

MINERA ANDES INC /WA  
Form 6-K  
September 30, 2009

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**United States**

**Securities and Exchange Commission**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**Form 6-K**

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**For the Month of**

**September 2009**

**Commission File Number 000-22731**

**Minera Andes Inc.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**111 E. Magnesium Road, Suite A**

**Spokane, Washington 99208**

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes  No

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**FORM 51-102F3**

**MATERIAL CHANGE REPORT**

**Item 1**

**Name and Address of Company**

Minera Andes Inc.

Suite A, 111 East Magnesium Road

Spokane, Washington

99208

**Item 2**

**Date of Material Change**

The material change occurred on September 23, 2009.

**Item 3**

**News Release**

A News Release was disseminated by Marketwire, Toronto, Ontario, on September 23, 2009.

**Item 4**

**Summary of Material Change**

Minera Andes Inc. (the Corporation or Minera Andes ) has been advised by Minera Santa Cruz SA ( MSC ), that production has been suspended at the San José Mine in Argentina due to a work stoppage by a group of employees, which is not supported by the unions.

**Item 5.1**

**Full Description of Material Change**

The Corporation has been advised by MSC, that production has been suspended at the San José Mine in Argentina due to a work stoppage by a group of employees which is not supported by the unions. The San José project is operated by MSC, which is owned 51% by Hochschild Mining plc and 49% by Minera Andes.

**Item 5.2**

**Disclosure for Restructuring Transactions**

Not applicable

**Item 6**

**Reliance on subsection 7.1(2) of National Instrument 51-102**

Not applicable

**Item 7**

**Omitted Information**

Not applicable

**Item 8**

**Executive Officer**

The name of the executive officer of the Corporation who is knowledgeable about the material change and this report and who can be contacted is James K. Duff, Chief Operating Officer at (509) 921-7322.

**Item 9**

**Date of Report**

September 29, 2009

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**SIGNATURES**

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.

**MINERA ANDES INC.**

By: /s/ James K. Duff

James K. Duff, Chief Operating Officer

Dated: September 29, 2009

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