

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

Report of Foreign Private Issuer  
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16  
under the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of February 2007

**Vannessa Ventures Ltd.**  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

000-30462  
(Commission File Number)

**Suite 220, 1010 – 1<sup>st</sup> Street SW, Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2R 1K4**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F ☒ [X]

Form 40-F ☐ [ ]

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1): \_\_\_\_\_

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes ☐ [ ]

No ☒ [X]

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- .

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

VANNESSA VENTURES LTD.  
(Registrant)

Date: February 12, 2007

By: /s/ Cameron B. Boyer  
Name: Cameron B. Boyer  
Title: Controller

## EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>
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| 1. | News Release, 12 February 2007 - English |
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### NEWS RELEASE

February 12, 2007

Trading Symbol: TSXV: VVV

#### **Vannessa Announces \$1.5 million Private Placement**

Calgary – February 12, 2007; Vannessa Ventures Ltd. (“the Company”) announces the Company has negotiated a non-brokered private placement of 5,000,000 units of the Company at a price of \$0.30 per unit. Each Unit consists of one common share and one-half of one share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant entitles the subscriber to purchase one additional share in the Company at the price of \$0.40 per share for a period of twelve months from the date of closing and at a price of \$0.50 per share for the period thereafter until twenty-four months from the date of closing.

The purchaser of the entire private placement is Exploram Enterprises Ltd., the control person of the Company.

The proceeds of the placement will be used to advance the development of the Crucitas gold project in Costa Rica including continued environmental, infrastructure and design work. In addition drilling in the Saprolite, or near surface unconsolidated material, in the proposed mining area is being planned. This drilling will be used to define pit geometry and for geotechnical and environmental purposes as well as to refine pit design to optimize resource recovery. General working capital needs will also be funded including the ongoing International Arbitration relating to the Las Cristinas gold project in Venezuela.

This private placement is subject to acceptance by the securities regulatory authorities. The Company requires the proceeds promptly to fund working capital obligations and accordingly considers it necessary to complete the private placement immediately after receipt of acceptance from the TSX Venture Exchange.

John Morgan, President  
VANNESSA VENTURES LTD.

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