EL 23509

YEAR 3 REPORT

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HAYES CREEK AREA

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Figure 1  ERL88 Location Plan
THIRD SCHEDULE
(Plan of Area)

EL23509
25 Blocks
83.25 sq kms
LOCATION

Situated in the Pine Creek Geosyncline and easily accessed from the Stuart Highway and various tracks.

GEOLOGY

Mainly MT Bonnie and Koolpin Formation. Covers west edge of MT Bonnie Dome. Quartz veining and pegmatites commonly occur.
WORK COMPLETED

Work during the 2005 dry season comprised of checking all areas for tin and tantalite bearing pegmatites. Several small pegmatites were discovered but did not contain significant amounts of heavy material as checked by Panning.

The Mount Shoobridge/ Barraats area seems to be the main area of interest for tin and tantalite and ongoing work is being carried out in the area by my joint venture partner Haddington Resources.

As you know I do most of my own exploration until I can interest a joint venturer; this I have done with some success over the years. I realise my work on this occasion did not reach a very high standard due to a four month holiday and on my return I fell off my roof and broke my wrist and ribs - however I will improve my performance this year. The EL is reducing now to the more interesting areas.

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EXPENDITURE FOR 2005/6

Traversing parts of area
Sample dish for heavies near pegmatites $1500.00
Camping Costs $500.00
Administration $500.00

TOTAL: $2500.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURE FOR 2006/7

$7500.00
12 January 2006

Mines Department/ Titles

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RE: EL 23509

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Yours faithfully,

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