Note: [01 Mar 2017] – The following is a consolidation of 13-501F1. It incorporates amendments to this document that came into effect on March 1, 2017. This consolidation is provided for your convenience and should not be relied on as authoritative.

FORM 13-501F1 CLASS 1 REPORTING ISSUERS AND CLASS 3B REPORTING ISSUERS – PARTICIPATION FEE

MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION

I, <u>BAKER</u> , <u>Judy</u> , an officer of the reporting issuer no Form) being submitted hereunder to the Alberta Sec e, having exercised reasonable diligence, the information	urities Commission and certify that to my knowledg
(s) <u>BAKER</u> , <u>Judy</u>	<u>30 Apr 2024</u>

Name: BAKER, Judy Date:

Title: CEO

Reporting Issuer Name: Argo Gold Inc. / Argo Gold Inc. (000008292)

End date of previous financial year: 31 Dec 2023

Type of Reporting Issuer: [X] Class 1 reporting issuer [_] Class 3B reporting issuer

Highest Trading Marketplace: Canadian Securities Exchange (CSE)

Market value of listed or quoted equity securities:

ARQ Equity Symbol

1st Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)

01/01/23 to 31/03/23

(i)

\$ 0.09 Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or

quoted on the highest trading marketplace	
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Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		66000000 (ii)
Market value of class or series	(i) x (ii)	\$ 5940000.00 (A)
2nd Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/04/23 to 30/06/23
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace		\$ 0.1 (iii)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		69000000 (iv)
Market value of class or series	(iii) x (iv)	\$ 6900000.00 (B)
3rd Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/07/23 to 30/09/23
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace		\$ 0.09 (v)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		69000000 (vi)
Market value of class or series	(v) x (vi)	\$ 6210000.00 (C)
4th Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/10/23 to 31/12/23

Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace	\$ 0.1 (vii)		
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period	73000000 (viii)		
Market value of class or series (vii) x (viii)	\$ 7300000.00 (D)		
5th Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)	N/A		
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace			
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period $N/A(x)$			
Market value of class or series $(ix) x (x)$	\$ N/A (E)		
Average Market Value of Class or Series (Calculate the simple average of the market value of the class or series of security for each applicable specified trading period (i.e. A through E above)) \$ 6587500.00 (1)			
(Repeat the above calculation for each other class or series of equity securities of the reporting issuer (and a subsidiary, if applicable) that was listed or quoted on a marketplace at the end of the previous financial year)			
Fair value of outstanding debt securities:			
(Provide details of how value was determined)	\$ 1,000,000.00 (2)		

\$ 400.00

Participation Fee

Late Fee, if applicable	\$ N/A
Total Fee Payable (Participation Fee plus Late Fee)	\$ 400.00