



Occurrence Details

Occurrence Number: 115H 012
Occurrence Name: Vowel
Occurrence Type: Hard-rock
Status: Showing
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General Information

Secondary Commodities: coal
Aliases: Red Ridge
Deposit Type(s): Coal
Location(s): 61°22'48" N - -136°7'50" W
NTS Mapsheet(s): 115H08
Location Comments: .5 Kilometres
Hand Samples Available: No
Last Reviewed:

Capsule

Work History

Probably first staked about 1903 although the records have not been found. Acquired in Apr/70 as part of Coal Exploration Licence No. 11 by Arjay Kirker Resources Ltd and optioned to Teslin Exploration Ltd, which carried out prospecting and hand trenching in 1972, and staked a coal lease (2961) in Dec/73. The lease was transferred to Braeburn Coal Ltd in May/76. In Apr/88, All-North Resources Ltd acquired Coal Exploration Licences #416 and #417 covering the area, but no work is recorded for this occurrence. In Nov/92, Cash Resources Ltd acquired coal exploration and coal mining rights in the area under various Licenses (#479, #480, #486 and #487) and Leases (#3000-3004). Cash carried out hand trenching downslope of the occurrence in 1993 and 1997.

Capsule Geology

A west-dipping coal seam in the Tanglefoot Formation of the Upper Jurassic Laberge Group is poorly exposed in a gully at the base of Red Ridge. The seam occurs about 244 m stratigraphically below the base of the Lower Cretaceous Tantalus Formation conglomerate and has a probable aggregate true width of between 12 to 15 m.

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Work History

Date	Work Type	Comment
12/31/1997	Trenching	Amount of work done: 15 METRES
12/31/1993	Trenching	Amount of work done: 25 METRES
12/31/1972	Trenching	
12/31/1972	Other	

Assessment Reports that overlap occurrence

Report Number	Year	Title	Worktypes	Holes Drilled	Meters Drilled
097188	2017	NI43-101 Technical Report on the Division Mountain Coal Property and Related Exploration Licences, Yukon Territory, Canada	Data Compilation - Pre-existing Data		

097196	2017	Report on Preliminary Reconnaissance of Coal Exploration Licence Areas in the Whitehorse Trough, North-Central Yukon, 2017	Property Evaluation - Other		
095317	1993	1993 Final Report on the Division Mountain Coal Property	Diamond - Drilling, EM - Ground Geophysics, Magnetics - Ground Geophysics, Line Cutting - Other	16	1810.50
093032	1991	Summary Report on the Division Mountain Coal Project, Southern Yukon for W4 Joint Venture on Coal Exploration Licenses Y434 and Y435	Regional Bedrock Mapping - Geology, Prospecting - Other, Mechanical - Trenching		
092937	1990	Summary Report on the Division Mountain Coal Prospect Southern Yukon for W4 Joint Venture	Research/Summarize - Pre-existing Data		
019920	1971	1971 Report on Explorations for Coal in the Carmacks and Nordenskiöld Areas	All Weather Road - Development, Surface, Rock - Geochemistry, IP - Ground Geophysics, Prospecting - Other		
060582	1971	[Report on Explorations in Nordenskiöld and Carmacks Area]	Diamond - Drilling, Rock - Geochemistry, Detailed Bedrock Mapping - Geology	1	94.50
060897	1970	Exploration Activities of Norman H. Ursel Associates Ltd.	Rock - Geochemistry, Gamma-ray Spectrometry - Ground Geophysics, Prospecting - Other, Handblast - Trenching		

Related References

Number	Title	Page(s)	Reference Type	Document Type
ARMC016652	Geochemical map - 115H/8 - Vowel Mountain		Property File Collection	Geochemical Map