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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 Post-Effective Amendment No. 1

to

FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ontario, Canada Not Applicable

(State or other jurisdiction of

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

incorporation or organization)

145 King Street East, Suite 400 Toronto, Ontario, M5C 2Y7

(Address, Including Zip Code, of Principal Executive Offices)

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED AMENDED AND RESTATED EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION PLAN

and

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED AMENDED AND RESTATED INCENTIVE SHARE PURCHASE PLAN

(Full title of plan)

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Large accelerated filer X Non-accelerated filer (do not check if a smaller reporting company) O Accelerated filer O Smaller reporting company O

Explanatory Note

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 is being filed solely to add exhibits 4.1 (the Registrant s Amended and Restated Employee Stock Option Plan) and 4.2 (the Registrant s Amended and Restated Incentive Share Purchase Plan) to this Registration Statement on Form S-8.

PART II

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Toronto in the province of Ontario, on August 19, 2008.

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED

By: /s/ Sean Boyd Sean Boyd

Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the respective capacities.

August 19, 2008 /s/ Sean Boyd

Sean Boyd,

Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and a Director

(Principal Executive Officer)

August 19, 2008 /s/ David Garofalo

David Garofalo.

Senior Vice-President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

and a Director

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

August 19, 2008 **

Eberhard Scherkus,

President and Chief Operating Officer and a Director

August 19, 2008 **

James D. Nasso

Chairman of the Board of Directors

August 19, 2008

Douglas R. Beaumont,

Director

August 19, 2008

Bernard Kraft, Director

August 19, 2008 **

Howard R. Stockford

Director

August 19, 2008

Mel Leiderman, Director

August 19, 2008 *

Leanne M. Baker

Director and Authorized United States Representative

August 19, 2008

Pertti Voutilainen

Director

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Clifford J. Davis

August 19, 2008

J. Merfyn Roberts

*By: /s/ David Garofalo David Garofalo Attorney-in-Fact

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