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Diamond Drilling Paterson Lake

April, 1990

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MINING DIVISION: Alberni

PROPERTY: Paterson Lake  
LOCATION: LAT 49 20 00 LONG 125 00 00  
UTM 10 5466728 336531  
NTS 092F06E  
CLAIM(S): Paterson Lake 2  
OPERATOR(S): S.T.S. Res.  
AUTHOR(S): Wilson, J.R.  
REPORT YEAR: 1990, 17 Pages  
COMMODITIES  
SEARCHED FOR: Copper, Gold, Silver  
KEYWORDS: Triassic, Karmutsen Formation, Basalts, Chalcopyrite, Bornite  
WORK  
DONE: Drilling  
DIAD 170.0 m 4 hole(s); BQ  
RELATED  
REPORTS: 16101, 16239  
MINFILE: 092F 340

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DIAMOND DRILLING ASSESSMENT REPORT

ON

PATERSON LAKE #1 TO #6 AND PATERSON #8 MINERAL CLAIMS  
ALBERNI MINING DIVISION

NTS 92 F-6E

Latitude  $49^{\circ} 20' N$       Longitude  $125^{\circ} 00' W$

OWNER AND OPERATOR: STS Resources Limited

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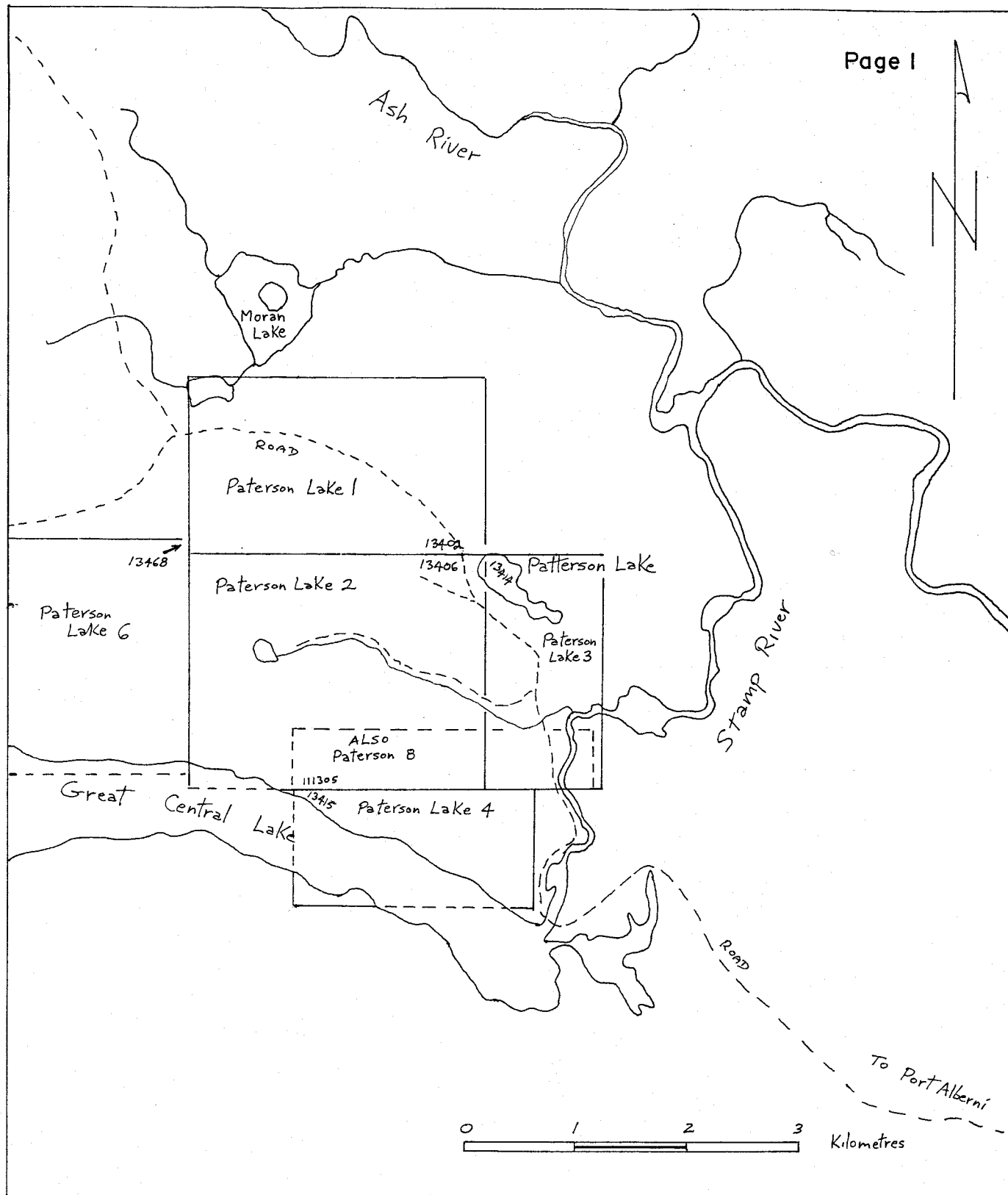
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PATERSON LAKE PROPERTY

SCALE: 1:50,000

NTS: 92F6E

FIGURE: 1

## INTRODUCTION

Diamond drilling was used to test a northwest trending vein and shear zone on the Paterson Lake #2 mineral claim which is part of a group consisting of Paterson Lake #1 to #6 and Paterson Lake #8 claims in the Port Alberni mining division.

The claim group is situated approximately 20 kilometers northwest from Port Alberni, B.C. They occupy the northeastern shore of Great Central Lake and extend north from the shoreline for approximately four kilometers. They lie west of Stamp River.

Elevations within the claim group range from 83 meters above sea level at Great Central Lake to approximately 480 meters ASL further inland. Moderately steep forested slopes rim Great Central Lake here. These slopes usually level out at about 300 meters ASL and the majority of the claims' topography consists of hummocky forested ground with higher points comprised of rocky knobs or sparse vegetation. Lower ground within the hummocky area contains forest, swamp, lakes and creeks.

The claims are accessible by a network of logging roads and an electrical power transmission corridor.

The claims were recorded in 1984. In 1987 an assessment report by Ellen Lambert and J.C. Stephen entitled "Geological, Geophysical Report on Paterson Lake #1 to #6 Mineral Claims" described the results of magnetometer, VLF, IP, geological mapping and sampling surveys throughout the claims. Mineralization consists of malachite, chalcopyrite, bornite and pyrite in Karmutsen volcanic shears and quartz breccias. The site drilled and described in the present report is in the vicinity of two old adits where Lambert and Stephen located low grade gold and silver values associated with copper mineralization.

The current owner and operator is STS Resources Limited.

Diamond drilling described in this report consists of four holes drilled to 59.25 m, 44.50 m, 25.25 m, and 41.00 m for a total of 170.00 meters. The core is stored in Port Alberni at the premises of SYMC Resources Ltd.

Copper, silver and gold mineralization has been located on the claims but the amounts found so far remain uneconomic.

## LOCAL GEOLOGY

The claims in the drill area are underlain by Triassic Karmutsen formation basaltic lavas. Previous work (Lambert and Stephen, referred to earlier) suggests the pillow lavas, massive and porphyritic flows and tuffaceous units belong to the middle to upper Karmutsen. They also refer to a Jurassic granodiorite intrusion in the extreme western part of Paterson #6 claim and related hornblende porphyry dykes and diorite dykes which cut the Karmutsen volcanics.

## DIAMOND DRILLING REPORT

The purpose of the drilling was to investigate a northwest trending vein-shear zone with gold, silver and copper mineralization. The zone was thus tested to approximately 40 meters below surface by drilling two angle holes (at 45° and 70°) from each of two set-ups approximately 40 meters apart. The core was logged but not split or assayed.

Core consists of Karmutsen basalt with quartz veins of unknown age up to 2.18 meters wide. The basalt is usually green and sometimes grey with augite phenocrysts to 5 mm in places. Minor probable flow top breccias and interstitial pillow material are present. Amygdaloidal quartz, epidote and chlorite sometimes hold chalcopyrite. Total sulphides, as pyrite and chalcopyrite, reach 5% over 30 cm in veinlets, amygdales and disseminations within the basalt. Lesser amounts of sulphides are found within quartz veins and in ankerite zones.

Holes STS - 01 and 02 both contain a shear zone (3.0 and 3.3 meters wide respectively) and a prominent chalcopyrite bearing quartz vein (1.25 and 1.15 meters wide respectively). Based on core angles from logging and inspection of the cross-section it's likely that both drill holes have intersected the same shear structure and a parallel single quartz vein. Both vein and shear dip northeasterly at 50° in the plane of the section.

Holes STS - 03 and 04 intersect ankerite alteration. If the ankerite is continuous and planar from hole to hole it has an apparent northeasterly dip of 42°. Hole 03 contains a 2.18 meter wide chalcopyrite bearing quartz vein immediately below the 1.6 meter wide ankerite zone. The 4 meter wide chalcopyrite bearing ankerite section in hole 04 is underlain by a 1 meter wide shear containing some quartz vein material. It's likely that a common structural feature has been intersected by holes 03 and 04 but the core angles measured during logging doesn't support this hypothesis. More fieldwork is required to determine if there is a single or multiple ankerite - quartz vein zone in this section.

Mineralized sections of drill core need to be analysed by assay or rock geochemistry to help assess the economic potential of the claim.


#### ITEMIZED COST STATEMENT

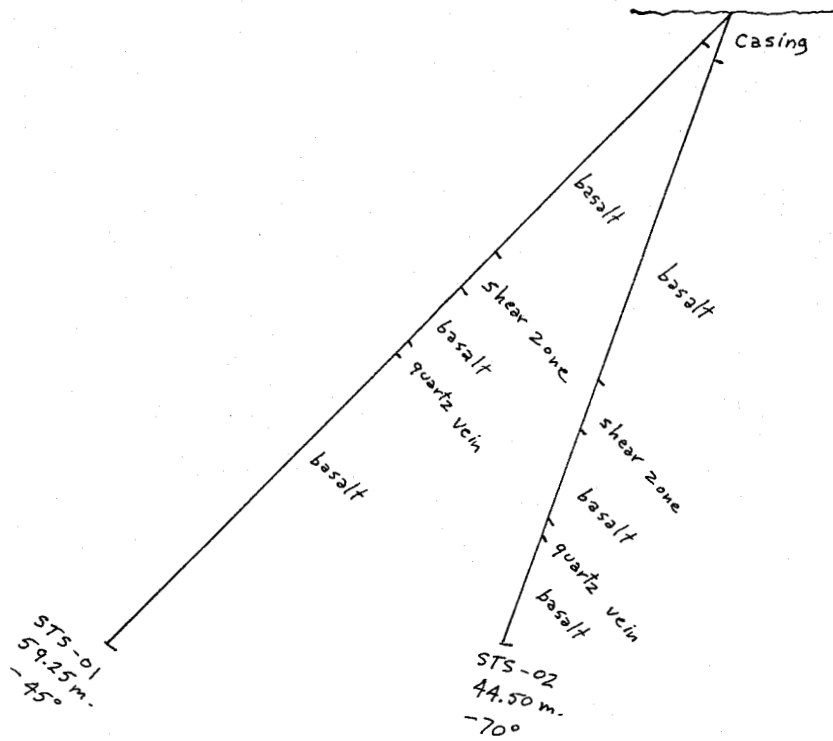
Diamond drilling contract: SYMC Resources Limited completed 170 meters of B.Q. diamond drilling during the period February 6 to February 20, 1989 at an all inclusive price of \$150.00 per meter for a total of \$25,500.00.

#### CERTIFICATE

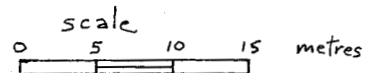
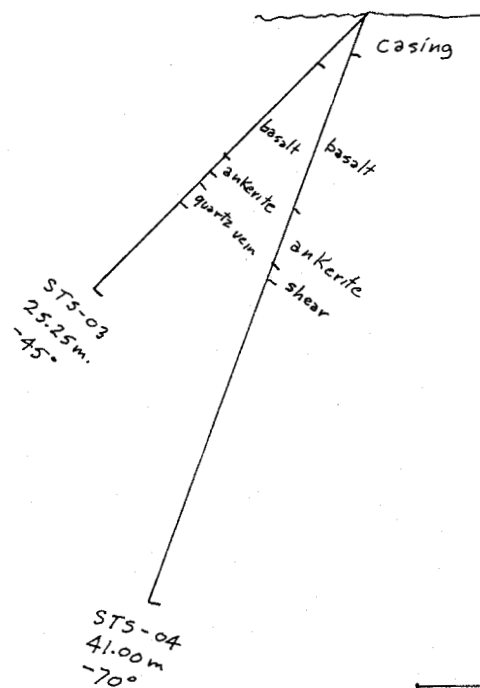
I, John R. Wilson, of Merville, B.C. hereby certify that:

1. I am a graduate of the University of British Columbia with a BSc (honours geology), - 1972.
2. I am a Fellow of the Geological Association of Canada.
3. I have worked as a professional mineral exploration geologist in B.C. and eastern North America every year since 1972.
4. This report is based on information provided by STS Resources Limited, my logging of the drill core and a visit to the drill site and legal corner post. I did not participate in the drilling operation.

  
John R. Wilson, F.G.A.C.



DDH STS-03, STS-04 COLLARS



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DRILL HOLE SECTIONS  
PATERSON LAKE PROPERTY  
SCALE: 1:500 FIGURE 2



NORTH \_\_\_\_\_ STARTED \_\_\_\_\_  
 EAST \_\_\_\_\_ COMPLETED \_\_\_\_\_  
 ELEV. 120 metres (approx.)  
 BEARING Southwesterly  
 DIP -45°

LENGTH 59.25 metres

STS RESOURCES LIMITED

PROPERTY  
Paterson Lake  
BQ Core

PURPOSE To test  
quartz vein.

HOLE No. STS-01

CLAIM Paterson Lake #2

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_

OFFSET \_\_\_\_\_

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 G.L.

PLOTTED \_\_\_\_\_

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE							
0 - 2.44	Casing								
2.44 - 30.50	Basaltic volcanic. Medium to dark green. Augite phenocrysts to 7mm. Often chloritic. Quartz amygdales to 4mm in places. Scattered, weak epidotization as pervasive alteration, in amygdales or rarely as veinlets. Rare quartz veinlets at about 35°. 4.50 - 4.88: specimen removed before logging. 13.15 - 13.30: silicified. Trace pyrite as 50° veinlets. 13.60 - 13.80: broken, rusty core. 14.90 - 15.30: silicified zone at 50°. 16.60 - 19.73: chloritic, slickensides at 5° - 20°. Minor quartz and calcite veinlets. 18.25 - 18.40: silicified. weak epidote. Rare 1mm red hematitic veinlets at 50°. 19.73 - 20.85: breccia (flow top?). 85° upper contact. 70° lower contact. Silicified.								

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.					
	20.85-22.32 : several quartz-epidote-calcite veinlets at 45° and occasional silicified patches							
	22.32-25.32 : shear/fault zone with gouge and strong quartz veinlets/veining to 2cm. Scattered calcite veinlets and patchy disseminated chalcopyrite throughout. 40° upper contact. 80° lower contact. Minor veinlet and disseminated pyrite in places. Total sulphides: 1-2%							
	25.32-30.50 : occasional quartz veinlets and veining to 1cm at 55°, sometimes with minor red hematite. Up to 5% grey hematite is disseminated through rare 5cm wide zones. Minor chalcopyrite in quartz veinlets at 26.5-26.6 and at 29.7 metres.							
30.50-31.75	Quartz vein with 30% basaltic volcanic rock fragments. Occasional calcite veinlets. Strongly epidotized patches in rock to 1cm. Occasional hematite (red) veinlets at 65° to 80° may be intensely <sup>spaced</sup> across 5cm. Minor gouge. Occasional veinlets and blebs of chalcopyrite in top 40 cm. 50° upper contact. 60° lower contact.							

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.				
31.75-33.90	Basaltic volcanic rock (as above) interlayered with quartz veining. 20% of section is quartz vein material which occurs as several 5 to 10 cm wide veins at approximately 50°. Quartz veins often have 2 mm, red hematitic edges. The massive, white quartz veins often encase euhedral, clear quartz crystals to 5 mm. Epidote veinlets are common.						
33.90-51.45	Basaltic volcanic (as above). Weak to moderately epidotized in most places. Occasional quartz veins to 1 cm above 34.8 m. Broken core is chloritic with calcite-quartz veinlets at 40.1 to 40.4 m.						
	Broken core with chloritic fractures at 40.8 to 41.7 m.						
	47.4-48.2: 15% amygdaloides of epidote, quartz and chlorite with occasional chalcocopyrite. Minor chalcocopyrite in quartz veinlets.						
	49.15-49.25: calcite-quartz vein and shear at 30°						
	49.25-51.45: massive grey-green volcanic (basaltic).						
	49.88-50.50: calcite-quartz shear at 60°. Hematite veinlets.						
51.45-59.25	Basaltic volcanic rock (as above, but purplish mainly).						
end of hole	58.90-59.25: 20% amygdaloides carrying quartz, epidote, chlorite and occasional chalcocopyrite.						

NORTH \_\_\_\_\_ STARTED \_\_\_\_\_  
 EAST \_\_\_\_\_ COMPLETED \_\_\_\_\_  
 ELEV. 120 metres (approx.)  
 BEARING Southwesterly  
 DIP -70°

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PURPOSE To test  
quartz vein.

HOLE No. STS-02

CLAIM Paterson Lake #2

LENGTH 44.50 metres

PROPERTY

Paterson Lake

BQ Core

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SECTION \_\_\_\_\_

OFFSET \_\_\_\_\_

PLOTTED \_\_\_\_\_

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	G.L.				
0 - 3.00	Casing						
3.00 - 35.75	Basaltic volcanic. Pale to dark green. Augite phenocrysts to 5mm in places. Amygdaloidal in places. Moderately chloritic with occasional chloritic slickensides. 9.3 - 10.0: Trace disseminated chalcopyrite 10.0 - 10.6: broken, rusty zone with slickensides and gouge (?) at 5° to 20° 16.45 - 25.74: weak to moderate silicification and epidotization 25.74 - 29.04: several shear/fault zones to 20 cm wide at 25°, 70°. Shears are calcite rich. 27.52: 5 mm quartz-calcite-hematite veinlets at 15°						

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.					
	29.4-35.75 : quartz-calcite veinlets and veins are common. Rare epidote veinlets							
	34.8 : trace disseminated pyrite. Hematite stain.							
35.75-36.90	Quartz Vein. Broken in places. Quartz is grey and white and carries calcite veinlets. Some very chloritic rock fragments to 1 cm. 50° upper contact. 70° lower contact.							
	35.55-36.00 : 1% chalcopryite in quartz veinlets within country rock and main quartz vein. Very minor disseminated chalcopryite in the main quartz vein below 36.0 m.							
36.90-44.50 end of hole	Basaltic volcanic (as above but medium green in colour). Very rare quartz veinlets or calcite veinlets. Epidote veinlets common. Interstitial calcite common.							
	41.05-41.15 : trace chalcopryite in amygdales.							
				CORE RECOVERY				
				from	to	%		
				3.00	25.88	100%		
				25.88	26.49	62%		
				26.49	27.58	138%		
				27.58	29.50	21%		
				29.50	44.50	100%		

NORTH \_\_\_\_\_ STARTED \_\_\_\_\_

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PURPOSE To testHOLE No. STS-03

EAST \_\_\_\_\_ COMPLETED \_\_\_\_\_

quartz veinCLAIM Paterson Lake #2ELEV. 120 metres (approx)  
LENGTH 25.25 metres

PROPERTY

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_

BEARING SouthwesterlyPaterson LakeLOGGED BY J. Wilson

OFFSET \_\_\_\_\_

DIP -45°BQ Core

PLOTTED \_\_\_\_\_

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.						
0-4.00	Casing								
4.00-12.70	Basaltic volcanic, Dark green. Augite phenocrysts to 5mm in places. Weak to moderately chloritic.								
	Rusty, broken sections at 4.0-6.5 and 9.70-10.55								
	9.50-12.70: strong interstitial calcite and veinlet calcite.								
	9.6-12.7: occasional red hematite veinlets								
	10.55-12.70: calcite-quartz veinlets common.								
12.70-14.30	Ankerite alteration. Buff to orange colour. Mainly soft to medium hard.								
	Occasional quartz veinlets. Interstitial calcite throughout.								
14.30-14.80	Gouge / shear zone. Grey colour.								
	Interstitial calcite throughout.								

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.				
14.80-16.98	Quartz vein. Light to medium grey in colour with dark grey rock chips in places. Moderately broken core. Scattered patches of disseminated chalcopyrite and pyrite eg. 14.80-15.00, 15.70-15.80, 16.80-16.98. Total sulphide content: 2-4%.						
	Gradational upper contact. 40°(?) lower contact.						
16.98-25.25	Basaltic volcanic (as above)						
end of hole	16.98-19.15: strong quartz-calcite veinlets. moderately chloritic. Some gouge.						
	18.8-18.9: ankerite alteration. Buff to orange.						
	18.85-19.15: quartz veinlets and blebs of chalcopyrite. To 5% chalcopyrite.						
	19.15-20.25: rare quartz-calcite vein, rare epidote vein.						
		CORE RECOVERY					
		From	to	%			
		4.00 m.	5.33 m.	100%			
		5.33	6.33	70			
		6.33	9.33	33			
		9.33	10.33	65			
		10.33	25.25	100			

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NORTH \_\_\_\_\_ STARTED \_\_\_\_\_

EAST \_\_\_\_\_ COMPLETED \_\_\_\_\_

ELEV. 120 metres (approx.) LENGTH 41.00 metres

BEARING Southwesterly

DIP -70°

PROPERTY  
Paterson Lake  
BQ Core

PURPOSE To test quartz vein

HOLE No. STS-04  
CLAIM Paterson Lake #2

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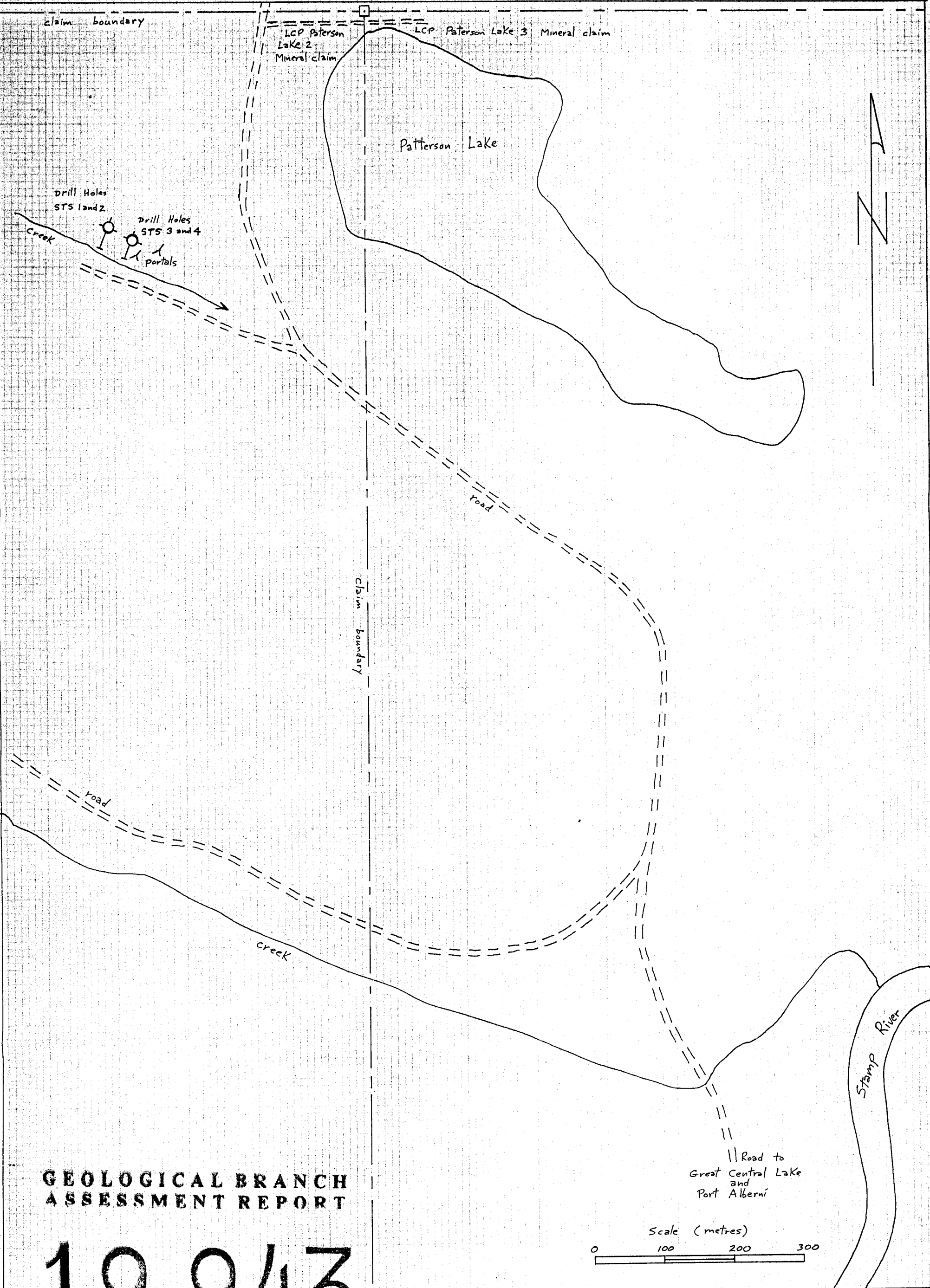
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OFFSET \_\_\_\_\_  
PLOTTED \_\_\_\_\_

*[Signature]*  
C.L.

metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE							
0 - 2.13	Casing								
2.13 - 13.10	Basaltic volcanic. Dark green to grey. Augite phenocrysts to 5mm in places. Weak to moderately chloritic. Very rare calcite - quartz veinlets. Rare epidote veinlets. Broken and rusty core above 6.4 metres. Traces of chalcopryrite throughout in 2 to 3 mm black (chlorite?) patches.								
13.10 - 17.10	Ankerite alteration. Soft to medium hardness. Buff to orange colour. With angular fragments to 3cm. 15.8 - 16.2 : 2% chalcopryrite as blebs to 1cm. Upper contact of zone 30°. Lower contact at 20°.								



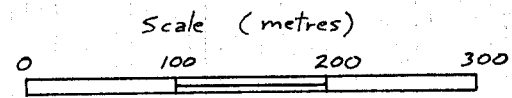
metres	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLE	C.L.					
17.10-18.10	Shear/fault zone. Gouge with vein quartz material. Upper contact 20°. Lower contact 50°(?).							
18.10-39.90	Basaltic volcanic (as above).							
	18.10-20.50: broken grey volcanic. Strong quartz veinlets. Silicification. Patchy disseminated pyrite to 3%. eg 20.0-20.3 m. Chalcopyrite in veinlets to 3mm in places. Total sulphides 12%.							
	20.50-21.50: intense quartz veinlets with chalcopyrite (Eg. 21.2 to 21.5 m is silicified zone with 5% chalcopyrite)							
	21.50-23.90: Occasional quartz veinlets or quartz-epidote veinlets. Rare speck of chalcopyrite. Red hematite veinlets are common.							
	23.9-39.90: weak to moderate epidotization. Very rare veinlets of quartz or epidote.							
				CORE RECOVERY				
				from	to	%		
				2.13	3.05	54%		
39.90-41.00	Basaltic volcanic (as above but with purplish tinge, quartz amygdaloes common.			3.05	4.50	100		
end of hole.	Very rare veinlets of quartz.			4.50	5.11	65		
				5.11	6.40	100		
				6.40	7.62	81		
				7.62	41.00	100		



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Claim post and boundary locations were located by topographic map.



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DIAMOND DRILL HOLE LOCATIONS  
PATERSON LAKE PROPERTY  
scale: 1:5000 NTS: 92F-6E  
Figure 3