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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of

August 2005

Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

145 King Street East, Suite 500, Toronto, Ontario M5C 2Y7

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Yes o No ý [If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):82-_

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

AGNICO-EAGLE MINES LIMITED

Date: August 12, 2005

By: /s/ DAVID GAROFALO

David Garofalo Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer QuickLinks

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