

AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington D.C. 20549

**Report of Foreign Issuer
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the Month of

February 2004

Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

145 King Street East, Suite 500, Toronto, Ontario M5C 2Y7

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Yes

No

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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.

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED

Date: February 4, 2004

By: /s/ DAVID GAROFALO

David Garofalo
Vice President, Finance &
Chief Financial Officer

NEWS RELEASE

Stock Symbols:

AEM (NYSE)
AGE (TSX)

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AGNICO-EAGLE REPORTS FATALITY AT LARONDE MINE

Toronto (February 4, 2004) **Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited** regrets to report that a contract miner was killed as a result of an explosion at the Company's LaRonde Mine in northwestern Québec. The explosion occurred at approximately 10:40 p.m. Tuesday, February 3, 2004 in the course of loading a work area with explosives. The deceased was an employee of an underground drilling and cabling contractor. The Company wishes to extend its sincere condolences to the family and colleagues of the deceased.

Underground mine production has temporarily been scaled back to 5,000 tons per day pending an inspection by local authorities. The Company believes full underground mining operations will resume shortly. Mill operations continue at full budgeted capacity.

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