

ARCH COAL INC

Form 3

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response... 0.5**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *Monarch Alternative Capital
LP

(Last) (First) (Middle)

535 MADISON AVENUE, NY

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement(Month/Day/Year)
10/05/20163. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARCH COAL INC [ARCH]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____X____ 10% Owner
____ Officer ____X____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
See Remarks5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____X____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)Date Expiration
Exercisable Date3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)Title Amount or
Number of
Shares4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Monarch Alternative Capital LP 535 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	Â X	Â	See Remarks
MDRA GP LP C/O MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP 535 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	Â X	Â	See Remarks
Monarch GP LLC C/O MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP 535 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	Â X	Â	See Remarks

Signatures

MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP, By: /s/ Michael A. Weinstock, Chief Executive Officer

10/06/2016

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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Remarks:

Exhibit List:

Exhibit 99.1 - Joint Filers' Information and Signatures

This Form 3 is being filed on behalf of Monarch Alternative Capital LP, a Delaware limited partnership.

Solely for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, each of MAC, and by virtue of their control over MAC,

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