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British Columbia

N.T.S. AREA 93 M/15  
RÉGION DU S.N.R.C.

REF. CU 1  
RÉF.

NAME OF PROPERTY  
NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ

DRIFTWOOD

OBJECT LOCATED  
OBJET LOCALISÉ

UNCERTAINTY  
FACTEUR D'INCERTITUDE

Lat. 55°50'40" Long. 126°36'30"  
Lat. Long.

Mining Division Omineca  
Division minière

District Cassiar  
District

County  
Comté

Township or Parish  
Canton ou paroisse

Lot  
Lot

Concession or Range  
Concession ou rang

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OWNER OR OPERATOR/PROPRIÉTAIRE OU EXPLOITANT

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT/DESCRIPTION DU GISEMENT

The country rocks are chiefly flat dipping volcanic tuffs. A system of fracturing striking N60°W (mag) with a steep south-west dip crosses the beds of tuffs. Mineralization consisting essentially of bornite follows the fracturing and is in part disseminated through the country rock. The best exposure occurs on the north wall of the south basin. At this point a width of 23 feet is well mineralized and a further width more sparingly mineralized. A chip sample across 23 feet assayed: gold, 0.01 ounces a ton; silver, 2.2 ounces a ton; copper, 1.2%. (B.C. Annual Report, 1930).

The Cominco Ltd. Annual Report for 1930 describes the showing as follows: The mineralization consists principally of bornite, with some chalcopyrite carrying silver, occurring in amygdaloidal basalt. Several open cuts showed values averaging 2.45% copper and 3 ounces of silver over widths of 25 feet.

Associated minerals or products - Silver,  
Minéraux ou produits associés

HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
HISTORIQUE DE L'EXPLORATION ET DE LA MISE EN VALEUR

This property is located between elevations of 5,600 and 5,800 feet on a ridge between two adjoining cirque basins at the southeast end of the Driftwood Range, some 58 miles northeast of Hazelton.

The 8 claim property was optioned from Major A.W. Davis and R.H. Channing by Cominco Ltd. in 1930. Preliminary exploration work by the company was done in open cutting. The outstanding interests in the property were acquired by the company in 1931; the claims were to be held for future development.

HISTORY OF PRODUCTION/HISTORIQUE DE LA PRODUCTION

REFERENCES/BIBLIOGRAPHIE

Reports of Minister of Mines, British Columbia:  
1930, p. 148.

Mineral Policy Sector; Corporation Files: "Cominco  
Ltd." - Annual Reports: 1930, p. 30; 1929, p. 185.

MAP REFERENCES/RÉFÉRENCES CARTOGRAPHIQUES

Map 93 M, Hazelton, B.C., (Topo.), Sc. 1:250,000.

REMARKS/REMARQUES

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