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MEMORANDUM

TO: R.E. Thurmond FROM: R.L. Haffner
SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION REQUEST - DATE: April 14, 1972
1972 DEVELOPMENT DRILLING

Please find attached a development drilling proposal as prepared by D. Jennings, Research Geologist, covering 1972 requirements, with recommendations for later years.

Covering the foregoing is a memo from J.R. McLachlan, Acting Chief Engineer (in the absence of M.O. Hampton), which sets forth a specific request for approval of 5,000 feet of development drilling. The 5,000 feet represents our requirements for drilling to meet short term (1 year) planning and ore control objectives. The balance of Jennings' recommendations will be reviewed for inclusion in the 1973 Plan.

None of the proposed drilling expenses were included in the 1972 Plan.

As Jennings' proposal is reviewed, it should be borne in mind that the intent of the economic analysis made was to develop a rationale for the placement of proposed drill holes whereby the maximum utilization would be gained with regard to the existing orebody. Throughout the analysis, the assumption has been made that an open pit does exist and, therefore, the proposed drill hole locations, outside the orebody, are made from a margin contribution standpoint.

Your approval to proceed with the program outlined by J.R. McLachlan is requested.

RLH:dlw

Att.

- cc - N.G. Cornish
- D. Jennings
- J.R. McLachlan