

AMERICAN LITHIUM MINERALS, INC.
Form S-8 POS
March 23, 2011

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

Post Effective Amendment #1 to

FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

AMERICAN LITHIUM MINERALS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

71-1049972

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

130 King St. West, Suite 3650 Toronto, Ontario, Canada

M5X 1A9

(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)

2009 Stock Plan

(Full title of the plan)

**EMPIRE STOCK TRANSFER INC.
1859 WHITNEY MESA DR
HENDERSON, NV 89014**

(Name and address of agent for service)

416.214.5640

(Telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

Copies of all communications, including all communications sent to the agent for service, should be sent to:

**William L. Macdonald
Macdonald Tuskey Corporate & Securities Lawyers
4th Floor, 570 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C., V6C 3P1, Canada
Telephone: (604) 648-1670
Facsimile: (604) 681-4760**

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a small reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting

company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act

Large accelerated filer

Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) **Smaller reporting company**

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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

| Title of Securities to be Registered | Amount to be Registered | Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Share⁽¹⁾ | Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price | Amount of Registration Fee |
|---|--------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock ⁽²⁾ (3) | 4,000,000 ⁽⁴⁾ | \$1.32 | \$5,280,000 | \$294.62 |
| Total | 4,000,000⁽⁴⁾ | | | \$294.62 ⁽⁵⁾ |

(1) The price is estimated in accordance with Rule 457(h)(1) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee. Our estimate is based on the average of the high and low prices for our common stock as reported on the National Association of Securities Dealers Inc.'s OTC Bulletin Board on November 16, 2009.

(2) An indeterminate number of additional shares of common stock shall be issuable pursuant to Rule 416 to prevent dilution resulting from stock splits, stock dividends or similar transactions and in such an event the number of shares registered shall automatically be increased to cover the additional shares in accordance with Rule 416 under the Securities Act.

(3) We are registering up to 4,000,000 shares of our common stock that we may issue upon the exercise of stock options issued or to be issued pursuant to our 2009 Stock Plan. Our 2009 Stock Plan authorizes the issuance of a maximum of 4,000,000 shares of our common stock to eligible employees, directors, officers, advisors and consultants of our company or any of our subsidiaries. All of the shares issuable under the 2009 Stock Plan are being registered under this registration statement on Form S-8.

(4) Of the 4,000,000 shares previously registered on December 3, 2009, 3,950,000 remain available for issuance as at the date of this amendment.

(5) Previously paid.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

We are amending our Registration Statement on Form S-8, originally filed on December 3, 2009 in order to reflect a change in the 2009 Stock Plan to allow the exercise of options issued under such plan at any time within five (5) years following the termination of the optionee's employment or other relationship with our company, but, in no event later than the expiration date of the Option. The option plan previously provided for a maximum exercise period of three (3) years in such circumstances. In all other respects, the 2009 Stock Plan is unchanged.

Prior to the amendment of the 2009 Stock Plan and the filing of this Registration Statement on Form S-8, all of the previously issued and outstanding options under this Plan that were unexercised were cancelled. As of the filing of this Registration Statement on Form S-8 there are 3,950,000 shares available for issuance under the 2009 Stock Plan.

PART I**INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE SECTION 10(a) PROSPECTUS**

Item 1. Plan Information

We will send or make available the documents containing the information specified in Part I of Form S-8 to individuals who participate in our 2009 Stock Plan.

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This registration statement relates to a maximum of 3,950,000 common shares in the capital of American Lithium Minerals Inc. issuable upon the exercise of stock options issued or to be issued under the 2009 Stock Plan. Of the 4,000,000 common shares initially registered on December 3, 2009 under the 2009 Stock Plan, 50,000 have been issued as of the date of this amendment.

Item 2. Registrant Information and Employee Plan Annual Information

We will provide, without charge, to each person to whom a copy of the Section 10(a) prospectus is delivered, upon oral or written request, a copy of any or all documents incorporated by reference in Item 3 of Part II of this registration statement (which documents are incorporated by reference in the Section 10(a) prospectus). Requests should be directed to Hugh Aird, President and Chief Executive Officer, American Lithium Minerals Inc., 130 King St. West, Suite 3650 Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Our telephone number is 416.214.5640.

PART II

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The SEC allows us to "incorporate by reference" information into this registration statement, which means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to another document filed separately with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is deemed to be part of this registration statement, except for any information superseded by information in this registration statement.

The following documents filed by our company with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") are incorporated herein by reference:

1. The description of our company's common stock contained in our registration statement on Form SB-2 (SEC file number 333-132648), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 23, 2006, including all amendments and reports for the purpose of updating such description;
2. Our latest Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on January 10, 2011 for the year ended September 30, 2010;
3. Our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed on February 18, 2011;
4. All Current Reports filed by the Registrant pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act since September 30, 2010.

In addition to the foregoing, all documents that we subsequently file pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment indicating that all of the securities offered pursuant to this registration statement have been sold or deregistering all securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference in this registration statement and to be part hereof from the date of filing of such documents. Any statement contained in a document incorporated by reference in this registration statement shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this registration statement to the extent that a statement contained in this registration statement or in any subsequently filed document that is also incorporated by reference in this registration statement modifies or supersedes such statement. Any statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this registration statement.

You may read and copy any reports, statements or other information we have filed at the SEC's Public Reference Room at 100 F Street North East, Washington, D.C. 20549. Please call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330 for further information on the Public Reference Rooms. Our filings are also available on the Internet at the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov>.

Item 4. Description of Securities.

Not applicable.

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Item 5. Interests of Named Experts and Counsel.

Not applicable.

Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

Nevada corporation law provides that:

- a corporation may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the corporation, by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he acted in good faith and in a manner which he reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his conduct was unlawful;
- a corporation may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the corporation to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he acted in good faith and in a manner which he reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the corporation or for amounts paid in settlement to the corporation, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper; and
- to the extent that a director, officer, employee or agent of a corporation has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, the corporation shall indemnify him against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense.

We may make any discretionary indemnification only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the director, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made:

- by our board of directors by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of directors who are not parties to such action, suit or proceeding;
- if such a quorum is not obtainable, by a majority vote of the directors who were not parties to such action, suit or proceeding;

- by independent legal counsel (selected by one or more of our directors, whether or not a quorum and whether or not disinterested) in a written opinion; or
- by our shareholders.

Item 7. Exemption from Registration Claimed.

Not Applicable.

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Item 8. Exhibits.

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|-----------------------|---|
| <u>4.1</u> | <u>Amended 2009 Stock Plan</u> |
| <u>4.2</u> | <u>Form of Stock Option Agreement</u> |
| <u>5.1</u> | <u>Opinion of Macdonald Tuskey</u> |
| 23.1 | Consent of Macdonald Tuskey (included in Exhibit 5) |
| <u>23.2</u> | <u>Consent of De Joya Griffith & Company, LLC</u> |
| 24 | Power of Attorney (included in signature page) |

Item 9. Undertakings.

(a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:

(i) to include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended;

(ii) to reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than 20 percent change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the Calculation of Registration Fee table in the effective registration statement; and

(iii) to include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii) do not apply if the registration statement is on Form S-8, and the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in reports filed with or furnished to the Commission by the registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 that are incorporated by reference in the registration statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at the time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(b) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each filing of the registrant's annual report pursuant to section 13(a) or section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) that is incorporated by reference in the registration statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

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(h) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario, on March 22, 2011

AMERICAN LITHIUM MINERALS INC.

/s/ Hugh Aird

By: Hugh Aird
President and Chief Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Hugh Aird as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and re-substitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this registration statement, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in connection therewith, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent or any of them, or of their substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates stated.

SIGNATURES

/s/ Hugh Aird

By: Hugh Aird
President and Chief Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)

March 22, 2011

/s/ William Deluce

William Deluce
Director

March 22, 2011