



NEW AGE METALS ANNOUNCES HOLDINGS IN METALQUEST MINING

April 10, 2026 – Vancouver, BC–New Age Metals Inc. (TSX.V: NAM | OTCQB: NMTLF | FSE: P7J) (“NAM” or the “Company”) announces that it has filed an early warning report today advising of holdings in MetalQuest Mining Inc. (“MQM”). The Company has exercised 2,653,714 share purchase warrants and, as a result, has acquired 2,653,714 common shares of MQM at a price of \$0.10 per share for total consideration of \$265,371.40. This transaction, together with the increase in MQM’s issued and outstanding securities since the last report filed by the Company, has decreased NAM’s ownership by 4.66%.

Prior to the transaction, NAM was deemed to have control over 4,387,954 common shares and 2,653,714 warrants entitling the NAM to purchase an additional 2,653,714 common shares representing 19.05% of MQM’s then issued and outstanding common shares on a post-conversion beneficial ownership basis. NAM now holds 7,041,668 common shares of MQM representing 14.39% of MQM’s current issued and outstanding common shares on a post-conversion beneficial ownership basis.

The securities were acquired for investment purposes. NAM has a long-term view of the investment and may, in the future, acquire and/or dispose of securities through the open market, through private transactions as circumstances or market conditions may warrant.

For further details, the full early warning report with respect to the foregoing will appear on MetalQuest Mining’s profile on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.ca and may also be obtained by contacting the Company directly.

Opt-in List

Investors are invited to visit the New Age Metals website at www.newagemetals.com where they can review the Company and its corporate activities. Any questions or comments can be directed to info@newagemetals.com or Harry Barr at Hbarr@newagemetals.com or Farid Mammadov at faridm@newagemetals.com or call 613 659 2773.

If you have not done so already, we encourage you to sign up on our website (www.newagemetals.com) to receive our updated news.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

Harry G. Barr
Chairman and CEO



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