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ASSESSMENT REPORT TITLE PAGE AND SUMMARY

TYPE OF REPORT/SURVEY(S)	TOTAL COST
DIAMOND DRILLING	\$24,654.00

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DATE STATEMENT OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT FILED . January 10., 1985. . . YEAR OF WORK 1984

PROPERTY NAME(S) ... Far. East. Group.

COMMODITIES PRESENT ... Not. Known.

B.C. MINERAL INVENTORY NUMBER(S), IF KNOWN

MINING DIVISION ... Nanaimo. . . . NTS ... 92L/11W.

LATITUDE .. 50° 35½' N. . . . LONGITUDE . . . . 127° 20' W.

NAMES and NUMBERS of all mineral tenures in good standing (when work was done) that form the property [Examples: TAX 1-4, FIRE 2 (12 units); PHOENIX (Lot 1706); Mineral Lease M 123; Mining or Certified Mining Lease ML 12 (claims involved)]:

E-23/31; E-37; E-41/48; E-50/52; E-59/72; Pam; Venus (16 units); Pluto (16 units).  
.. Wauk. (12 units.); .. Waas. (16 units).

OWNER(S)

(1) .. Utah Mines Ltd. . . . . (2)

MAILING ADDRESS

.. Box 370.  
.. Port. Hardy, B.C.

OPERATOR(S) (that is, Company paying for the work)

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SUMMARY GEOLOGY (lithology, age, structure, alteration, mineralization, size, and attitude):

The Upper Triassic and Lower Jurassic volcanic and sedimentary succession of the Vancouver and Bonanza Groups underlie the area. . . . Porphyry dykes believed linked to the Rupert Stock extend east to the area. . . . From south to north the underlying succession, dipping gently southward, from top to bottom is the Bonanza Group pyroclastic volcanics, Parson Bay calcareous siltstones, shales and limestone with shaley interbeds, Quatsino limestone and Karmutsen amygdaloidal basalt. Copper mineralization has not been detected in the immediate area.

REFERENCES TO PREVIOUS WORK

Report on Diamond Drilling on the Rupp., Ex., Beaver and Star Mineral Claims, May, 1977, by J. Lamb. 6270, 8178

TYPE OF WORK IN THIS REPORT	EXTENT OF WORK (IN METRIC UNITS)	ON WHICH CLAIMS	COST APPORTIONED
GEOLOGICAL (scale, area)			
Ground			
Photo			
GEOPHYSICAL (line-kilometres)			
Ground			
Magnetic			
Electromagnetic			
Induced Polarization			
Radiometric			
Seismic			
Other			
Airborne			
GEOCHEMICAL (number of samples analysed for ....)			
Soil			
Silt			
Rock			
Other			
DRILLING (total metres; number of holes, size)			
Core	182.9m; 1 hole; NQ size	Pluto. (#258)	\$24,074.00
Non-core			
RELATED TECHNICAL			
Sampling/assaying	Core Sample Assays	Pluto. (#258)	\$ 580.00
Petrographic			
Mineralogic			
Metallurgic			
PROSPECTING (scale, area)			
PREPARATORY/PHYSICAL			
Legal surveys (scale, area)			
Topographic (scale, area)			
Photogrammetric (scale, area)			
Line/grid (kilometres)			
Road, local access (kilometres)			
Trench (metres)			
Underground (metres)			
			TOTAL COST \$24,654.00

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Value work done (from report)				Information Class
Value of work approved				
Value claimed (from statement)				
Value credited to PAC account				
Value debited to PAC account				
Accepted . . . . . Date	Rept. No.			



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## INTRODUCTION

### 1) Geographic and Physiographic Position:

Hole R-16 was drilled on the Pluto (#258) mineral claim. The hole lies 5.79 km east Rupert Arm and 10.16 km east-southeast of the Island Copper open pit. The area east of Rupert Inlet is in the coastal lowland of the Suquash Basin forming part of the Nahwitti Lowland of the Central Trough physiographic subdivision. The area is characterized by rounded hills with a maximum relief of about 150 m. The high point in the immediate area is the Washlawlis hill to the north of Rupert Mainline.

### 2) Access to the Claims:

The hole site can be reached by following the Rupert Mainline logging road from its intersection with the Island Highway at the Port Alice turnoff for 1.75 km to line 155 E. The hole is located at station 41 N on line 155 E or 1.2 km south of the Rupert Mainline.

### 3) Property Definition:

The mineral claims and the two-post claims comprising the Far East group are owned by Utah Mines Ltd. Utah has now drilled a total of four holes on the claims. Other work included line-cutting, IP, mag and VLF surveys on the lines in 1981 and 1982, and soil geochem survey over part of the group in 1983.

The claims are bounded on the south by the postulated Dawson Fault. They are underlain by the Upper Triassic and Lower Jurassic volcanic and sedimentary succession consisting from south to north of the Bonanza Volcanics andesitic tuffs and flows, the Parson Bay Formation calcareous siltstones, shales and limestone with shaley interbeds, the Quatsino limestone, and the Karmutsen porphyritic and amygdaloidal basalts. The sequence dips gently south with the Bonanza volcanics on top. The granodioritic stock at the end of Rupert Inlet has been inferred by geophysical interpretations and substantiated by diamond drilling to have continuity to the east. It was to test IP and mag anomalies and the possibility of porphyry copper mineralization associated with an inferred dyke on the claims that hole R-16 was drilled. No copper mineralization was previously found on the claims. The nearest known drill holes are R-7 and R-8 on the Rupert Mainline drilled by Utah in 1977 and submitted for assessment.

### 4) Work Performed:

One hole was diamond drilled to NQ size between August 8 and August 12th, 1984.

INTRODUCTION / contd...

5) Collar Information:

<u>Hole</u>	<u>Inclin.</u>	<u>Length</u>	<u>Collar Elev.</u>	<u>Collar</u>	<u>Co-ords.</u>
R-16	-90	182.9m	61 m above sea level	1630 N,	58270E

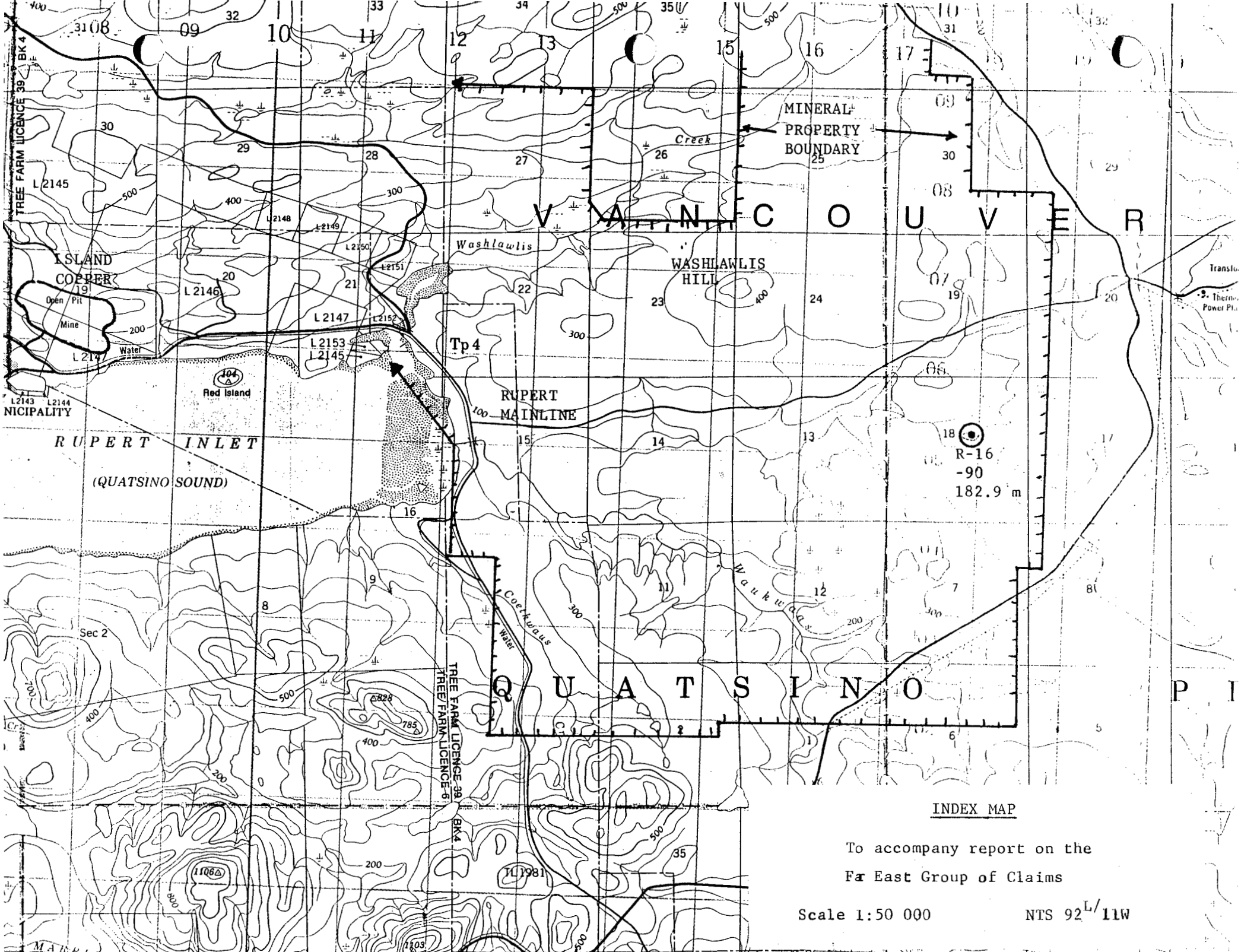
Co-ordinates are based on the mine grid system.

6) Core Logging:

All core logging was done by G.L. Holland, B.Sc., University of British Columbia, who is on Utah exploration staff in Vancouver.

7) Core Storage:

All core is stored at the Island Copper mine site.



INDEX MAP

To accompany report on the  
 Far East Group of Claims

Scale 1:50 000

NTS 92<sup>L/</sup>11W

RESULTS:

The hole intersected only 6.1 meters (20 feet) of overburden. This was much less than expected from reports of attempts by others to penetrate in excess of 100 meters of overburden to the south of the drill site.

From 6.1 to 150.6 meters (20 to 494 feet) the hole intersected grass green to dark green, quartz, chlorite, epidote altered andesite tuff. The tuff is massive with generally distinct ash sized particles. Alterations are moderate with sections of strong pervasive silicification associated with moderate magnetite alteration in the dark green sections. The fracture intensity is moderate with a high degree of infilling with silica and calcite. The sulphide content is generally less than one percent with pyrite distribution fracture controlled. Shears and faults with up to 3 cm of gouge and mud are scattered through the section generally at 40 to 60 degrees to the core axis.

From 108.5 to 110.9 meters (356 to 354 feet) a strong fault zone with considerable gouge occurs at 20 degrees to the core axis. Below the fault zone there is a slight increase in pyrite content, a decrease in silica and magnetite alterations and an increase in chlorite alteration.

From 150.6 meters (494 feet) to the end of the hole a pink medium-grained, quartz, chlorite, sericite altered quartz-feldspar porphyry occurs. Silica alteration of the matrix is strong with generally weak chlorite and sericite alteration of the mafic and feldspar phenocrysts, respectively. Magnetite alteration in this unit is very weak. Fracture intensity is weak to moderate with pyrite, quartz and calcite as fracture fillings. Pyrite content at 2 to 3 percent is slightly higher than the above section.

CONCLUSIONS:

The hole confirmed that a porphyry dyke system exists well east of the Rupert Stock. However, there is no copper mineralization associated with the altered andesite and porphyry at this site.

STATEMENT OF COSTS

DIAMOND DRILLING CONTRACTOR

<u>Overburden</u>	20 feet @ \$16.75		\$ 335.00	
<u>Rock</u>	480 feet @ \$16.75	\$ 8,040.00		
	100 feet @ \$17.50	<u>1,750.00</u>		
			9,790.00	
<u>Field Costs</u>	(Moving, Setting up, Reaming, etc.)			
	2.5 Hours @ \$60.00	150.00		
	31.5 hours @ \$50.00	1,575.00		
	65.00 hours @ \$25.00	<u>1,625.00</u>		
			3,350.00	
<u>Other Costs</u>				
	Mob and Demob	1,250.00		
	Casing and Shoes	58.84		
	Core Boxes	121.44		
	Supplies, Freight	<u>685.02</u>		
			<u>2,115.30</u>	
				\$15,590.30

OTHER CONTRACTORS

D-6 Cat and Operator

Move Rig - 3 hours @ \$60.00	180.00	
Standby - 3 days @ \$120	<u>360.00</u>	
		540.00

Highboy and Tractor

Move Drill and Cat - 15.61 hours @ \$65.00		1,007.50
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Helicopter

Move Drill and Core - 7.9 hours @ \$528.		4,171.20
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Line Cutters

Prepare Drill Pad		<u>600.00</u>
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\$ 6,318.70

TOTAL CONTRACTORS' COSTS:

\$21,909.00



STATEMENT OF COSTS

COMPANY COSTS

Core House Labour	\$450.00	
Supervision and Core Logging	850.00	
Company Overhead @ 25% of Labour and Supervision	325.00	
Core Storage - 580 feet @ 40¢	290.00	
Report Preparation	250.00	
Sample Preparation and Assays 58 samples @ \$10.	<u>580.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,745.00</u>

TOTAL COST: \$24,654.00

Cost per Meter = \$134.81

Cost per Foot = \$ 41.09

Total Depth = 182.9 meters  
600 feet

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

G.L. Holland -

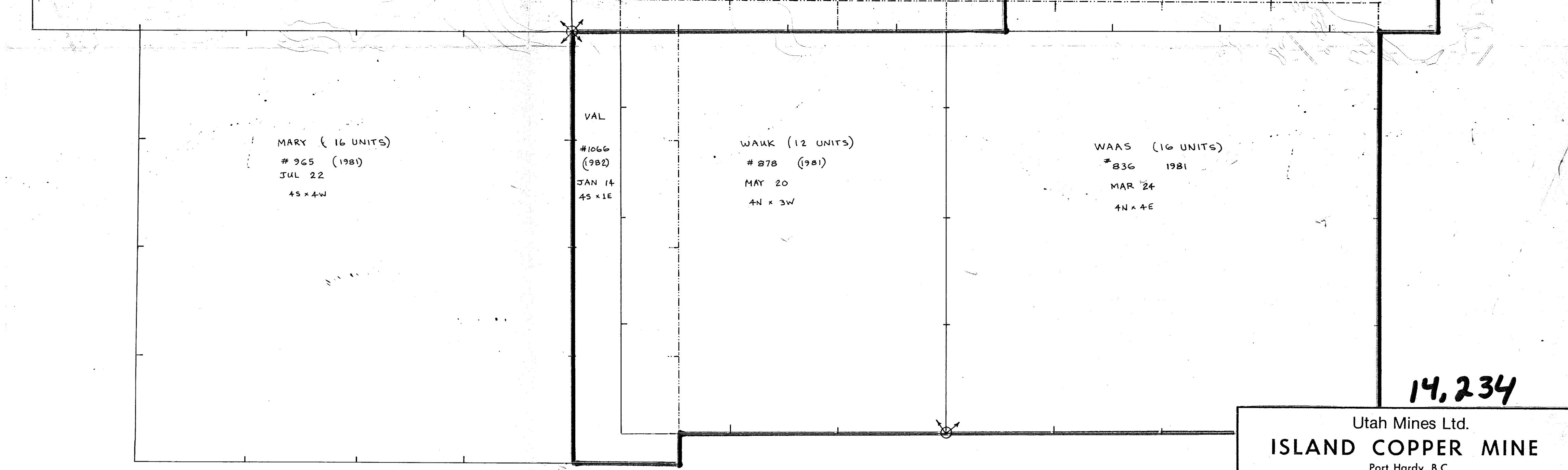
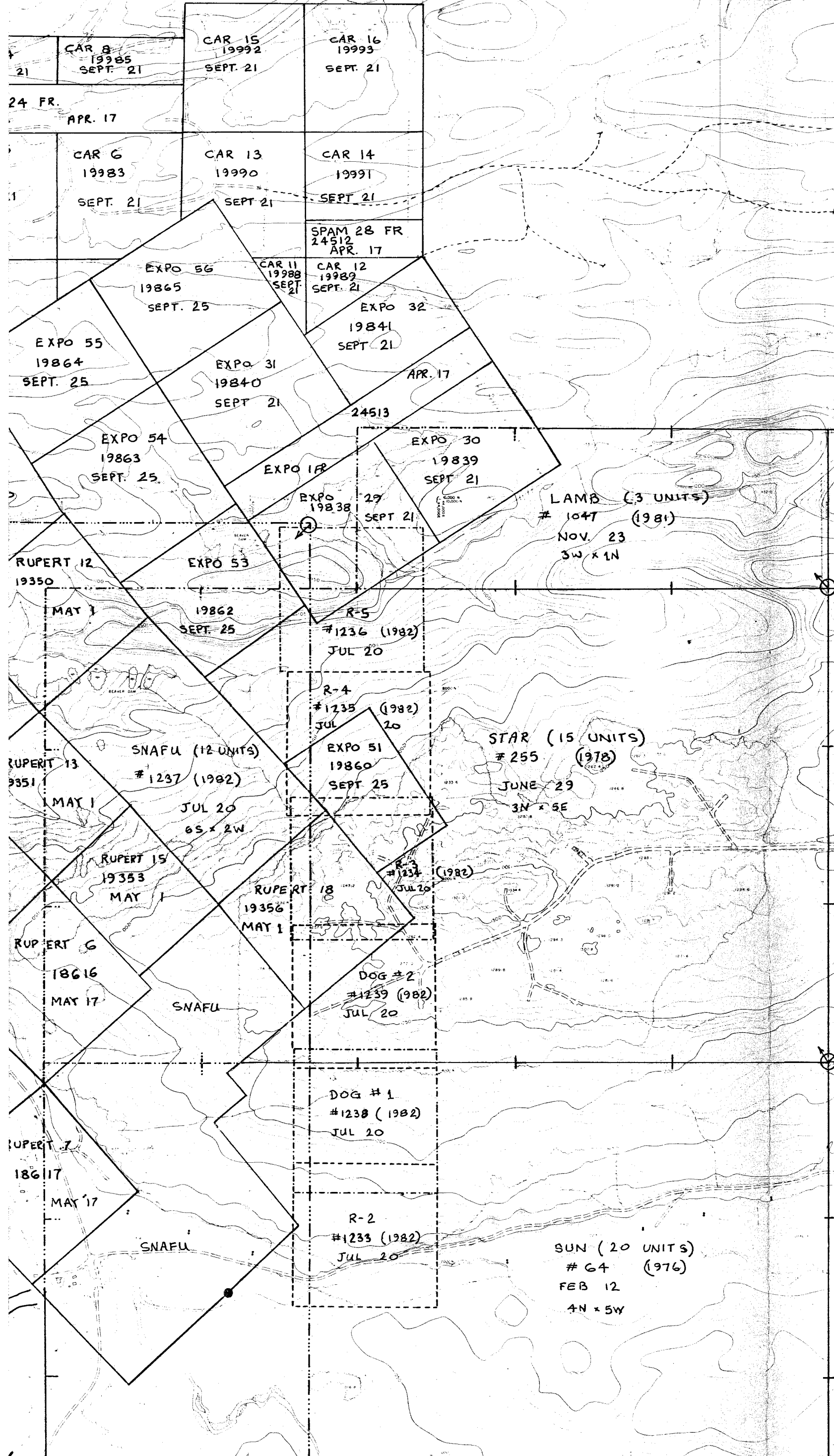
Geologist, graduated with a BSc from the University of British Columbia in 1978. Employed as a field assistant from 1973 to 1975 by Noranda Mines Ltd.; as a field assistant from 1976 to 1977 by Utah Mines Ltd; employed as a geologist from 1978 to present by Utah Mines Ltd., Vancouver Exploration office.

J.A. Fleming -

Geologist, graduated with a BSc from McGill University, in 1971. Employed as a geologist with Eldorado Nuclear Ltd. from 1968 to 1974; as geologist with Utah Mines Ltd. at Island Copper Mine, Port Hardy, B.C., from 1974 to present. Presently Chief Geologist, Island Copper Mine.

# FAR EAST GROUP

E-71 32498 JUNE 4	E-72 32499 JUNE 4	E-37 32464 (1970) JUNE 4			
E-69 32496 JUNE 4	E-70 32497 JUNE 4	E-51 32478 JUNE 4	E-52 32479 JUNE 4		
E-67 32494 JUNE 4	E-68 32495 JUNE 4	PAM 38011 JAN 10	E-50 32477 JUNE 4	E-31 32458 JUNE 4 (1970)	
E-65 32492 JUNE 4	E-66 32493 JUNE 4	E-47 32474 JUNE 4	E-48 32475 JUNE 4	E-29 32456 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-30 32457 JUNE 4 (1970)
E-63 32490 JUNE 4	E-64 32491 JUNE 4	E-45 32472 JUNE 4	E-46 32473 JUNE 4	E-27 32454 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-28 32455 JUNE 4 (1970)
E-61 32488 JUNE 4	E-62 32489 JUNE 4	E-43 32470 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-44 32471 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-25 32452 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-26 32453 JUNE 4 (1970)
E-59 32486 JUNE 4	E-60 32487 JUNE 4	E-41 32468 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-42 32469 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-23 32450 JUNE 4 (1970)	E-24 32451 JUNE 4 (1970)



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Utah Mines Ltd.  
**ISLAND COPPER MINE**  
 Port Hardy, B.C.

Drawn by	CLAIM LOCATION MAP TO ACCOMPANY REPORT ON THE FAR EAST GROUP OF MINERAL CLAIMS	Date
Traced by		Scale 1"=1000' 1"=12000'
Approved by		Revision
Bench Elev.		Dwg. No.