

POLIQUIN MORGAN  
Form SC 13D  
July 05, 2011

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

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT  
TO RULE 13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO  
RULE 13d-2(a)**

(Amendment No. \_\_\_\_\_)

**ALMADEN MINERALS LTD.**

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(Name of Issuer)

**Common Shares**

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(Title of Class of Securities)

**020283107**

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(CUSIP Number)

**Morgan Poliquin, 1103-750 W Pender St., Vancouver, B.C., Canada V6C 2T8**

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person

Authorized to Receive Communications)

**June 8, 2011**

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box. [  ]

**CUSIP Number: 020283107**

1.

Names of Reporting Persons

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

Morgan James Poliquin

2.

Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)

(a)

(b)

3.

SEC Use Only \_\_\_\_\_

4.

Source of Funds (See Instructions)

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5.

Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) [  ]

6.

Citizenship or Place of Organization

Canadian

Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	7.	Sole Voting Power - <u>2,658,197</u>
	8.	Shared Voting Power - <u>none</u>
	9.	Sole Dispositive Power - <u>2,658,197</u>
	10.	Shared Dispositive Power - <u>none</u>

11.

Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person - 2,658,197

12.

Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) [  ]

13.

Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) - 4.6%

14.

Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

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**Item 1.**

**Security and Issuer**

Common shares of Almaden Minerals Ltd. located at 750 West Pender, Suite 1103, Vancouver, B.C., Canada V6C 2T8

**Item 2.**

**Identity and Background**

(a)

Morgan James Poliquin

(b)

750 West Pender, Suite 1103, Vancouver, B.C. Canada V6C 2T8

(c)

Professional geological engineer, CEO, President and Director of Almaden Minerals Ltd.

(d)

No

(e)

No

(f)

Canadian citizen

**Item 3.**

**Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration**

N/A

**Item 4.**

**Purpose of the Transaction**

Transactions in the normal course of business. Stock option granted as incentive to increase performance.

**Item 5.**

**Interest in Securities of the Issuer**

(a)

2,658,197 (4.6%) including incentive options to acquire 1,850,000 shares

(b)

2,658,197 shares

(c)

04/08/11 exercised 600,000 incentive options into 600,000 shares at Cdn. \$2.50 per share

04/08/11 sold 600,000 shares @ Cdn. \$4.57 per share in the public market

06/08/11 granted 650,000 incentive options exercisable at Cdn. \$3.29 per share

**Item 6.**

**Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer**

N/A

**Item 7.**

**Material to be Filed as Exhibits**

N/A

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**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

June 27, 2011

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

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/s/Morgan Poliquin

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

Morgan Poliquin, CEO & President

NAME/TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_