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**Aftermath Silver Files Technical Report**

Vancouver, BC, **January 16, 2026** – Aftermath Silver Ltd. (the “Company” or “Aftermath Silver”) (TSX-V: AAG) (OTCQB: AAGFF) has filed a technical report (the “Berenguela Technical Report”) on the Berenguela silver-copper-manganese deposit located in the Department of Puno in southern Peru (“Berenguela” or the “Project”).

The Report presents a new Mineral Resource Estimate for the Berenguela Silver-Copper- Manganese Project together with recommendations for further metallurgical and engineering work with the objective of completing a preliminary feasibility study during 2026. The company is now proceeding to initiate advanced engineering work on the project focused on commercializing the flowsheets for silver, copper and zinc recovery and the potential manganese products, which include battery grade manganese sulphate (MnSO4).

The Berenguela Technical Report, titled “NI 43-101 Technical Report, Mineral Resource Estimate for the Berenguela Project Province of Lampa, Department of Puno, Peru”, is filed in accordance with National Instrument 43-101 (“NI 43-101”) and was completed by BBA International (Canada) Inc. (“BBA”), with an effective date of November 30, 2025. The Qualified Persons for the Berenguela Technical Report are D. Nussipakynova, P. Geo. (BC & ON), D. Evangelista, P.Eng. (BC), and B. Arthur, PE (SME-Registered Member).

**Mineral Resource Estimate**

**Table 1. Berenguela Ag-Cu-Mn deposit Mineral Resource at 137.40 USD NSR as of November 30 2025**

Resource Classification	Tonnage Mt	Grade				Contained Metal			
		Ag g/t	Mn %	Cu %	Zn %	Ag Moz	Mn Mt	Cu Mlb	Zn Mlb
Measured	8.49	101	8.97	0.89	0.32	27.7	0.76	166.9	60.0
Indicated	43.06	68.5	5.04	0.58	0.33	94.9	2.17	550.2	312.5
Measured and Indicated	51.55	73.9	5.69	0.63	0.33	122.5	2.93	717.1	372.4
Inferred	14.33	47.6	3.28	0.37	0.25	22.0	0.47	118.4	80

Notes:

- CIM Definition Standards (2014) were used for reporting the Mineral Resources.
- The effective date of the estimate is November 30, 2025.
- The Qualified Person is Dinara Nussipakynova, P.Geo., of BBA International Inc.
- Mineral Resources are constrained by an optimized pit shell using the assumptions in Table 2.
- No dilution or mining recovery applied.
- The NSR cut-off value of USD137.40 is based on the following:

- a. Long-term metal prices for Ag \$29.73/Oz, for HPMSM \$2592/t, for Cu \$4.34/Lb, Zn \$1.21/Lb
- b. Metallurgical recoveries are 94% for Ag, 85% for Mn, 90% for Cu, and 85% for Zn
- c. Payability for Ag is 99.8%, for Mn 100%, for Cu 96.75%, for Zn 85%
- Bulk density used was estimated and variable, but averaged 2.30 tonnes/m<sup>3</sup> for mineralized material and 2.14 tonnes/m<sup>3</sup> for waste.
- Drilling results up to 28 February 2025.
- Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability.
- The numbers may not compute exactly due to rounding.
- Mineral Resources are depleted for historically mined out material.
- The relative value in the Mineral Resource by metal is approximately as follows: Ag -13 % Cu -11 %, Mn-75 %, Zn-1 %.

Source: BBA 2025

The Mineral Resource estimate used conceptual open-pit mining constraints and is presented in Table 1. Mineral Resources are stated at a cut-off grade of \$137.40 NSR, determined based on economic assumptions provided below. The approximate relative value in the Mineral Resource by metal is as follows: Ag - 13%, Mn - 75%, Cu - 11%, Zn - 2%. The primary economic driver of the project is the high-purity manganese sulphate monohydrate (HPMSM) content. The model is depleted for historical mining activities. The assumptions for the open pit optimization exercise to constrain the Mineral Resource and confirm reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction are shown in Table 2.

**Table 2. Assumptions for pit optimization**

Activity	Parameter	Unit	Value
<b>Costs</b>	Mining	\$/t	2.4
	Process	\$/t	135.0
	General and Administrative	\$/t	2.4
	Cut-off value (Process and G&A)	\$/t	137.4
<b>Commodity Prices</b>	HPMSM	\$/t	2,592
	Silver	\$/oz	29.73
	Copper	\$/lb	4.34
	Zinc	\$/lb	1.21
<b>Metallurgical Recoveries</b>	Manganese	%	85
	Silver	%	94
	Copper	%	90
	Zinc	%	85
<b>Metal Content</b>	Manganese	Mn in HPMSM	0.3249
	Silver	Ag in Doré	0.95
	Copper	Cu in Concentrate	0.6314
	Zinc	Zn in Concentrate	0.6038
<b>Payability</b>	HPMSM	% payable	100
	Silver	% payable	99.8

	Copper	% payable	96.75
	Zinc	% payable	85.00
<b>Other Costs</b>	Land Freight	\$/t	33.44
	Port Charges	\$/t	13.66
	Sea Transport	\$/t	80.36
	Royalty Silver Standard	% Revenue	1.25
	MMR Royalty	% Revenue	1.00
	Marketing	% Revenue	0.50

Source: BBA, (2025).

### Qualified Person

The Mineral Resource estimate, QA/QC review and data verification was completed by Ms Dinara Nussipakynova, P.Geo., Principal Geologist with BBA who is the QP for the purpose of NI 43-101 for all technical information pertaining to the current Mineral Resource. Aftermath's quality assurance and quality control program was reviewed by the QP who has also reviewed the technical content of this news release for Berenguela and has approved its dissemination.

Michael Parker, a fellow of the AusIMM and a non-independent director of Aftermath, is a non-independent qualified person, as defined by National Instrument 43-101. Mr. Parker has reviewed and approved the technical content of this news release and the form and context in which it appears.

### About Aftermath Silver Ltd.

Aftermath Silver Ltd. is a leading Canadian junior exploration company focused on silver, and aims to deliver shareholder value through the discovery, acquisition and development of quality silver projects in stable jurisdictions. Aftermath has developed a pipeline of projects at various stages of advancement. The Company's projects have been selected based on growth and development potential.

- **Berenguela Silver-Copper project.** The Company owns 100% interest in the Berenguela Ag-Cu-Mn project located in the Department of Puno, in southern central Peru. A current NI 43-101 mineral resource estimate was published on December 4, 2025 and a NI43-101 Technical Report was published January 16, 2026.
- **Challacollo Silver-Gold project.** The Company owns a 100% interest in the Challacollo silver-gold project which was acquired from Mandalay Resources; see Company news release dated August 11, 2022. A NI 43-101 mineral resource was released on December 15, 2020 (available on SEDAR and the Company's web page). The Company is currently drilling at Challacollo.
- **Cachinal Silver-Gold project.** The Company owns a 100% interest in the Cachinal Ag-Au project, located 2.5 hours south of Antofagasta. On February 15, 2023, Aftermath announced it had signed a Share Purchase Agreement an agreement to sell Cachinal to Honey Badger Silver Inc. On September 16, 2020, the Company released a CIM compliant Mineral Resource and accompanying NI 43-101 Technical Report (available on SEDAR and on the Company's web page).

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