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NORANDA EXPLORATION COMPANY LIMITED

GEOLOGY OF THE

LOUGHEED 1-83 PROPERTY

LOUGHEED TOWNSHIP

PORCUPINE MINING DIVISION

N.T.S. 42-B-7

SEPTEMBER 1983

JAMES C. IRELAND

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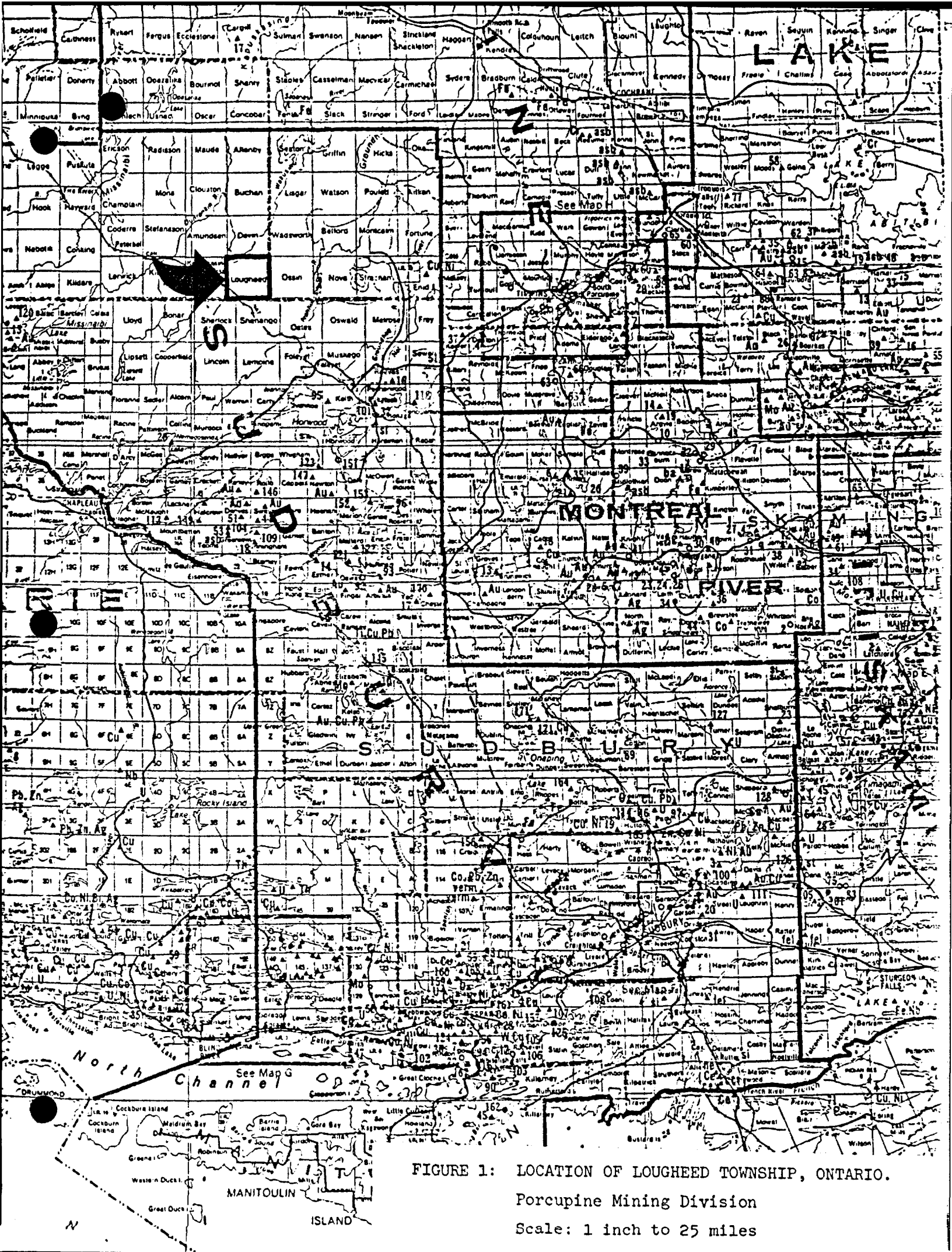


FIGURE 1: LOCATION OF LOUGHEED TOWNSHIP, ONTARIO.  
 Porcupine Mining Division  
 Scale: 1 inch to 25 miles

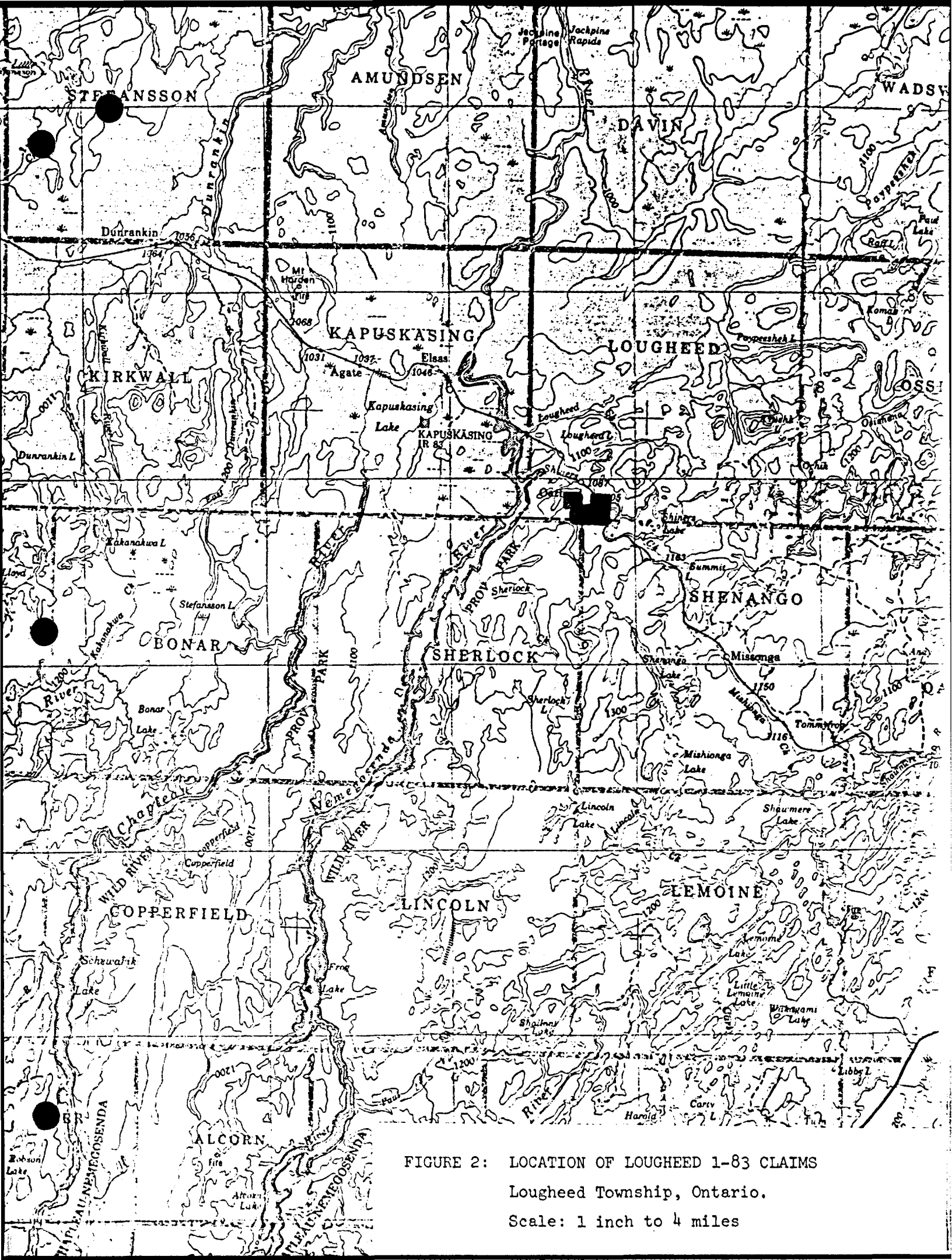


FIGURE 2: LOCATION OF LOUGHEED 1-83 CLAIMS  
 Loughheed Township, Ontario.  
 Scale: 1 inch to 4 miles

LOUGHEED 1-83LOCATION AND ACCESS

The property is situated within the Kapuskasing Structural Zone in the southwest corner of Lougheed Township, the Porcupine Mining Division, in Northeastern Ontario. The nearest community in the area is Elsas, a small hamlet located on the C.N.R. mainline approximately 60 km northwest of Foleyet, Ontario. Access to the property can be gained by rail or float plane from Foleyet.

CONCLUSIONS

The property is underlain by a diverse sequence of mafic to felsic ortho and paragneiss. The dominant foliation is roughly east-west with highly variable south dips.

Two separate magnetite iron formation are exposed on the property. They are well preserved compared to the surrounding lithology, and exhibit primary bedding features.

PROPERTY STATUS

Lougheed 1-83 consists of sixteen contiguous unpatented mining claims numbered P-725914, P-725929, inclusive, staked during the period June 17, 18 and 19, 1983. The anniversary date for the claims is July 18, 1984. To date there is inadequate assessment work completed to hold all of the claims past their anniversary date, as a portion of the claims require winter work. A total of 11 km of grid was cut and mapping was carried out on August 9, 1983 over 8 of the 16 claims covering the central portion of the claims.

TOPOGRAPHY

Relief in the claim block is moderate with a maximum of 150' on the immediate claims. The area is covered by an overmature poplar, birch and spruce forest with heavy undergrowth of alder and hazel.

PREVIOUS WORK

The area covered by the claims and the south part of the present survey was under option to the Mining Corporation of Canada Ltd., in 1957 as a magnetite showing. Assays of 16.62% Fe and 18.02% Fe were obtained. No other work was recorded.

## REGIONAL GEOLOGY

The Oatland project area is situated within the Kapuskasing Structural Zone, a northeast trending zone of high grade metamorphic rocks. The structure appears to be fault bounded on the southeast but displays a gradational contact to the west into low grade volcanic rocks of the Michipicoten-Wawa greenstone belt.

The Kapuskasing Structural Zone comprises generally northeast-striking, northwest dipping belts of mafic, intermediate and felsic volcanic gneisses and broad areas of sedimentary gneiss. The southern part of the Oatland project area has been intruded by the Shenango alkali intrusive complex.

The Shenango complex is composed of a monzonitic core and a peripheral unit of syenodiorite and hornblende syenite. Numerous offshoots of hornblende syenite occur to the northwest of the main intrusive body.

The orientation of gneissosity and lithological contacts make up the prominent east-northeast structural grain of the structural zone. The gneissosity in all rock types is folded about gently plunging northeast trending axes. Plunge reversals are common and can be related to a gently southeast plunging warp axis.

Faulting in the area is predominantly northeast with diabase dykes occupying many of the fault zones. Locally cataclastic gneissic breccias are recognized.

Overall metamorphism in the structural zone is granulite facies with local areas of retrograde metamorphism to upper greenschist facies.

## PROPERTY GEOLOGY

The Loughheed 1-83 property is underlain by a diverse sequence of mafic to felsic gneisses and thick, monotonous sedimentary gneiss sequences. Oxide and silicate facies Banded Iron Formation is exposed on the north and south portions of the map area. The iron formation is generally low in magnetite content.

A thick, monotonous sequence of metasedimentary gneiss underlies the central portion of the map area. Stratigraphy becomes much more diverse, with mafic to intermediate amphibolitic gneiss and felsic to siliceous gneiss all occurring in the vicinity of the iron formation.

TABLE OF FORMATIONS

Unit 8	Diabase
Unit 7	Felsic Intrusive
Unit 6	Mafic Intrusive
Unit 5	Chemical Sediment (chert, B.I.F., carbonate)
Unit 4	Volcaniclastic to Clastic Sediment
Unit 3	Felsic Gneiss (Rhyolitic to Dacitic ?)
Unit 2	Intermediate Gneiss (Andesitic ?)
Unit 1	Mafic Gneiss (Basaltic to Andesitic ?)

TEXTURAL DISCRIPTIONS

gn - gneissic

g - granitic

### MAFIC VOLCANIC GNEISS

Mafic amphibolitic gneisses occur as both thick, discrete units and thinner intercalated units within both felsic gneisses and sedimentary gneisses. They are black to dark green in colour, usually medium grained although some phases are extremely coarse grained, and generally exhibit a distinct gneissic texture. Mineralogically, amphibole is dominant with subordinate plagioclase and red garnet, which can vary from 5 to 25% of the rock. Garnets appear to be ubiquitous throughout the stratigraphic assemblage.

### FELSIC VOLCANIC GNEISS

Felsic gneisses occur as finely banded quartzitic and quartzofeldspathic units with intercalated mafic gneiss bands, and as thicker, less foliated units that exhibit a fragmental nature. Mafic fragments are often present within the felsic gneisses, but their appearance is erratic. Garnets are present, but to a lesser degree.

### "QUARTZITE" (SILICEOUS IRON FORMATION):

Pyrrhotite-magnetite siliceous iron formation occurs as a distinct marker unit within the mafic and felsic gneisses. Coarse recrystallized silica makes up the majority of the unit, which varies in thickness from 5m to 15m, while magnetite with minor pyrrhotite make up anywhere from 3% to 20% of the rock. Where exposed on surface, magnetite occurs much more frequently than pyrrhotite. Garnets are present but are confined to the magnetite-pyrrhotite phases of the unit.

### SEDIMENTARY GNEISS

Garnetiferous sedimentary gneisses are generally fine-grained, variable in composition from quartzofeldspathic to amphibolitic, and exhibit a granular or gritty texture in fresh surfaces. The mafic component is always amphibole and biotite with amphibole the more common constituent. Mafic gneisses are commonly intercalated with the sediments.

## STRUCTURAL GEOLOGY

Trends of the individual units are generally east-west with units exhibiting gentle south dips in the 25-30 degree range with the exception of the "quartzitic" siliceous iron formation, which dips from 60 to 80 degrees to the south. The area is cut by numerous local faults which trend approximately N60 degrees E with only minor lateral displacement. The iron formation appears to be displaced by a north trending dextral strike slip fault with a lateral displacement of approximately 1 km. The fault cuts through the center of the grid.

## MINERALIZATION

Lean, oxide facies banded iron formation has been observed in outcrop in two separate areas on the property. On the northwest part of claim P-725927, a 12 meter wide iron formation is exposed and has been traced along strike for 200 meters.

On the central portion of the claims near the southeast corner of claim P-725922, 5 meters of lean magnilite iron formation is exposed. This unit can be traced for 125 meters along strike.

Minor disseminated pyrrhotite occurs in a garnetiferous cherty, siliceous unit on the southeast corner of the mapped area.

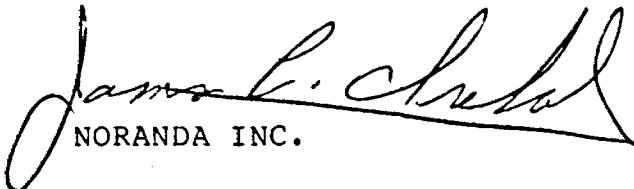
STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION

I, JAMES C. IRELAND, OF 147 WENDE AVENUE, TIMMINS, ONTARIO,  
HEREBY DECLARE THAT:

1. I AM A GRADUATE IN GEOLOGY FROM LAURENTIAN UNIVERSITY,  
SUDBURY, ONTARIO AND DID GRADUATE IN 1982.
2. I AM A QUALIFIED GEOLOGIST PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY NORANDA  
INC., AND HAVE WORKED IN THEIR EMPLOY SINCE 1982.
3. I WAS DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE WORK CARRIED OUT ON THE  
PROPERTY DESCRIBED AND DID SUPERVISE, ON-SITE, THE WORK  
DESCRIBED.
4. I HAVE NO PERSONAL INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AND DID  
CARRY OUT THE WORK SOLELY FOR THE INTEREST OF NORANDA INC.
5. THE STATEMENTS MADE IN THIS REPORT ARE TRUE AND ACCURATE  
WITHIN THE LIMITS OF MY ABILITY.

DATED:

August 9, 1984

  
NORANDA INC.

JAMES C. IRELAND



1984 09 26

Your File: 291/84  
Our File: 2.7056

Mining Recorder  
Ministry of Natural Resources  
60 Wilson Avenue  
Timmins, Ontario  
P4N 2S7

Dear Sir:

RE: Notice of Intent dated September 4, 1984  
Geological Survey on Mining Claims P 725922  
et al in the Township of Loughheed

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The assessment work credits, as listed with the above-mentioned Notice of Intent, have been approved as of the above date.

Please inform the recorded holder of these mining claims and so indicate on your records.

Yours sincerely,

S.E. Yundt  
Director  
Land Management Branch

Whitney Block, Room 6643  
Queen's Park  
Toronto, Ontario  
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Phone:(416)965-4888

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55 Yonge Street  
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cc: Mr. G.H. Ferguson  
Mining & Lands Commissioner  
Toronto, Ontario

cc: Noranda Exploration Company, Limited  
P.O. Box 1205  
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Attention: R.C. Denomme

cc: Resident Geologist  
Timmins, Ontario

Encl.



Ontario

Ministry of Natural Resources

# Technical Assessment Work Credits

File	2.7056
Date	1984 09 04
Mining Recorder's Report of Work No.	291-84

Recorded Holder	NORANDA EXPLORATION COMPANY, LIMITED
Township or Area	LOUGHEED TOWNSHIP

Type of survey and number of Assessment days credit per claim	Mining Claims Assessed
Geophysical Electromagnetic _____ days Magnetometer _____ days Radiometric _____ days Induced polarization _____ days Other _____ days Section 77 (19) See "Mining Claims Assessed" column _____ 29 days Geological _____ days Geochemical _____ days Man days <input type="checkbox"/> Airborne <input type="checkbox"/> Special provision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credits have been reduced because of partial coverage of claims. <input type="checkbox"/> Credits have been reduced because of corrections to work dates and figures of applicant.	P 725922 to 928 inclusive

Special credits under section 77 (16) for the following mining claims

No credits have been allowed for the following mining claims

not sufficiently covered by the survey       Insufficient technical data filed

P 725929



Ministry of  
Natural  
Resources

*Sept 19/84*

1984 09 04

Your File: 291/84  
Our File: 2.7056

Bruce W. Hanley  
Mining Recorder  
Ministry of Natural Resources  
60 Wilson Avenue  
Timmins, Ontario  
P4N 2S7

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are two copies of a Notice of Intent with statements listing a reduced rate of assessment work credits to be allowed for a technical survey. Please forward one copy to the recorded holder of the claims and retain the other. In approximately fifteen days from the above date, a final letter of approval of these credits will be sent to you. On receipt of the approval letter, you may then change the work entries on the claim record sheets.

For further information, if required, please contact Mr. R.J. Pichette at 416/965-4888.

Yours sincerely,

S.E. Yundt  
Director  
Land Management Branch

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Mining & Lands Commissioner  
Toronto, Ontario

cc: Noranda Exploration Company, Limited  
P.O. Box 1205  
Timmins, Ontario  
P4N 7J5  
Att: R.C. Denomme



Ministry of  
Natural  
Resources

Notice of Intent  
for Technical Reports

1984 09 04

2.7056/291-84

An examination of your survey report indicates that the requirements of The Ontario Mining Act have not been fully met to warrant maximum assessment work credits. This notice is merely a warning that you will not be allowed the number of assessment work days credits that you expected and also that in approximately 15 days from the above date, the mining recorder will be authorized to change the entries on his record sheets to agree with the enclosed statement. Please note that until such time as the recorder actually changes the entry on the record sheet, the status of the claim remains unchanged.

If you are of the opinion that these changes by the mining recorder will jeopardize your claims, you may during the next fifteen days apply to the Mining and Lands Commissioner for an extension of time. Abstracts should be sent with your application.

If the reduced rate of credits does not jeopardize the status of the claims then you need not seek relief from the Mining and Lands Commissioner and this Notice of Intent may be disregarded.

If your survey was submitted and assessed under the "Special Provision-Performance and Coverage" method and you are of the opinion that a re-appraisal under the "Man-days" method would result in the approval of a greater number of days credit per claim, you may, within the said fifteen day period, submit assessment work breakdowns listing the employees names, addresses and the dates and hours they worked. The new work breakdowns should be submitted direct to the Land Management Branch, Toronto. The report will be re-assessed and a new statement of credits based on actual days worked will be issued.



**Report of Work**  
(Geophysical, Geological,  
Geochemical and Expenditures)

LOUGHEED 1-83

- Instructions: - Please type or print.  
- If number of mining claims traversed exceeds space on this form, attach a list.  
Note: - Only days credits calculated in the "Expenditures" section may be entered in the "Expend. Days Cr." columns.  
- Do not use shaded areas below.

Mining Act

2-7056  
W.R.  
# 291/84

*Sept 11/84*

Type of Survey(s) <b>GEOLOGICAL</b>	Township or Area <b>LOUGHEED</b>
Claim Holder(s) <b>NORANDA EXPLORATION COMPANY LIMITED</b>	Inspector's Licence No. <b>A-34387</b>
Address <b>SUITE 400 - 55 YONGE STREET, TORONTO, ONTARIO</b>	
Survey Company <b>NORANDA CREW</b>	Date of Survey (from & to) Day Mo. Yr. <b>09 08 83 10 08 83</b>
Total Miles of line Cut <b>11.0 KM</b>	
Name and Address of Author (of Geo-Technical report) <b>JAMES IRELAND, P. O. BOX 1205, TIMMINS, ONTARIO</b>	

Credits Requested per Each Claim in Columns at right

Special Provisions	Geophysical	Days per Claim
For first survey: Enter 40 days. (This includes line cutting)	- Electromagnetic	
	- Magnetometer	
	- Radiometric	
	- Other	
For each additional survey: using the same grid: Enter 20 days (for each)	Geological	<b>40</b>
	Geochemical	

Man Days	Geophysical	Days per Claim
Complete reverse side and enter total(s) here	- Electromagnetic	
	- Magnetometer	
	- Radiometric	
	- Other	
	Geological	
	Geochemical	

Airborne Credits	Geophysical	Days per Claim
Note: Special provisions credits do not apply to Airborne Surveys.	Electromagnetic	
	Magnetometer	
	Radiometric	

Mining Claims Traversed (List in numerical sequence)

Mining Claim		Expend. Days Cr.	Mining Claim		Expend. Days Cr.
Prefix	Number		Prefix	Number	
P	725922				
	725923				
	725924				
	725925				
	725926				
	725927				
	725928				
	725929				

**RECEIVED**  
JUL 30 1984  
MINING LANDS SECTION

**RECORDED**  
JUL 13 1984  
Receipt No. 30

**RECEIVED**  
JUL 13 1984  
A.M. 7:8 P.M. 9:10:11:12:13:14:15:16

*see revised statement*

Expenditures (excludes power stripping)

Type of Work Performed

Performed on Claim(s)

Calculation of Expenditure Days Credits

Total Expenditures \$  ÷ 15 = Total Days Credits

Instructions  
Total Days Credits may be apportioned at the claim holder's choice. Enter number of days credits per claim selected in columns at right.

**For Office Use Only**

Total Days Cr. Recorded	Date Recorded	Mining Recorder
320	July 13, 1984	<i>[Signature]</i>
	Date Approved as Recorded	Branch Recorder

Date **JULY 13/84**

Recorded Holder or Agent (Signature)  
*R.C. Denommee*

**Certification Verifying Report of Work**

I hereby certify that I have a personal and intimate knowledge of the facts set forth in the Report of Work annexed hereto, having performed the work or witnessed same during and/or after its completion and the annexed report is true.

Name and Postal Address of Person Certifying  
**R.C. DENOMMEE, P.O. BOX 1205**  
**TIMMINS, ONTARIO**

Date Certified **JULY 13/84**

Certified by (Signature)  
*R.C. Denommee*

1984 08 24

Your File: 291  
Our File: 2.7056

Mr. Bruce Hanley  
Mining Recorder  
Ministry of Natural Resources  
60 Wilson Avenue  
Timmins, Ontario  
P4N 2S7

Dear Sir:

We have received reports and maps for a Geological Survey submitted under Special Provisions (credit for Performance and Coverage) on Mining Claims P 725922 et al in the Township of Loughheed.

This material will be examined and assessed and a statement of assessment work credits will be issued.

Yours sincerely,

S.E. Yundt  
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Land Management Branch

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Attn: R.C. Denomme

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926 1/4  
927 ✓  
928 3/4  
929 0

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