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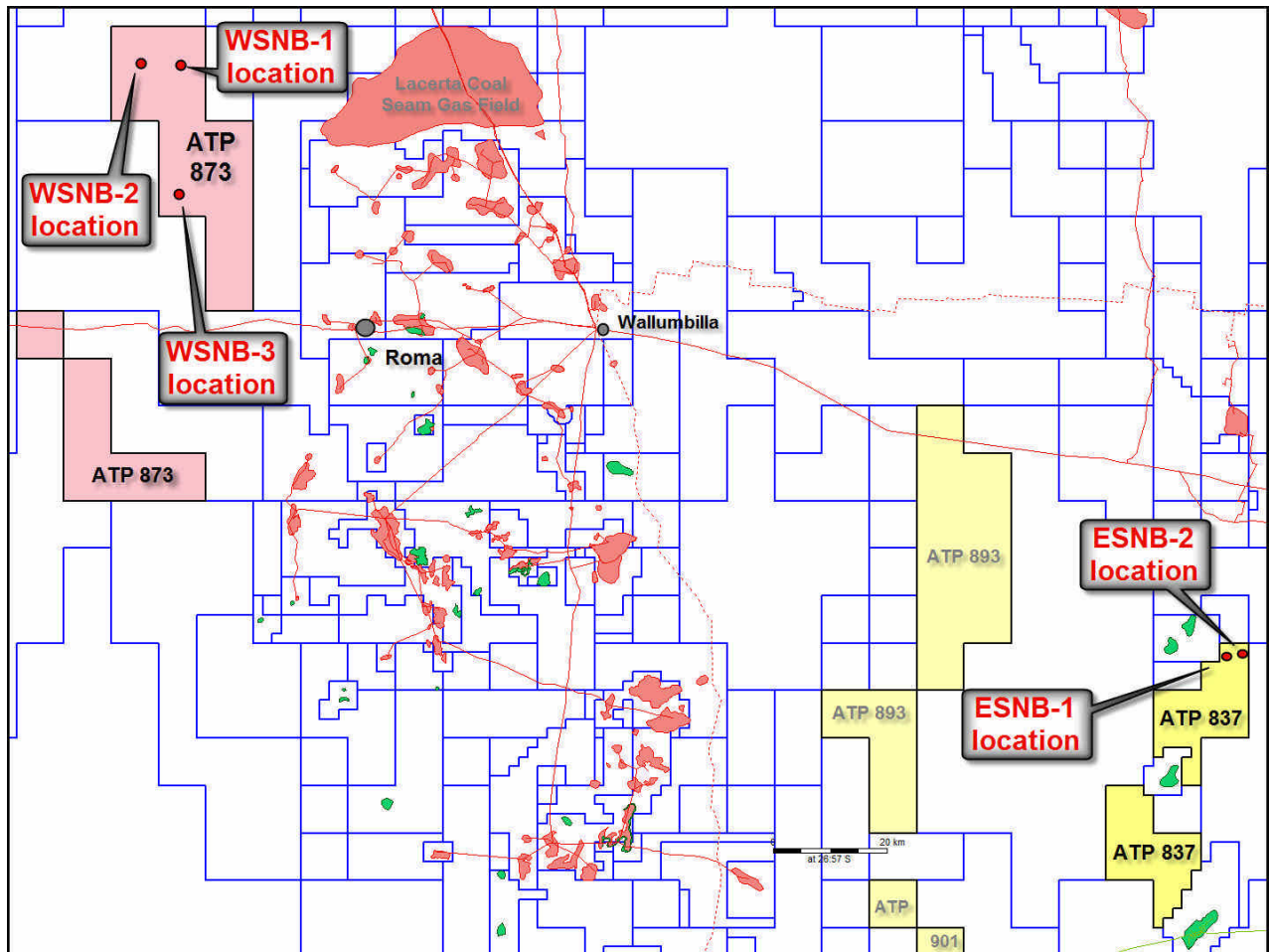
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Rawson Resources Limited CSG Drilling Program Update

Rawson Resources Limited ('Rawson', ASX code RAW) wishes to advise that it has been advised by the operator, TRUenergy (Qld) that the commencement of the 5 well Coal Seam Gas drilling (CSG) program is scheduled to commence mobilising on 5th January 2009 with the actual spud date another 5 days out.

A map is attached below showing the locations of the 5 wells and we will be advising the market which well location and the spud date as soon as the operator advises us.



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Background: Rawson Resources Ltd is primarily an oil and natural gas exploration company in Australia with interests in the Otway, Surat, Cooper, Pedirka and Taranaki Basins. Rawson also has joint ventures for exploration for Coal Seam Gas in Australia and joint ventures for Uranium in the USA and Australia.