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Annual Exploration Report – Year 2

Exploration Licence SEL 26960

23rd September 2010 to 22nd September 2011

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SUMMARY

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In January of 2007 North Australian Diamonds Limited entered into a 'Farm-in Agreement' with Ashton Exploration Australia Pty Ltd, Ashton Mining Limited, and A.O. (Australia) Pty Ltd collectively know as the Rio Tinto Parties with respect to earning 100% ownership of the Yambarra Project area in the Northern Territory. An application was made by North Australian Diamonds on the 18th of September 2008 and the tenement was subsequently granted on the 23rd of September 2009.

Work undertaken during the reporting period has involved desktop research of historic exploration, preparation of work programs and reporting.

The total expenditure for the reporting period was \$5,615.35.

1.0 INTRODUCTION

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2.0 LICENCE DETAILS

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Table 1: Licence Details

| Project Name | Tenement No | Grant Date | Expiry Date | Blocks | Area (km ²) |
|--------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| Yambarra | SEL26960 | 23/09/2009 | 22/09/2013 | 500 | 1607.56 |

3.0 GEOLOGY

The project area covers parts of three geological regions within the Northern Territory. These are; the Palaeoproterozoic Pine Creek Orogen, the Mesoproterozoic Victoria – Birrinduddu Basin and the Palaeozoic Bonaparte Basin.

The oldest rocks in the project area are the Early Proterozoic Hermit Creek Metamorphics, which comprise mostly schist and gneissic rocks. Early Proterozoic sediments of the Finniss River Group are inferred to overlie the Hermit Creek Metamorphics although the nature of their relationship is unclear. The Henschke Breccia, a massive breccia conglomerate is interpreted to be approximately synchronous with these units.

The Hermit Creek Metamorphics and Finniss River Group were intruded successively by the Early Proterozoic Muarra-Kamangee Granodiorite and Peppimenarti Granite.

Sediments of the Middle Proterozoic Fitzmaurice Group unconformably overly the Early Proterozoic units. Midldle Proterozoic intrusives of both basic (Murrenja Dolerite) and acid (Ti-Tree Granophyre) composition intrude the Fitzmaurice Group sediments.

Permian sediments of the Bonaparte Basin occur in the west of the project area. These sediments consist of quartzarenite, subarkose and mudstone with minor conglomerate and coal. Cretaceous rocks form an extensive unit within the project area. Friable, clayey, commonly ferruginous and mottled arenite is the dominant rock type. The youngest geological units in the project area include Cainozoic and Quaternary sediments comprised of colluvium, elluvium and alluvium. These units cover much of the bedrock.

The dominant structural features of the area are the extensive, regional transcurrent faults that are the northerly continuations of the major faults which define the Middle Proterozoic Fitzmaurice Mobile Zone and the Early Proterozoic Halls Creek Mobile Zone.

5.0 **PREVIOUS EXPLORATION**

The licence is located on Aboriginal Land and access is dependent on the Northern Land Council arranging work clearance meetings with the Company and the Traditional Owners. There has been difficulty in arranging such work programs and as such NADL has been limited in its abilities to undertake ground based exploration activities. Work undertaken during the 2009-2010 reporting period involved additional processing of samples collected during previous work programs, additional review of geophysical datasets including the recently released NTGS Tempest data, helicopter site visit, desktop research of historic exploration, preparation of work programs and reporting.

6.0 EXPLORATION UNDERTAKEN DUREING THE CURRENT REPORTING PERIOD

The recovery of kimberlitic chromites and microdiamonds and in stream samples by previous explorers provides evidence for the presence of kimberlite, which is a source rock for diamonds. The company considers SEL26960 to be prospective for kimberlites and work will involve follow-up samples to the kimberlitic chromites and diamonds. The program will require the use of a helicopter. In addition, three 20 ton bulk gravel samples will be taken using a front end loader to test for the presence of commercial

size diamonds.

7.0 EXPLORATION EXPENDITURE

Exploration expenditure for the reporting period amounted to \$5,615.35 and is detailed in the accompanying Expenditure Report.

8.0 PROPOSED PROGRAMME AND BUDGET FOR 2010-2011

| Administration and Support | \$5,000 | | |
|---|----------|--|--|
| Collection of 50 helicopter-assisted stream gravel samples | \$40,000 | | |
| Collection of 3 x 20 ton bulk gravel stream samples | \$50,000 | | |
| Processing of samples for kimberlite indicator mineral recovery | \$40,000 | | |
| SEM microprobing of recovered chromites and interpretation of chemistry \$5,000 | | | |
| Reporting and office administration | \$10,000 | | |

| Total | \$150,000 |
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