

Occurrence Details

Occurrence Number: 105E 012 Occurrence Name: Walsh Occurrence Type: Hard-rock

Status: Showing

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General Information

Secondary Commodities: coal Deposit Type(s): Coal

Location(s): 61°57'33" N - -134°47'0" W

NTS Mapsheet(s): 105E15 Location Comments: .5 Kilometres Hand Samples Available: No

Last Reviewed:

Capsule

Work History

Coal float was reported in Walsh Creek prior to 1938. Limited prospecting was done in the area by Anvil Mining Corporation Ltd in 1966.

Coal Exploration Licence 6 was issued to Atlas Exploration Ltd in 1969, which carried out prospecting in 1970.

In Nov/76, Coal Exploration Licence 59 (covering the NW quarter of claim map sheet 105E/15, including this occurrence) and Coal Exploration Licence 58 and 60 (covering the NE and SE quarters of 105E/15, respectively) were issued to Kerr Addison Mines Ltd. Kerr Addison carried out ground and airborne geophysical surveying and geological mapping in 1977.

Capsule Geology

Anvil located several seams of poor grade shaly coal less than 0.6 m thick in the Upper Jurassic Tantalus Fm. Coal float was found by Atlas for another 6.4 km further upstream but the source was not located. The float in Walsh Creek is probably derived from this area. The Tantalus Formation underlies more than 130 square kilometres in this area.

References

ATLAS EXPLORATIONS LTD, Nov/70. Assessment Report #060585 by J.F. George.

AURUM GEOLOGICAL CONSULTANTS INC., 1994. Yukon Coal Inventory 1994. Energy and Mines Branch, Economic Development, Yukon Territorial Government, 169 p.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF CANADA Memoir 217, p. 16.

KERR ADDISON MINES LTD, Dec/77. Assessment Report *#061630 by G.A. Noel.

KERR ADDISON MINES LTD, Dec/77. Assessment Report *#061631 by W.M. Sirola.

KERR ADDISON MINES LTD, Dec/77. Assessment Report *#061632 by F. Chow.

Work History

Date	Work Type	Comment
12/31/1970	Other	
12/31/1966	Other	
12/31/1938	Other	Coal float reported prior to 1938.

Assessment Reports that overlap occurrence

Report Number	Year	Title	Worktypes	Holes Drilled	Meters Drilled
097196	2017	Report on Preliminary Reconnaissance of Coal Exploration Licence Areas in the Whitehorse Trough, North-Central Yukon, 2017	Property Evaluation - Other		
061630	1977	Report on the Geology of Coal Licenses 58, 59 and 60	Regional Bedrock Mapping - Geology		
061632	1977	Report on Ground Electromagnetic Surveys on Coal License NO.59 Land	Electromagnetic - Airborne Geophysics		
060585	1970	Report on the Tantalus Coal Project	Silt - Geochemistry, Bedrock Mapping - Geology, Property Evaluation - Other		

Related References

Number	Title	Page(s)	Reference Type	Document Type
ARMC008 699	Correspondence Re: Walsh Creek area		Property File Collection	Miscellaneous Company Documents
ARMC008 701	Correspondence Re: Preliminary study on the semi-regional geological structure of the coal seams bearing Tantalus formation near Walsh Creek, Yukon Territory		Property File Collection	Miscellaneous Company Documents