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Geochemical Report on the Mac 10 Claim Group

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Eureka Resources Inc. 837 East Cordova Street Vancouver, B. C. V6A 3R2 E D C A L B R A N C H

Covering:

Mac 10 (20 units)

Work Performed:

August 1, 1987 - August 20, 1987

Location:

100 kilometres east of Williams Lake, B. C

52° 21'N, 120° 40' W

NTS 93A/7E

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PROPERTY:

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LOCATION:

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CLAIM(S):

Mac 10

OPERATOR(S):

Eureka Res. 1987, 18 Pages

REPORT YEAR:

COMMODITIES

SEARCHED FOR: Gold

GEOLOGICAL SUMMARY:

A basal unit of Triassic black phyllites carrying gold values is projected along strike from the adjoining Frasergold property onto the Mac 10 claim. Scattered anomalous gold values in soil have been found on the Mac 10 claim on the strike projection of the gold bearing phyllites. Further work is planned.

WORK

DONE:

Geochemical

LINE 9.5 km

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SOIL 374 sample(s); AU

Map(s) - 1; Scale(s) - 1:5000

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### **Summary**

The Mac 10 Claim was staked by Eureka Resources, Inc. in the summer of 1986 to cover the possible extension of a highly anomalous zone of gold in soils that had been detected by Eureka on the adjoining Frasergold property, southeast of the Mac 10 Claim. The gold anomaly on the Frasergold property is related to bedrock mineralization, where mineralization is found within quartz veins and sweats along a preferred horizon within Triassic Black Phyllites. The strike extension of the phyllites and corresponding soil anomaly had been projected onto the Mac 10 claim group. Work completed by Eureka in 1986 on the Mac 10 claim confirmed the existence of numerous anomalous gold values in the soils. Consequently in 1987 a program of more detailed soil sampling was undertaken.

The work completed in 1987 confirmed the previous work by Eureka. A number of anomalous gold values in soils (up to 1,100ppb) were outlined. Thick overburden over the Mac 10 claim area prevented the outlining of a clearly defined anomalous zone. However the number of anomalous values and there scattered clusters, indicates that although dispersed, they are probably related to bedrock mineralization. Further work is necessary (preferably diamond drilling) to fully assess the economic potential of the Mac 10 Claim group.

#### Introduction

This report outlines the results of a geochemical soil survey completed on the Mac 10 mineral claim during August 1987 for the owner, Eureka Resources, Inc., 837 East Cordova Street, Vancouver, B. C. The work performed was carried out by personnel employed by Eureka Resources, Inc. under the supervision of J. R. Kerr.

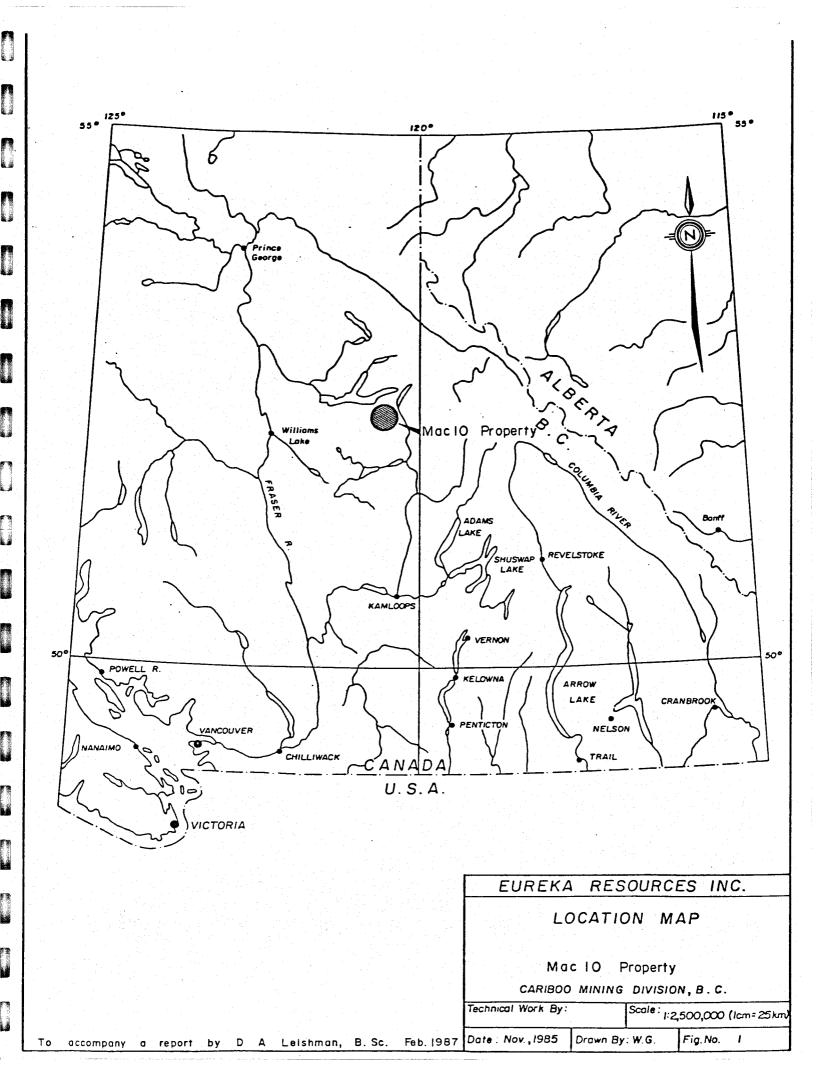
The Mac 10 mineral claim was staked in the summer of 1986 to cover the projected strike extension of a geochemical soil anomaly outlined by Eureka on the adjoining Frasergold Property (see Figure 2). A series of maps showing property, claim location as well as data obtained in this survey are included with this report.

### **Location and Accessibility**

The Mac 10 mineral claim is located in the central Cariboo region of British Columbia, approximately 100 kilometres east of Williams Lake. The claim straddles the MacKay River valley, with geographic co-ordinates of the centre of the claims at 52 °21' N and 120 °40' W, N.T.S. 93A/7E (Figures 1 and 2).

The best access to the property is east along the paved Horsefly highway for 55 kilometres from 150 Mile House on Highway 97. An all-weather logging road is then followed along the Horsefly River to the northeast for approximately 55 kilometres where a branch road to the southeast enters the MacKay River valley.

Approximately 7 kilometres along this road, the western boundary of the Mac 10 claim group is traversed. This road continues and where it crosses the Mackay River marks the approximate eastern boundary of the claim group. This access road is in good repair and open to two wheel drive vehicles. A second road, south of the Mackay River with ancillary cat roads provides good access to areas within the claim. It is expected logging in the immediate vicinity of the Mac 10 claim during the winter of 1987/88 will keep these roads open most of the year.



#### Claims

The Mac 10 claim group consists of 1 metric claim, Mac 10 (20 units) covering an area of approximately 500 hectares (Figure 2 and 3).

Claim Name	Units	Tag No.	Record No.	Expiry Date
Mac 10	20	106877	7838	July 31, 1990

The registered owner of the claims is Eureka Resources, Inc. 837 East Cordova Street, Vancouver, B. C.

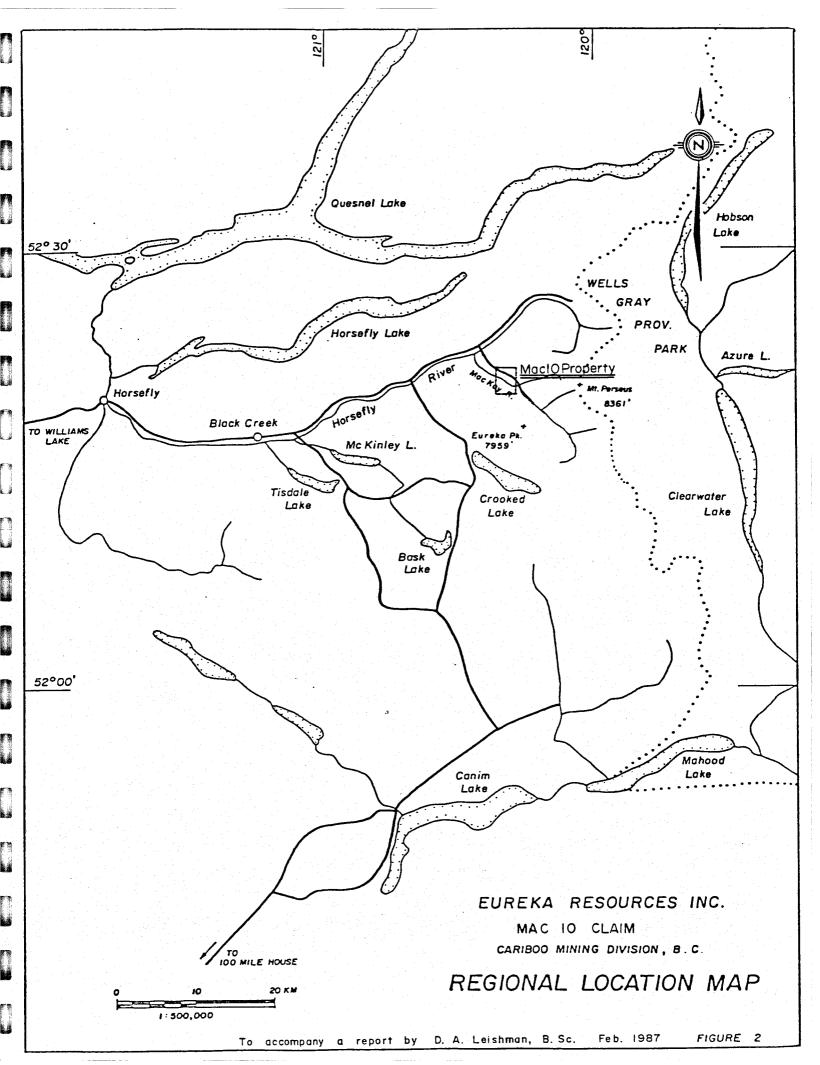
## Physiography and Vegetation

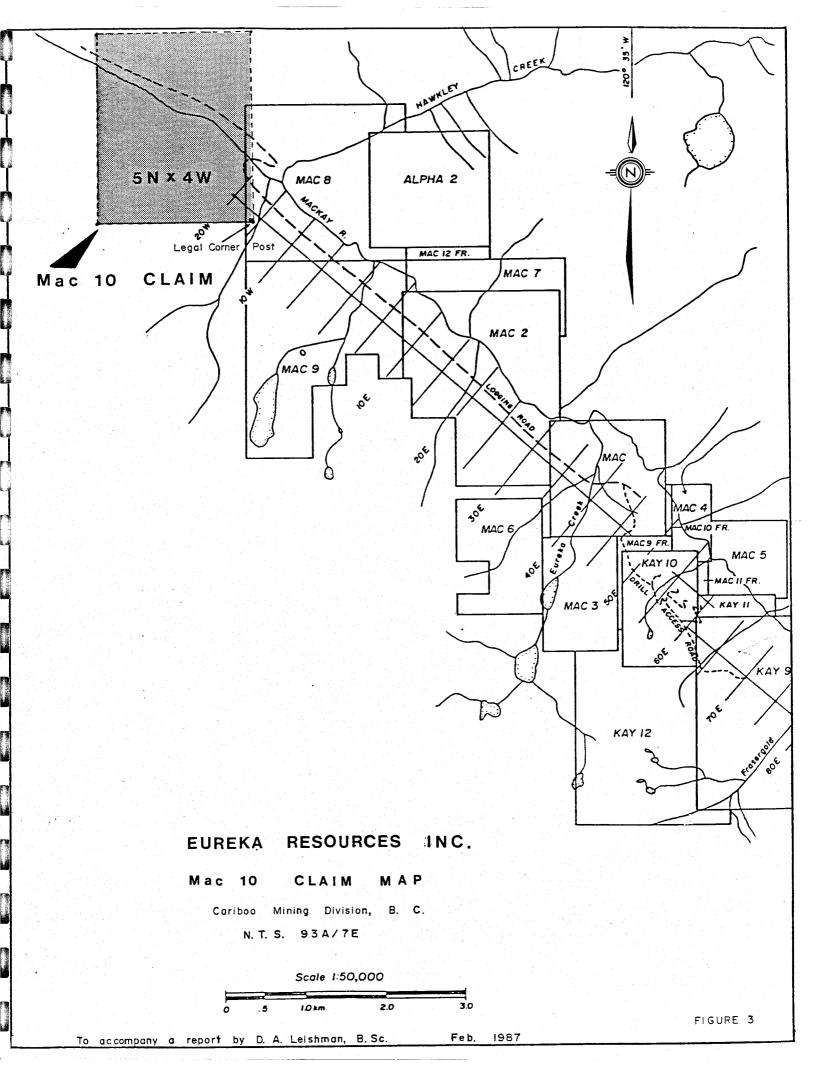
The Mac 10 claim group covers a portion of the west flank of the Cariboo Mountain Range. The claims straddle the Mackay River, with the larger area southwest of the river. Topography is considered moderate with relief from 1,158 metres a.s.l. along the river valley to 1,676 metres a.s.l. at the southwest corner to 1,768 metres a.s.l. in the northeast corner of the claim block (Figure 3).

The vegetation along the Mackay River valley consists of good stands of commercial spruce and balsam with thick underbrush. Forest cover is lighter above 1,600 metres and alpine vegetation is encountered at approximately the 1,800 metre elevation. Large areas of the claim (approximately 30%) have undergone logging which has left a good network of access trails.

#### **Exploration History**

There is no documentation of work completed within the area covered by the Mac 10 mineral claim with the exception of that by Eureka Resources, Inc. in the summer of 1986. Recent work by Eureka Resources, Inc. has revealed the existence of a very large and possibly continuous geochemcial anomaly immediately to the southeast of the Mac 10 claim group (the Frasergold Property). The strike direction of this anomaly projects onto the Mac 10 mineral claim.



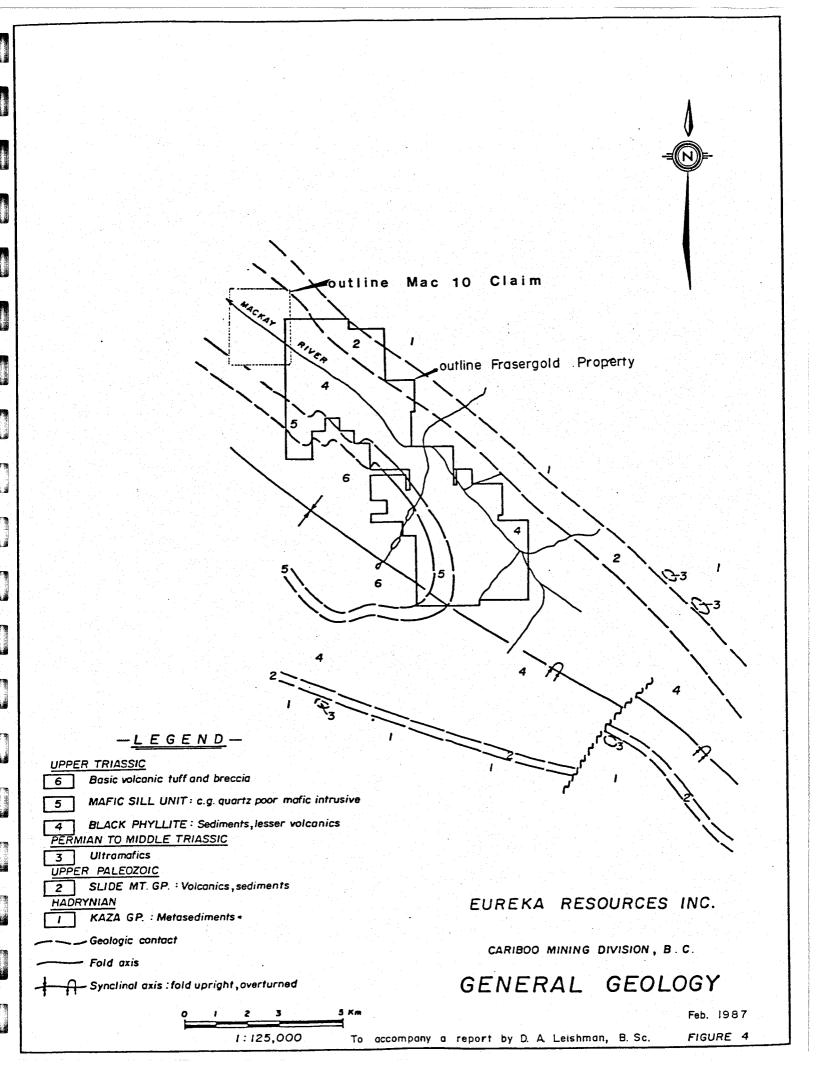


In the late 70's Mr. C. E. Gunn of Whiterock B. C. was attracted to the Mackay River valley on the basis of references in B.C.D.M. reports dated near the turn of the century which referred to the testing of the placer potential in the Mackay River valley. This prompted Gunn to stake what is now part of the Frasergold property. Prior to this work by Gunn, the only documented report of exploration in the area was on the adjacent Eureka Peak property (south and east of the Mac 10 claim) which was explored for porphyry copper potential by both Amax and Rio Tinto. Presently this property is under option to Union Miniere. Although some gold values have been reported, the mineralization on the Eureka Peak property is within a different geological setting than encountered on the Mac 10 claim group.

During the initial soil survey performed on the Mac 10 claim evidence was found of an old flume (Line 37 W, 1+75N). This flume might be related to the work investigated by Gunn. More recently, Eureka has been exploring and developing the adjoining Frasergold property the the southeast. The potential for developing economic reserves within the area of the Frasergold property appears to be excellent and consequently the possible strike extension of the mineralized horizon was staked (Mac 10 claim).

## **Regional Geology**

Figure 4 illustrates the regional geology of the Mackay River area. Mineralization on the Frasergold property is confined to the basal sedimentary unit of the Triassic volcanic/sedimentary assemblage of the Intermontane Belt of rocks of central British Columbia. The Mac 10 property is associated with a major, unique synform structural feature which has protruded into the Paleozoic sedimentary rocks of the Omineca belt to the east. Recent mapping by Bloodgood of the B.C.D.M. has provided more detail in the immediate area of the Mac 10 mineral claim. This work has tended to confirm previous mapping by Campbell.



### **Geochemical Survey**

#### Introduction

All work was completed in an area where a grid had been established in the summer of 1986. Previously grid lines had been spaced at 200 metre intervals with all of the work confined to the area south of the Mackay River. In 1987 lines were established between previous lines which meant a grid coverage of 100 metre intervals. The area of work was confined mainly to areas where anomalous values in soils had been previously obtained with a limited amount of sampling north of the Mackay River.

Due to the configuration of the claim some sampling took place on the Frasergold property (see Figure 5). For the sake of completion, all of the survey work is being documented in this report. Costs of the total program have been pro-rated on a per sample basis to insure only costs incurred on the Mac 10 claim are used for assessment purposes

#### Sampling Method

In 1986 a baseline was extended from the adjoining Frasergold property. Grid lines were spaced at 200 metre intervals with soil samples collected at 25 metre intervals along these lines. Lines were laid out by compass (north 45°east), flagged, and chained with grid co-ordinates marked on the flagging at the appropriate station. All soil samples were taken from the "B" soil horizon, usually 15-30 centimetres deep with a small mattock. A total of 342 samples were taken in 1986. In 1987 a further 374 samples were taken. These samples were taken along lines spaced at 100 metre intervals between previously sampled lines. Also a limited amount of sampling was completed north of the Mackay River.

Sample values obtained in the 1987 work are plotted on Figure 5 with the values obtained previously in 1986. This was considered necessary to allow for a meaningful interpretation of anomalous results. To distinguish results of the 1987 program from that of 1986, Table I below lists lines and samples taken during the summer of 1987.

All samples were collected in waterproof kraft envelopes and upon completion of the survey

were sent to Min-En Laboratories Ltd. of 705 West 15th Street, North Vancouver, B. C. All samples were analysed by Atomic Absorption.

Line	Grid co-ordinates	No. of samples
18+00 W	4+75N to 6+00N	6
19+00 W	5+50N	1
20+00W	4+25N to 6+00N, BL to 4+50N	27
22+00W	4+75N to 6+00N, BL to 4+75N	26
24+00W	5+25N to 6+00N, 1+00S to 4+00N	25
26+00W	5+50N to 6+00N, 4+00S to 5+00N	40
28+00W	5+75N to 6+00N, 4+00S to 5+00N	39
30+00W	5+50N to 6+00N, 4+00S to 5+25N	41
32+00W	4+25N to 6+00N, 4+00S to 5+00N	45
34+00W	3+25N to 6+00N, BL to 4+75S	29
36+00W	3+00N to 6+00N, BL to 4+00S	30
38+00W	3+00N to 6+00N, BL to 4+00S	30
40+00W	2+25N to 6+00N	16
42+00W	1+50N to 6+00N	19

Lines Surveyed and Samples Taken 1987
Table I

# **Laboratory Determination**

Samples were dried and sieved (minus-80 mesh stainless steel). A sample of 0.5 grams was then digested in hot dilute aqua regia in a boiling water bath and diluted to 10 millimetres with demineralized water. The extracted metals were then determined by the Atomic Absorption method with results given in parts per billion.

All samples were analysed for gold only. In instances where there wasn't enough -80 mesh material available -40 or -20 mesh size was used. This happened 54 times for -40 mesh and 22 times for -20 mesh size.

#### Presentation of Results

The values obtained in the soil survey were plotted on a 1:5,000 base plan showing the major drainages, grid lines and claim boundaries (Figure 5). Values are classified into four categories (see below) with the anomalies indicated by symbols. Usually for determination of anomalous values in geochemical data arithmetic Mean and Standard Deviation are calculated. A soil sample is defined as anomalous if its value is greater than the Mean plus 2 Standard Deviations. However in the sampling of the Mac 10 claim it was intended to relate the values obtained with those on the adjoining Frasergold property. Consequently soil anomalies were classified as below to allow a direct comparison to results obtained in previous surveys over the adjoining Frasergold property.

Greater than 149 ppb Au 50 to 149 ppb Au 25 to 49 ppb Au less than 25 ppb Au Anomalous
Probably Anomalous
Possibly Anomalous
Non Anomalous

#### Discussion of Results:

A total of 27 samples have been classified as Possibly Anomalous, Probably Anomalous or Anomalous. This is approximately 7% of the samples taken. Of these, 18 samples returned values greater or equal to 50 ppb Au. This works out to approximately 5% of the total number of samples taken and compares favourably to the percentage of anomalous values expected in a population with a normal distribution.

Figure 5 illustrates all plotted values from the 1986 and 1987 programs with symbols and contour lines highlighting Possibly Anomalous, Probably Anomalous and Anomalous sample sites.

There are no long, clearly defined zones of anomalous geochemical values. This is to be expected, as the Mac 10 claim is covered by a thick (undetermined) cover of glacial clay and gravels. From experience on the Frasergold property this overburden could be greater than 100' thick. However, there is a poorly defined pattern of anomalous clusters and individual values near to and

south of the baseline (Figure 5). Values up to 1,100 ppb Gold can be found in this area. A poorly defined strike direction of approximately North 300° West is associated with these values.

#### **Conclusions and Recommendations**

It is clear from the data outlined on Figure 5 that further work is necessary on the Mac 10 mineral claim. The limits of the soil sampling program have probably been reached. The continued success on the adjoining Frasergold property by Eureka Resources, Inc. encourages a more rapid exploration and development of the Mac 10 claim.

The geology of the grid area should be accurately mapped and the area where the Flume? was located (Line 37 W, 2+00N) should be prospected. Upon the completion of mapping and location of outcrops, drill hole sites should be selected that would lie stratigraphically above the prefered basal horizon of the Triassic Black Phyllites. . Consideration should be given that there has probably been some downslope dispersion of the gold in the soils.

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November 12, 1987 Kamloops, B. C.

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# **Appendices**

# Appendix I

#### Personnel

D. A. Leishman, B.Sc. November 1, 1987 thru to November 12, 1987 3.5 days

J. R. Kerr, P. Eng. August 1, 1987 1 days

Thompson, Will August 1, 1987 1 day

Thompson, K. August 1, 1987 thru to August 22, 1987 8days

Kerr, V. August 1, 1987 thru to August 22, 1987 6 days

Montagne, M. August 22, 1987 1/2 day

# Appendix II

# Program Costs

# Labour

	Sub- total	\$2.657.00
M. Montagne	1/2 day at \$120./day	60.00
V. Kerr	6 days at \$72./day	432.00
K. Thompson	8 days at \$100./day	800.00
Will Thompson	1 day at \$175./day	175.00
J. Kerr, P. Eng.	1 days at \$350./day	350.00
D. A. Leishman, B. Sc.	3.5 days at \$240./day	\$840.00

# Expenses

drafting, supplies, printing, xeroxing	400.00
Flagging, markers, shipping samples	140.00
16.5 man days at \$45./day	742.50
8 days (including fuel)	360.00
374 Samples x \$5.70 per sample	\$1,863.90
	8 days (including fuel) 16.5 man days at \$45./day

Total Assessment Costs Incurred on the Mac 10 Claim \$6,163.40

# Appendix III

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# **Certificate of Qualifications**

- I, Douglas A. Leishman, of Kamloops, British Columbia, Do Hereby Certify That:
- (1) I am a self employed Consulting Geologist residing at the above address and was employed by Eureka Resources Inc. to describe and interpet the program outlined in this report.
- (2) I am a graduate of the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, Exploration Technology (Minerals Option), 1971 Edmonton, Alberta.
- (3) I am a graduate of the Imperial College of Science and Technology, Royal School of Mines, London, England, B.Sc. (Hons.) Mining Geology, 1981.
- (4) I am an Associate Member of the Geological Association of Canada and a Member of the Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, London, England.
- (5) I have been actively involved in mineral exploration since 1971.
- (6) I am the author of this report which is based on an exploration program carried out by employees of Eureka Resources Inc. I am familiar with the Mac 10 claim having carried out the previous program of exploration (summer 1986).

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Douglas A. Leishman, B.Sc.

Geologist

November 12, 1987 Kamloops, British Columbia

