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QUEEN AND BORIN CLAIMS

**GEOPHYSICS** 

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By

A.W. Gourlay

of

MineQuest Exploration Associated

OPERATOR: GoldQuest I Limited Portnership

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Claim Name	Record No.	<u>Units</u>	Date Re	cor	ded
Borin I	1362	14	March	21,	1983
Borin II	1363	14	March	21,	1983
Queen 4	1366	20	March	21,	1983
Queen 5	1367	10	March	21,	1983
Queen VI	1409	20	May	25,	1983
Reborin	1858	14	November	16,	1984

January, 1986

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#### INTRODUCTION

The QUEEN-BORIN claims were staked on the basis of anomalous quantities of gold and arsenic in heavy mineral samples taken from stream sediments. Work in 1983, directed at finding the source of gold and arsenic, consisted of follow-up silt sampling, contour soil sampling, and prospecting. Areas of anomalous gold and arsenic were identified on the BORIN claims.

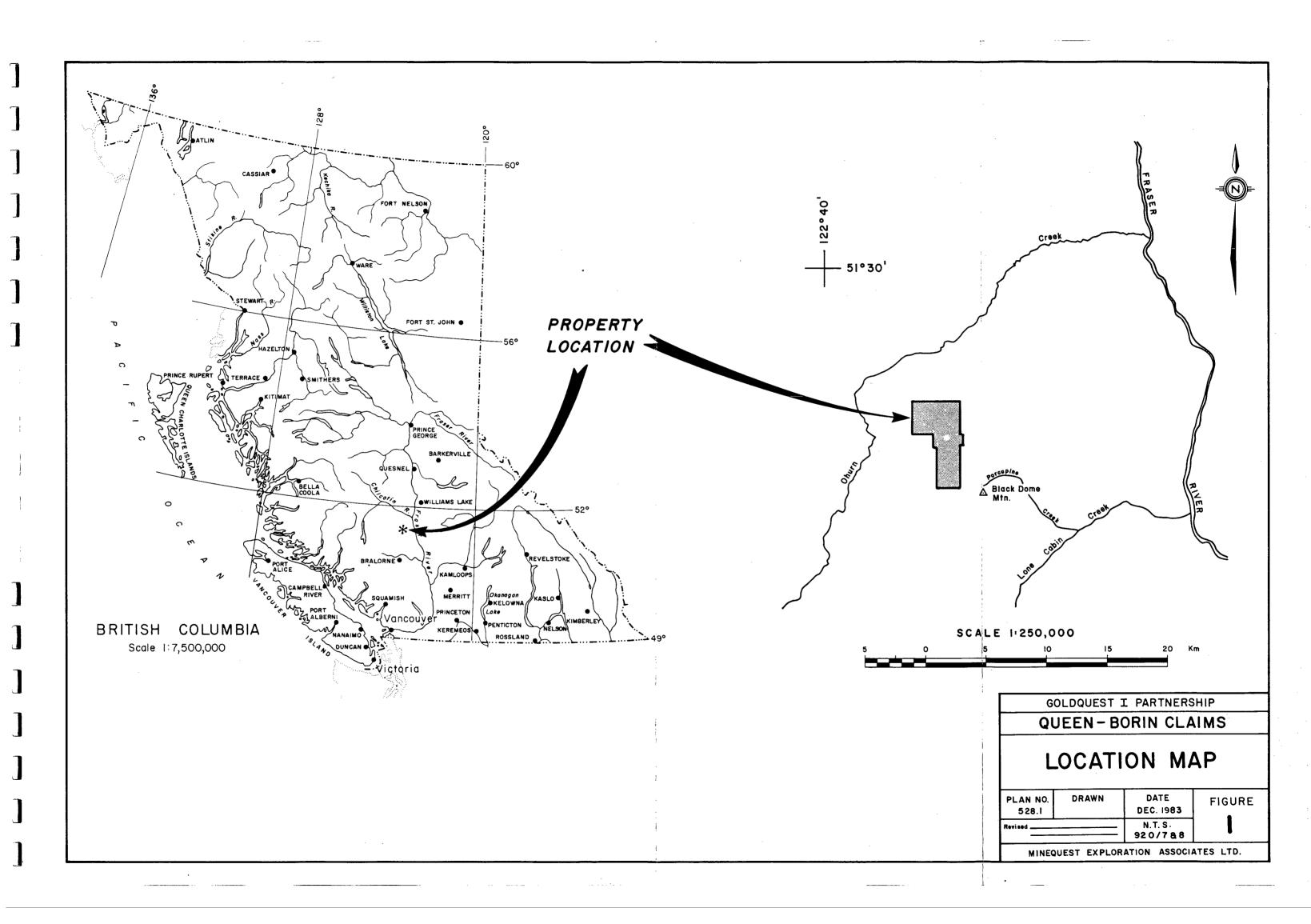
Work carried out in 1985, the subject of this report, was directed at locating geological structures using VLF-EM.

## 2.0 LOCATION, ACCESS AND TOPOGRAPHY

The QUEEN-BORIN claims are located in south central British Columbia, 230km north-northeast of Vancouver, and 35km southwest of Gang Ranch on the northern flanks of Black Dome Mountain (Figure 1).

The property may be accessed by helicopter from Williams Lake, or by logging road from Gang Ranch to Black Dome Mountain, three kilometres south of the property.

The claims lie at the northern edge of the Camelsfoot Range on a gentle north facing slope descending from Black Dome Mountain into the Churn Creek Valley. East-west trending creeks dissect the slope. Elevation ranges from 1550m to 2000m.



## 3.0 OWNERSHIP AND CLAIM STATUS

The claims listed below are held by MineQuest Exploration Associates Limited on behalf of GoldQuest I, a General Limited Partnership.

## TABLE I CLAIM STATUS

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Queen 4	1366	20	March 21, 1988
Queen 5	1367	10	. March 21, 1988
Queen VI	1409	20	May 25, 1988
Reborin	1858	14	Nov. 16, 1985

#### 4.0 HISTORY AND PREVIOUS WORK

The QUEEN-BORIN claims border the north edge of the Black Dome property, presently under development by Consolidated Barrier Reef Resources. Gold-bearing veins were discovered on Black Dome Mountain in the late 1940's and serious exploration and development began in 1977. Steele Mines Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Noranda Mines Ltd., funded exploration and development at Black Dome during 1982 and 1983 but elected to discontinue its involvement. Published reserves stand at 203,000 tons grading 0.79 oz.ton gold and 3.76 oz/ton silver, and production is scheduled to begin in April, 1986.

The QUEEN-BORIN claims were staked in 1983 by MineQuest Exploration Associates Ltd. The 1983 program consisted of silt sampling, soil sampling, and prospecting.

No lode mineral occurrences are known on the claims, but the following placer occurrences are reported:

Minfile No.: 92031

Previous Name: Borin Creek

Commodities:

BCDM MMAR 1966-259, 1967-297, Bibliography:

1968-291, 1969-376, 1970-484

Minfile No.: 92032

Previous Name: Fairless Creek

Commodities:

GCNL #161, #58, #106, 1980 Bibliography: 1)

> 2) BCDM MMAR 1966-257, 1967-297, 1968-291, 1969-376, 1970-484

#### **GEOLOGY**

The region is underlain predominantly by Eocene rhyolites and rhyolitic pyroclastics with overlying Miocene sediments and olivine basalts. Upper Cretaceous sediments of the Kingsvale Group and Cretaceous intrusives are exposed where the Tertiary cover has been fully eroded. The Cretaceous sediments trend east to northeast dipping between 30° south to 30° north. The Tertiary flows trend north-south dipping east. Regional faulting is commonly north-northwest and east-northeast.

The QUEEN-BORIN claims are underlain predominantly by Miocene-Oligocene conglomerate, shale and sandstone. In the north half of the claim block the geology consists of Upper Cretaceous siltstone, greywacke and conglomerate overlain by Eocene rhyolitic flows and breccias.

#### 6.0 WOR

WORK CARRIED OUT IN 1985

A reconnaissance VLF-EM survey was conducted between November 6 and 10, 1985. Five east-west lines were spaced 500 metres apart, with stations chained and flagged at 25 metre intervals. A total of 13 kilometres of survey were completed, using a Scintrex EM-16 VLF-EM unit, and Cutler, Maine as transmitter.

The VLF-EM survey was conducted by A.W. Gourlay with the assistance of A.R. Zuk.

#### RESULTS

Dipangle, Quadrature, and Fraser filtered dip angle were plotted and profiled at a scale of 1:10,000 (see Figure 2 and 3). Fraser filter values were derived using the standard formula. Dip angle profiles have defined three areas of different responsees. An area of high resistivity in the south-central portion of the grid is separated from another resistivity high in the northeast corner by a distinct conductive unit with an incoherent response. The southern resisting high reflects an area of scattered basalt outcrop and the other responses may be due to variations in overburden thickness or conductivity of bedrock.

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### CONCLUSIONS

The VLF-EM survey has outlined a conductive zone separating two area of high resistivity but did not define any distinct geological structures. Further geophysical surveys and geological mapping are recommended to find the source of gold found in heavy mineral concentrates and silt sampling.

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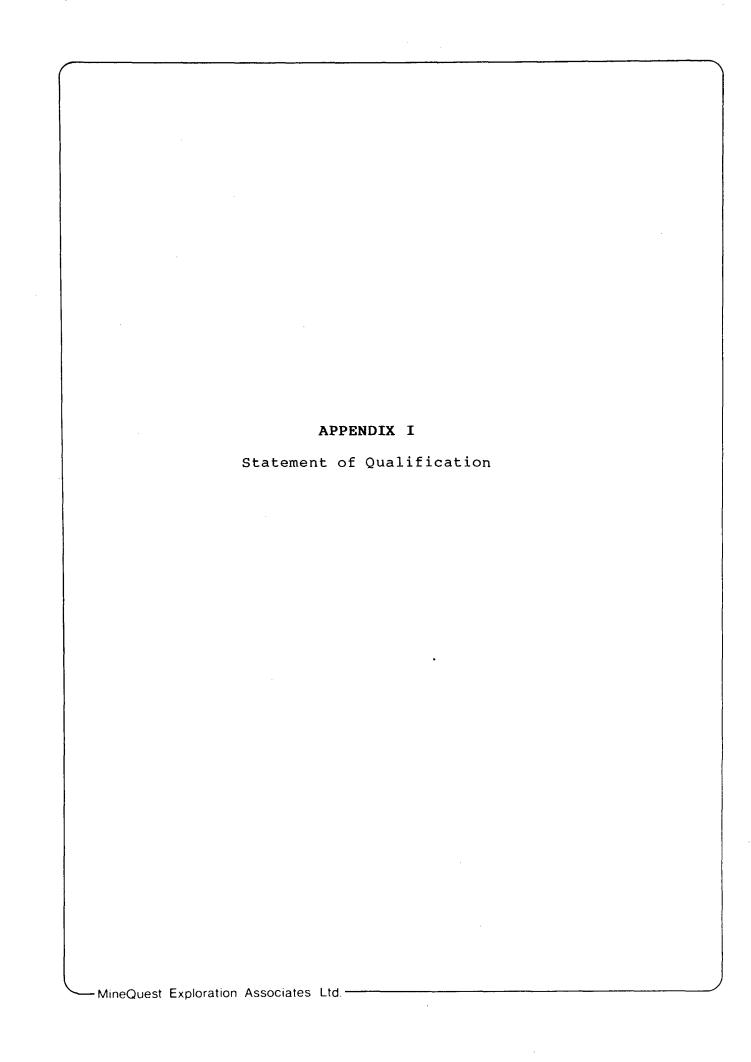
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#### STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

- I, Andrew Gourlay, hereby certify that:
- I am presently employed by MineQuest Exploration Associates Ltd. as Senior Geologist
- 2. I am a graduate of the University of British Columbia (B.Sc. Hons., 1977, in geology).
- 3. I am a Professional Geologist in good standing with the Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of Alberta, and a Fellow of the Geological Association of Canada.
- 4. I have practised my profession as geologist for 8 years.
- 5. The information used in this report is based on personal execution of the geophysical survey.

Signed

Dated at Vandouver, B.C

this 4th day of February, 1986

APPENDIX II Cost Statement — MineQuest Exploration Associates Ltd. —

## COST STATEMENT

## QUEEN-BORIN CLAIMS

# April 1, 1985 to December 31, 1985

Professional Fees (see Schedule I)	\$ 3,229.00
Temporary Staff (see Schedule I)	1,820.00
Casual Staff	749.93
M.Q. Rental Vehicle Charges	585.00
Vehicle Repairs and Maintenance	8.50
Fuels & Lubricants	179.31
Taxis, Parking	4.50
Meals, Accommodation	84.73
Freight	33.45
M.Q. Field Equipment Charges	144.00
Equipment Rentals	175.00
Groceries	236.49
Food & Accommodation, In Field	212.76
General Supplies	68.83
Telephone	81.75
Courier, Postage	27.60
Reprographics	311.79
Photocopies	3.55
Maps, Reports	18.98
Disbursement Over-Ride	144.37
TOTAL	\$ 8,119.54

## SCHEDULE I

## Professional Fees

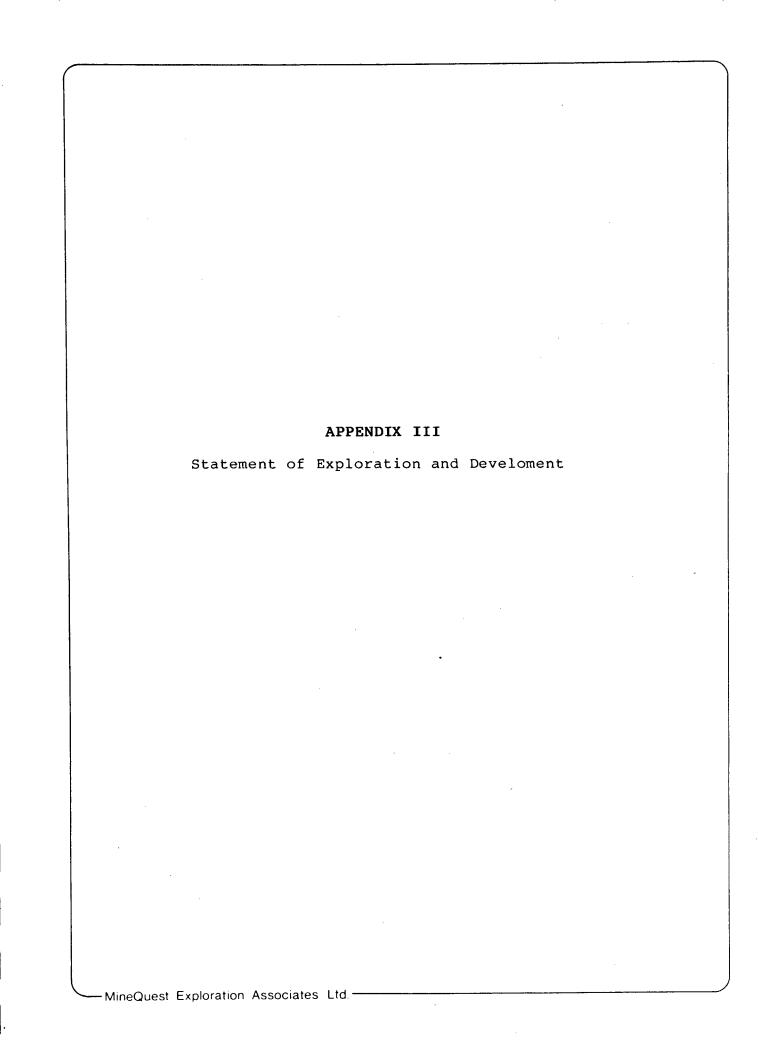
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## Temporary Fees

A. Zuk 5 days at \$120.00 \$ 600.00 B. Griffiths 4 days at \$120.00 480.00 P. McCarthy 4 days at \$185.00 740.00

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I, the undersigned Free Miner, hereby acknowledge and understand that it is an offence to knowingly make a false statement or provide false information under the *Mineral Act*. I further acknowledge and understand that if the statements made, or information given, in this Statement of Exploration and Development are found to be false and the exploration and development has not been performed, as alleged in this Statement of Exploration and Development, then the work reported on this statement will be cancelled and the subject mineral claim(s) may, as a result, forfeit to and vest back to the Province.

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