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PREFACE

With this publication we are initiating a series of annual Reports of Activities. Most similar agencies in Canada have adopted this method for quickly communicating the progress and major results of projects in progress. We see it as at least a partial solution to a general communications problem made more difficult and important by the continued growth of the Mineral Development Division's activities.

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