FORM 52-109F1R CERTIFICATION OF REFILED ANNUAL FILINGS

This certificate is being filed on the same date that **Argo Gold Inc.** (the "issuer") has refiled **annual financial** statements and MD&A.

I, Judy Baker, Chief Executive Officer, of Argo Gold Inc., certify the following:

1. *Review:* I have reviewed the AIF, if any, annual financial statements and annual MD&A, including, for greater certainty, all documents and information that are incorporated by reference in the AIF (together, the "annual filings") of the issuer for the financial year ended **December 31, 2023**.

2. **No misrepresentations:** Based on my knowledge, having exercised reasonable diligence, the annual filings do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated or that is necessary to make a statement not misleading in light of the circumstances under which it was made, for the period covered by the annual filings.

3. **Fair presentation:** Based on my knowledge, having exercised reasonable diligence, the annual financial statements together with the other financial information included in the annual filings fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, financial performance and cash flows of the issuer, as of the date of and for the periods presented in the annual filings.

Date: May 23, 2024

Signed "Judy Baker"

Judy Baker

Chief Executive Officer

NOTE TO READER

In contrast to the certificate required for non-venture issuers under National Instrument 52-109 Certification of Disclosure in issuers Annual and Interim Filings ("NI 52-109"), this Venture Issuer Basic Certificate does not include representations relating to the establishment and maintenance of disclosure controls and procedures ("DC&P") and internal control over financial reporting ("ICFR") as defined in I 52-109. In particular, the certifying officers filing this certificate are not making any representation relating to the establishment and maintenance of:

- i) Controls and other procedures designed to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed by the Issuer in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted under securities legislation is recorded, recessed, summarized, and reported within the time periods specified in securities legislation.
- ii) A process to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with he Issuer's GAAP.

The Issuer's certifying officers are responsible for ensuring that processes are in place to provide them with sufficient knowledge to support the representations they are making in this certificate. Investors should be aware that inherent limitations on the ability of certifying officers f a venture issuer to design and implement on a cost-effective basis DC&P are ICFR as defined in NI 52-109 may result in additional risks to the quality, reliability, transparency and timeliness of interim and annal filings and other reports provided under security legislation.