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## **Aldridge Minerals Announces Grant of Stock Options**

**Toronto, Ontario – February 22, 2011 -- Aldridge Minerals Inc. (TSX Venture: AGM)** ("Aldridge" or the "Company") today announced the Company has granted a total of 50,000 options to an officer of the Company. All options are exercisable at a price of \$1.46 per common share, which reflects the closing price of Aldridge shares on February 22, 2011. The options expire in 5 years. This grant of options is subject to acceptance by the TSX Venture Exchange.

### **About Aldridge Minerals**

Aldridge Minerals Inc. is mainly focused on mineral opportunities in Turkey where the Company is conducting an ambitious exploration and development program at its flagship Yenipazar polymetallic VMS project. Aldridge has also identified several other prospective opportunities in Turkey as well as Papua New Guinea, where the company has amassed a large property position with a systematic exploration program currently being conducted.

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