

ARIANNE PHOSPHATE TO PRESENT AT THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT FORUM ON CRITICAL MINERALS

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SAGUENAY, QC, Feb. 3, 2025 /CNW/ – **Arianne Phosphate (the “Company” or “Arianne”)** (TSXV: DAN) (OTCQX: DRRSF) (FRANKFURT: JE9N), a development-stage phosphate mining company, advancing the Lac à Paul project in Quebec’s Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean region is pleased to announce that the Company will be presenting at the 2nd annual Canadian Critical Mineral Opportunity Forum (“CCMOF”) being held in New York City, today February 3, 2025. Hosted by the Consulate General of Canada to the United States, in New York, the Forum will allow several Canadian critical mineral companies to present their projects and interact with investors, corporates and government officials.

In 2024, both the Canadian and Quebec Governments added apatite (the phosphate bearing mineral) to their respective critical mineral lists. Phosphate, primarily used and understood as an agricultural mineral has risen to prominence because of its use in lithium-iron-phosphate (“LFP”) batteries. The LFP has undergone significant growth both in Asia and the West, for use in both electric vehicles and energy storage systems. Today, over 95% of LFPs are produced in China and, as the West looks to move their supply chains onshore, there is a growing interest in critical mineral projects outside of China, and in geopolitically friendly jurisdictions.

Arianne Phosphate owns the Lac à Paul phosphate project, located in Quebec, Canada. Today, the deposit is the world’s largest greenfield resource, capable of producing a high-purity/low-contaminant phosphate concentrate, ideal for transformation into LFP batteries. The mine is fully permitted, and the Company is currently pursuing plans for a downstream facility to transform phosphate concentrate into battery-grade acid. In late 2024, Arianne received an investment from a global mining company and continues to work with potential partners to advance the project to meet this demand.

About Arianne Phosphate:

Arianne Phosphate Inc. (www.arianne-inc.com) is developing the Lac à Paul phosphate deposits located approximately 200 km north of the Saguenay/Lac St. Jean area of Quebec, Canada. These deposits will produce a high-quality igneous apatite concentrate grading 39% P₂O₅ with little or no contaminants (“Feasibility Study to Produce 3Mtpy of High Purity Apatite Concentrate at the Lac a Paul Project, Québec, Canada” released on November 13, 2013). The Company has 202,890,210 shares outstanding.

Qualified Person

Raphael Gaudreault, eng., Qualified Person by NI 43-101, has approved the technical disclosure in this release. Mr. Gaudreault is also the Company's Chief Operating Officer.

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