FORM 51 – 102F3 MATERIAL CHANGE REPORT UNDER NATIONAL INSTRUMENT 51-102

ITEM 1 Name and Address of Company

Ares Strategic Mining Inc. 1001 – 409 Granville Street Vancouver, British Columbia, V6C 1T2

(the "Company")

ITEM 2 Date of Material Change

February 6, 2025

ITEM 3 News Release

The news release dated January 27, 2025 was disseminated via TheNewswire.ca Inc

ITEM 4 Summary of Material Change

The Company announced that, further to its news release dated January 27, 2025, it has issued 646,100 common shares, 91,158 shares at a deemed price of \$0.19 per Share and 554,942 shares at a deemed price of \$0.155 per Share, settling \$103,336 in debt owing to various non-arm's length parties (the "Share Settlement") in connection with past services rendered to the Company. All securities issued pursuant to the Share Settlement are subject to a mandatory four months and one day hold period.

ITEM 5 Full Description of Material Change

5.1 Full Description of Material Change

The material changes are fully described in Item 4 above and in the News Release filed on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

5.2 Disclosure for Restructuring Transactions

Not Applicable.

ITEM 6 Reliance on subsection 7.1(2) of National Instrument 51-102

Not Applicable.

ITEM 7 Omitted Information

Not Applicable.

ITEM 8 Executive Officer

James Walker President and Chief Executive Officer (604) 345-1576 or at <u>jwalker@aresmining.com</u>

ITEM 9 Date of Report

February 7, 2025