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## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On or about February 10, 2012, I received a request from Diane Larriva to examine the Lease File of Reginald and Rosalie Stullenbarger and their heirs. I have completed my review of the above mentioned Lease File. The original Coal Mining Lease dated April 4, 1979 between Reginald and Rosalie Stullenbarger, Lessor, and D & L Coal Company, Inc., Lessee, was extended by the Stullenbarger heirs; Ronald W. Stullenbarger, Barbara K. Vandevander, Lincoln H.Stullenbarger, and Rita Stieringer until it expired on January 11, 1996. All of the mineable Little Pittsburgh, Morantown, Big Pittsburgh, Redstone, and Sewickley coal seams were removed from the original farm property and all mining and reclamation had been completed at that time. The Surface Coal Mining Permit was released by the State of West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection on June 30, 1999.

Therefore, it is my opinion that the Coal Mining Lease between the Stullenbarger Family and D & L Coal Company, Inc. expired on January 11, 1996 and is no longer in effect. If you have any further questions, feel free to contact me at 301-359-3003.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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