



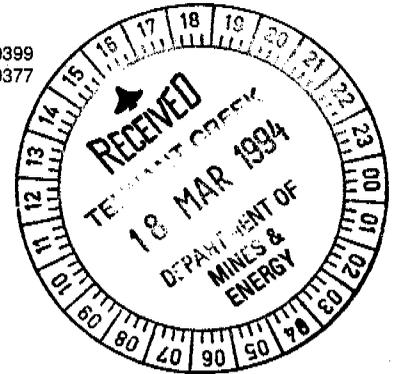
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## ANNUAL REPORT

### FOR EXPLORATION LICENCE 7898

### FOR THE PERIOD 5/2/93 TO 4/2/94

### TENNANT CREEK DISTRICT, NORTHERN TERRITORY

### FLYNN PROSPECT

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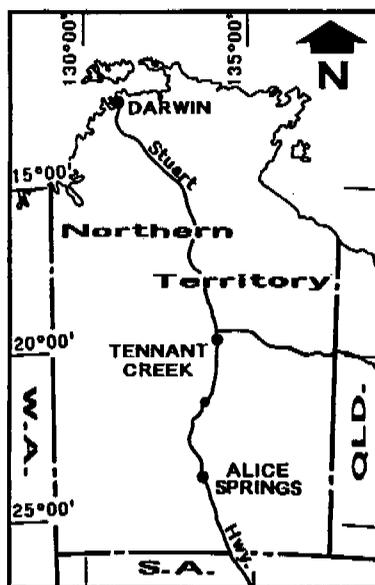
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## 1. SUMMARY

This report details the work conducted by Poseidon Gold Limited (PosGold) within EL 7898 (Flynn), during the period 5/2/93 to 4/2/94.

Exploration Licence 7898 consists of fourteen graticular blocks located approximately 35 km north-west of Tennant Creek. Work completed by PosGold during this period includes:

- A regional geochemical vacuum drilling programme on a 250 metre x 50 metre grid.
- Interpretation of photogeological and airborne magnetic surveys.

Due to inclement weather and mechanical breakdowns the planned vacuum drilling was not completed. A total of 80 drillholes have been done, and results for these are still awaited.

It is planned to complete the vacuum drilling in year two of tenure, interpret all results, and follow-up any worthy anomalies with further vacuum and RAB drilling.

## **2. INTRODUCTION**

### **2.1 Location and Access**

Exploration Licence 7898 is located approximately 35 kilometres north-west of Tennant Creek. Access is limited to the dryer months and may be gained via the sealed Warrego Road to the Orlando Mine, thence north via unsealed tracks.

### **2.2 Climate Physiography**

The climate of the Tennant Creek district is mild to warm and dry throughout autumn, winter and spring with cool to cold winds in winter. High temperatures (in excess of 35°C) occur in summer with seasonal rainfall expected from December to March.

The physiography of EL 7898 is variable, consisting of low to moderate relief in the southern and northern portions of the licence, with sheetwash and flood plain alluvial flats draining west through the centre of the licence.

### **2.3 Tenure**

Exploration Licence 7898 consists of 14 graticular blocks and was granted to PosGold on 5 February 1993 for a period of six years, refer Figure 1.

## **3. REGIONAL GEOLOGY**

The rocks within EL 7898 belong to the Flynn Sub-Group which is represented dominated by shallow water marine sediments represented by variably haematized sandstones, siltstones and pebble beds. Intrusions of east-west striking diorite and dolerite occur to the north. An unconformity between the Flynn Sub-Group and the Warramunga Group occurs to the south, with the position difficult to locate in the field.

## **4. EXPLORATION UNDERTAKEN DURING THE PERIOD 5/2/93 TO 4/2/94**

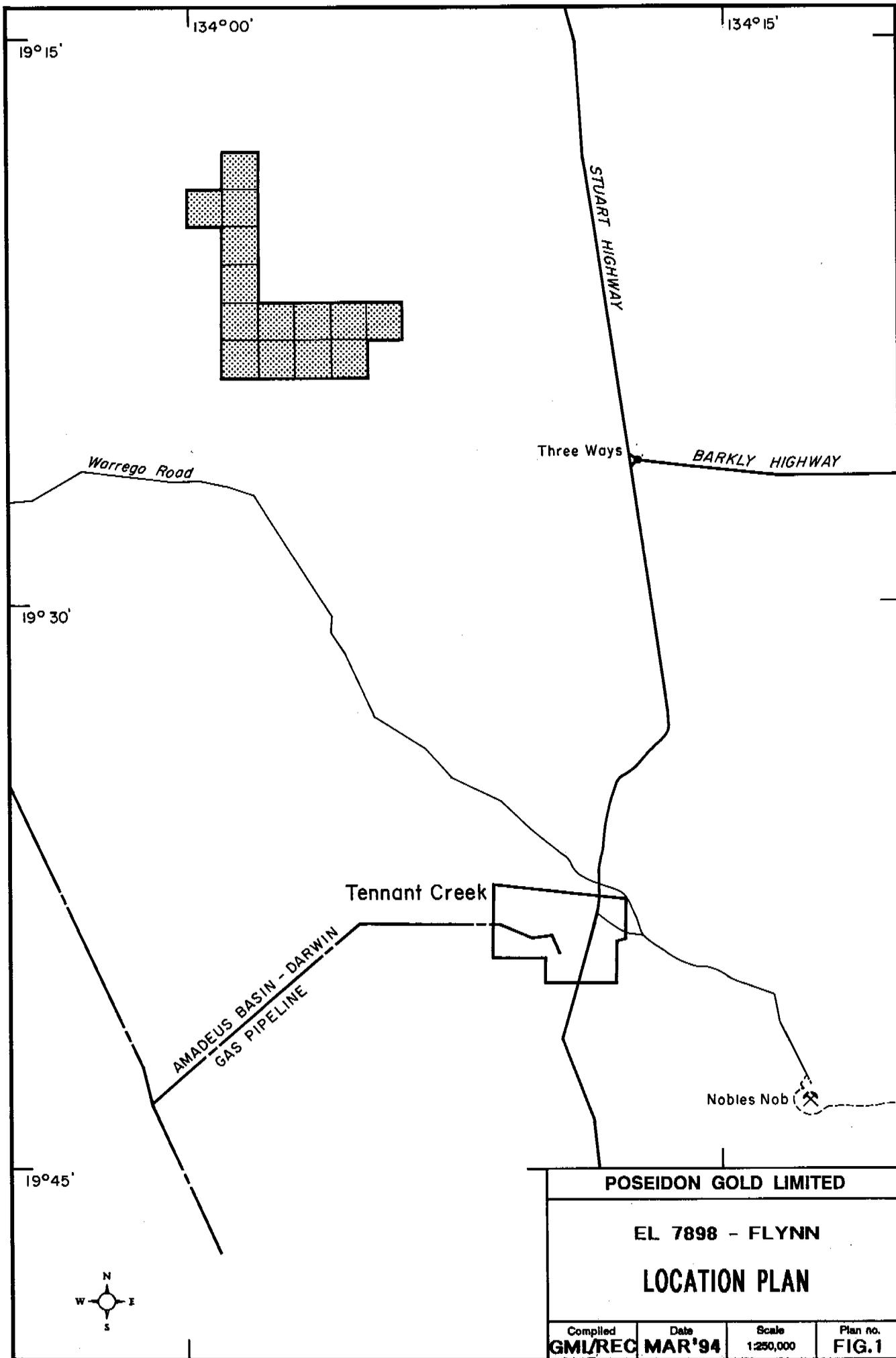
### **4.1 Airborne Magnetic Survey**

Regional airborne magnetic surveys were flown over the Tennant Creek District in 1984 and 1989 by Aerodata and Austirex respectively. The data from both surveys have been processed and merged to provide contour and image processed plans at 1:50,000 scale.

Exploration Licence 7898 covers a zone of intense and complex magnetics, with a NE structure observed in the data on the northern blocks.

In the central blocks of the licence an elongate NW trending magnetic high represents either a dolerite sill or a fault.

Figure 3 presents a total field magnetic contour plan for EL 7898.



<b>POSEIDON GOLD LIMITED</b>			
<b>EL 7898 - FLYNN</b>			
<b>LOCATION PLAN</b>			
Compiled <b>GML/REC</b>	Date <b>MAR'94</b>	Scale <b>1:250,000</b>	Plan no. <b>FIG.1</b>

## **4.2 Photogeological Mapping**

During 1992, PosGold contracted the services of Australian Photogeological Consultants Pty Ltd (APC) to undertake a detailed photogeological mapping exercise in the Tennant Creek district. This was achieved using a combination of 1:25,000 scale colour aerial photography, airborne magnetic data and field traverses.

On EL 7898, the photogeological interpretation suggests a dominance of Flynn Sub-Group sediments covering the majority of the licence. This has been confirmed by field inspection and vacuum bedrock drilling. Intrusive dolerite sills are interpreted to occur in the northern portion of the licence.

## **4.3 Regional Vacuum Drilling**

In December 1993 a programme of broadly spaced vacuum drilling was planned and implemented over an area in the SE portion of the tenement. A total of 401 metres was drilled in 80 holes over the exploration licence. The drilling was planned to cover the two small magnetic anomalies and the intersection of mapped NW trending faults with these anomalies. Drilling was also conducted to determine if the interpreted dominance of the Flynn Sub-Group sediments.

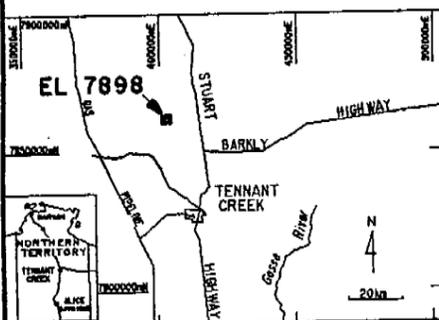
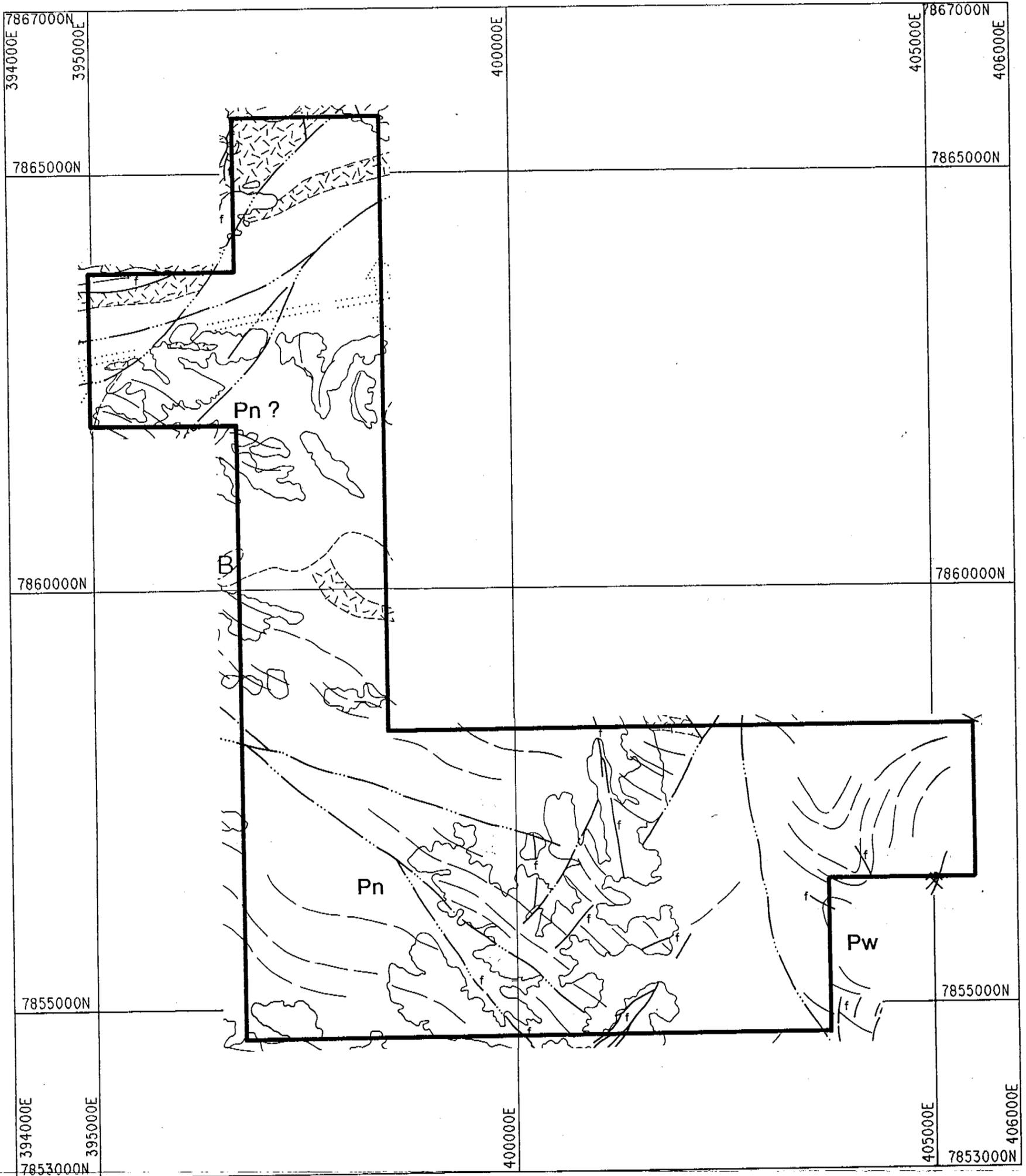
Vacuum drilling was undertaken by Jackson's Drilling of Tennant Creek using a Nissan mounted Edson rig. Holes were drilled along 250 metre lines at 50 metre intervals.

A local AMG survey grid was established over the area using an east-west surveyed baseline. The drillholes were pegged on 250 metre spaced lines using chain and compass.

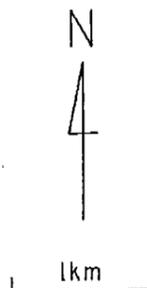
Most drillholes reached an average of five metres into weathered bedrock. Careful distinction was made between aeolian cover, overburden and bedrock to aid in the interpretation of results. All bedrock lithologies were logged, and a 4 kg sample of overburden, and 2 kg sample of bedrock collected.

Bedrock lithologies intersected were dominantly siltstones and sandstones, variably bleached and haematitic, and appear to be broadly representative of the Flynn Sub-Group.

The overburden samples for all holes were submitted to Analabs in Perth for heavy mineral concentrating (HMC) and analysis for Au, Cu, Bi, Fe, Mn, Pb, Zn, Ag, Mo and Cd. At the end of this report period, results were still awaited. Once received, the results will be entered into the exploration database for statistical analysis, plotting and interpretation.



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<b>REGIONAL PHOTOGEOLOGICAL INTERPRETATION</b>		
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FIGURE 2

# LITHOLOGY

## SEDIMENTARY ROCKS

CAMBRIAN	Arthur Creek Formation		Sandstone, chert, siltstone
	Helen Springs Volcanics		Weathered and ferruginized basalt
CAMBRIAN TO ADELAIDEAN	Rising Sun Conglomerate		Polymictic conglomerate, sandstone and quartzite
	Tomkinson Creek Subgroup/Hayward Creek Formation		
CARPENTARIAN	Flynn Subgroup		
			Felsic volcanic and volcanoclastic rock with interbedded sandstone and siltstone (symbol)
CARPENTARIAN TO LOWER PROTEROZOIC	Warramunga Group		Volcanic arenite, siltstone and terrigenous mudstone including BIF; chert and jasper (hornfelsed shown by symbol)
LOWER PROTEROZOIC TO ? ARCHAEOAN	Basement Rocks		Gneiss, schist, amphibolite, quartzite

## INTRUSIVE ROCKS

Warrego Granite Red Bluff Granite		G1: Weakly magnetically foliated porphyritic adamellite and granophyric granite
		G2: Smooth textured non-magnetic muscovite granite and aplitic phases
		Coarse-grained porphyritic gabbro, diorite, and dolerite
Younger porphyries		Quartz-feldspar porphyry and sheared equivalents
Older porphyries		Felsic porphyry
Tennant Creek Granite Cabbage Gum Granite Channingum Granite Mumbilla Granodiorite		G3, G4: Strongly magnetically foliated porphyritic biotite granite to granodiorite Several phases outlined by aeromagnetic images

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	Photogeologically mapped fault and inferred sense of movement indicated
	Magnetically mapped major dislocation and inferred sense of movement indicated (teeth on overriding plate)
	Magnetically mapped minor break
	Zone of shearing
	Photogeological boundary
	Boundary interpreted from aeromagnetics
	Trends (photogeological and magnetic)
	Generalised dip and strike
	Small mine
	Major mine
	Anticline, syncline (mapped)
	Anticline, syncline (inferred, interpreted)
	Dyke, vein
	Aeromagnetic dipole anomaly
	Fault interpreted from gravity data
	Boundary of granite interpreted from gravity data
	Axis of gravity high
	Axis of gravity low
	Circular gravity high

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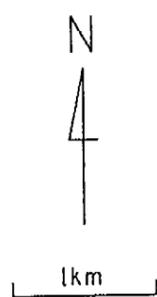
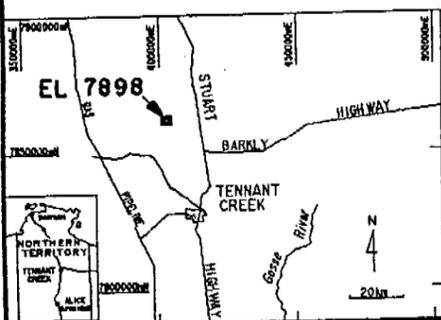
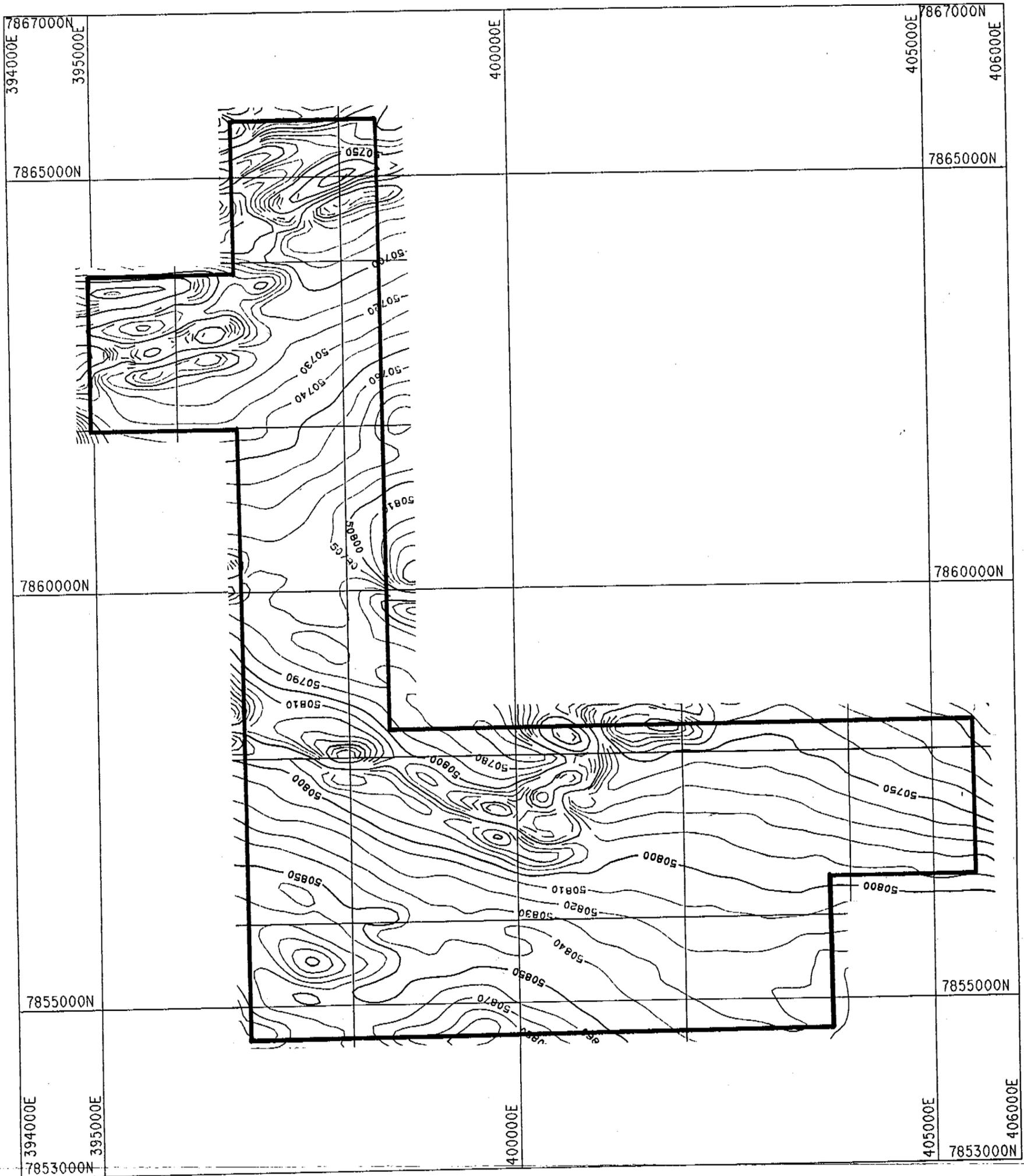
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POSEIDON GOLD LIMITED		
EL 7898 - FLYNN		
TOTAL FIELD MAGNETIC CONTOUR PLAN		
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**5. EXPLORATION STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD 5/2/93 TO 4/2/94**

During the first year of tenure, PosGold incurred an expenditure of \$7,121 on EL 7898.

A breakdown of this expenditure is detailed below:

**TABLE 1**

**EXPENDITURE FOR THE REPORT PERIOD 5/2/94 TO 4/2/95**

<b>EXPENSE</b>	<b>COST</b>
Employee Costs	\$ 3,316
Overheads	\$ 332
Drilling	\$ 1,817
Assays	\$ -
Operating	\$ 1,256
Specialist Services	\$ 77
Tenement Costs	\$ 310
Research	\$ 13
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	\$ 7,121
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An application has been submitted to the Department of Mines and Energy for a variation of covenant from \$20,000 to \$5,000.

**6. PROPOSED EXPLORATION PROGRAMME FOR THE PERIOD 5/2/94 TO 4/2/95**

Future work programmes will see the completion of regional geochemical vacuum drilling. Assuming receipt of encouraging geochemical results it is expected that infill drilling will be required. The total minimum expenditure on EL 7898 during 1994/95 is expected to exceed \$19,000 as per the following activity and expenditure breakdown.

**7. PROPOSED EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD 5/2/94 TO 4/2/95**

To continue the exploration programme for EL 7898 detailed in section 6, the expenditure in year two of tenure is budgeted as follows:

**TABLE 2**

**PROPOSED EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD 5/2/94 TO 4/2/95**

<b>EXPENSE</b>	<b>COST</b>
Employee Costs	\$ 8,000
Overheads	\$ 800
Drilling	\$ 4,500
Assays	\$ 2,500
Operating	\$ 3,500
Specialist Services	\$ 500
Tenement Costs	\$ 140
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	\$ 19,940
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## 8. CONCLUSIONS

Exploration conducted over EL 7898 during the first year of tenure forms part of a broad regional exploration strategy including a multi-disciplinary approach using geochemistry, geophysical and structural exploration techniques. This combined approach has been successful elsewhere in identifying local and regional targets worthy of investigation using regional vacuum drilling.

Vacuum drilling of one such target in year one of tenure remains incomplete due to inclement weather. This programme will be completed in early 1994 and all results assessed for follow-up with deeper RAB and/or RC drilling.

In addition, regional exploration coverage will be extended over the remainder of the licence area with the aim of generating further targets for subsequent geochemical and geophysical investigation.

**APPENDIX ONE**

**VACUUM DRILLING LOCATION LOGS**

EL 7898 FLYNN  
 VACUUM DRILLHOLE LOCATION LOG

BHID	EAST	NORTH	SNA	SNN	FROM	TO	ZONE
FLVC-001	398800	7855750	B	358401	2.4	3.0	3
FLVC-002	398800	7855800	B	358402	1.9	3.0	3
FLVC-003	398800	7855850	B	358403	1.9	4.0	3
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FLVC-008	398800	7856100	B	358408	.9	4.0	3
FLVC-009	398800	7856150	B	358409	.9	4.0	3
FLVC-010	398800	7856200	B	358410	.8	4.0	3
FLVC-011	398800	7856250	B	358411	.9	6.0	3
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EL 7898 FLYNN  
 VACUUM DRILLHOLE LOCATION LOG

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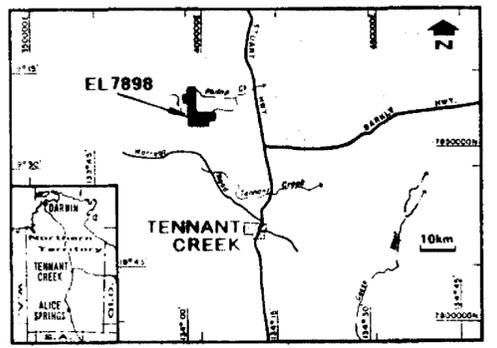
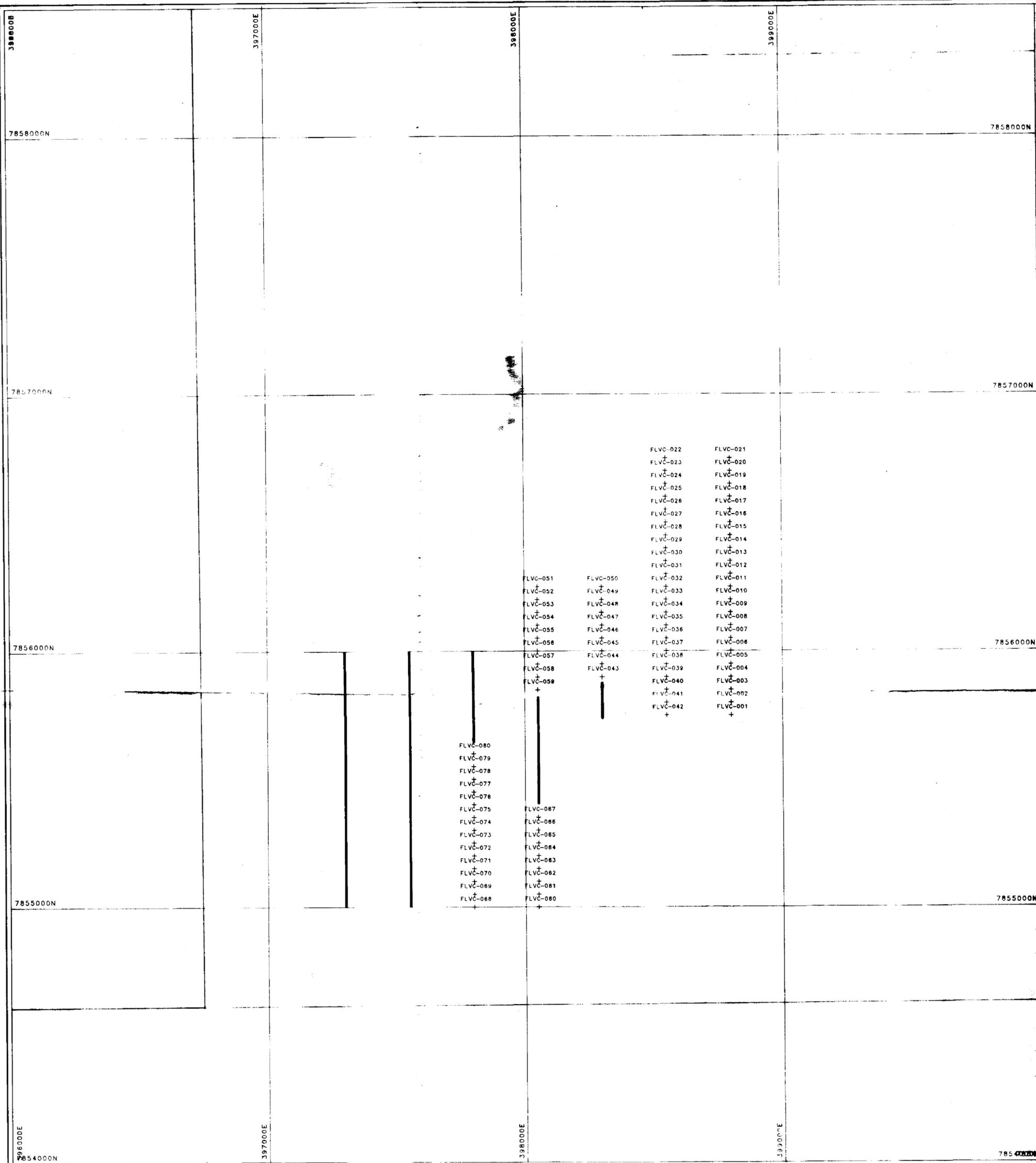
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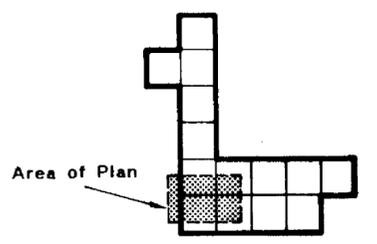
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KEYWORDS	EL 7898 FLYNN SUB-GROUP VACUUM DRILLING GEOCHEMISTRY AIRBORNE MAGNETICS GEOMORPHOLOGY PHOTOGEOLOGY
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TECTONIC UNIT	FLYNN SUB-GROUP
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1:100,000 MAP SHEET	FLYNN 52/2



LOCATION PLAN



EL 7898 - FLYNN

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- REGIONAL EXPLORATION
- MAP SYMBOLS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
- BLEG SAMPLE
  - ⊕ SOIL SAMPLE
  - \* STREAM SEDIMENT SAMPLE
  - × VACUUM DRILL BEDROCK LITHOLOGY
  - ⊕ VACUUM HMC ASSAY (middle left)
  - ⊗ SURFACE DRILL HOLE
  - △ TRIG STATION OR DATUM POINT
  - ⊠ PROSPECT NAME
  - - - EXPLORATION LICENCE (GRANTED)
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EL 7898 FLYNN  
VACUUM DRILLHOLE  
LOCATION PLAN

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