOR PREVIOUS RESULTS).

VANANDA GOLD LTD. (VAG-V)

SECOND PHASE 1992 DRILL PROGRAM PLANNED - Assays have been received

from DDH-50 which intersected a 30 metre wide structurally controlled silica flooded pyrite zone within the Lake fault, showing anomalous gold (up to 0.04 opt over 1 metre) in the upper part of the hole and increasing gold values towards the end of the intersection. Further samples are being cut and sent in for assaying.

The company is encouraged by the results to date and is expanding the second phase of the 1992 drilling program on Texada Island, B.C. This is to consist of the increase of the current one shift per day to round-the-clock drilling. Discussions with an international drilling company to employ their on-site reverse circulation drill enabling Vananda Gold to access the open pit quarry area are also underway.

Areas being tested are as follows:

The Lake target where grades as high as 1,123 oz. gold/t and 2% copper are found on the surface and IP work delineated a target 24,000,000 tons in size;

The Quarry area to the west where zinc grades as high as 15% were recently reported and trenching nearby recorded 10% zinc and 0.2 oz. gold/t over 17 feet in an IP indicated area, 3,000 ft long and 400 to 700 ft wide;

The Florence/Security area, a highly anomalous gold-copper target which covers an area 2,200 ft. by 65 feet in size and is west of the Little Billie Mine;

The Little Billie Mine where a geological reserve of 200,000 tons grading 0.34 oz. gold/t, 1 oz. silver/t and 2% copper has been outlined. During 1991, diamond drilling at the Little Billie intersected 46.6 feet grading 0.384 oz. gold/t and 3.04%.

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