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31st August, 1976.

Mr. H.K. Wellington,
Chief Metallurgist,
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Dear Mr. Wellington,

Re: Beneficiation Study Moina Skarn.

During the discussion between you and Mr. A.H. Bartlett and myself last Thursday, 26th August, 1976, you indicated that about 100 kg of the fluorite skarn ("wrigglite") would be necessary for your investigations.

I will personally deliver to you a parcel of about 140 kg of "wrigglite". The parcel is made up of cobbles and boulders selected off the dump about 50 metres NNE of the old main shaft of the Shepherd and Murphy Mine and off a bulldozer costeam spoil heap immediately adjacent to the old main shaft.

The proportions of rock types in the parcel were selected to be representative of the skarn body as a whole.

All the cobbles and boulders will need to be broken up, crushed and mixed to achieve uniformity. If you wish I can arrange head grade analyses of the bulk sample after it is mixed and prepared. Our Melbourne Laboratory is well experienced in total F analyses, and Amdel have a special method for determining soluble fluorite (CaF₂).

We hope your investigations are successful and fruitful. Of course, if I can assist with aspects of the geology, or extra samples, etc, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

P.W.
P.W. Askins
Senior Geologist.