# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 13D**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934\* (Amendment No. 1)

Arch Coal, Inc.			
(Name of Issuer) Common Stock, par value \$0.01			
(Title of Class of Securities) 039380407			
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)  Michael Kelly, Esq.  Monarch Alternative Capital LP			
535 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10022 Telephone: (212) 554-1700			
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)			

Copies to:

Michael A. Schwartz, Esq. Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP 787 Seventh Avenue New York, NY 10019-6099 (212) 728-8000

November 17, 2016

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Schedule)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which 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: □

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\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
	Monarch I	Debt Recov	very Master Fund Ltd				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP				(a) □ (b) ⊠		
3	SEC USE	SEC USE ONLY					
4	4 SOURCE OF FUNDS						
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5	CHECK B	CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDING IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)					
6	CITIZENS	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION					
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11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON						
	1,565,051						
12	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES						
13	PERCENT	OF CLAS	SS REPRESENTED BY AMO	UNT IN ROW (11)			
	6.26%						
14	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
	Monarch Alternative Capital LP						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) $\square$ (b) $\boxtimes$				(a) □ (b) ⊠		
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS N/A						
5	CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDING IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) $\Box$						
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
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11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON						
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12	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES $\Box$						
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)						

13.23%

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	MDRA GP LLC						
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3	SEC USE C	SEC USE ONLY					
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS N/A						
5	CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDING IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)						
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	Monarch	GP LLC				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) $\square$ (b) $\boxtimes$				(a) □ (b) ⊠	
3	SEC USE ONLY					
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS N/A					
5	CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDING IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)					
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware					
		7	SOLE VOTING POWER  0			
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This Amendment No. 1 to Schedule 13D (this "Amendment No. 1") is being filed with respect to the common shares, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), of Arch Coal, Inc. (the "Issuer"), to amend the Schedule 13D filed on October 17, 2016 (together with this Amendment No. 1, the "Schedule 13D"). Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Schedule 13D.

#### Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

On November 17, 2016, the Issuer, on one hand, and Monarch Alternative Solutions Master Fund Ltd, Monarch Capital Master Partners III LP, MCP Holdings Master LP, Monarch Debt Recovery Master Fund Ltd, and P Monarch Recovery Ltd on the other hand (the "Shareholders") entered into a Registration Rights Agreement (the "Registration Rights Agreement") which provides that the Shareholders are entitled to certain demand or "piggyback" registration rights for the resale of their Common Stock.

The terms of the Registration Rights Agreement, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1, are incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits

99.1 Registration Rights Agreement, dated November 17, 2016, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report of Arch Coal, Inc. on Form 8-K filed November 21, 2016.

[Signatures on following page]

#### **SIGNATURES**

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

Dated: November 22, 2016

MONARCH DEBT RECOVERY MASTER FUND LTD

By: Monarch Alternative Capital LP, its Investment

Manager

By: MDRA GP, its General Partner

By: Monarch GP LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Michael Weinstock

Name: Michael Weinstock

Title: Member

Dated: November 22, 2016

MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP

By: MDRA GP LP, its General Partner

By: Monarch GP LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Michael Weinstock

Name: Michael Weinstock

Title: Member

Dated: November 22, 2016

MDRA GP LP

By: Monarch GP LLC, its General Partner

By: <u>/s/ Michael Weinstock</u>

Name: Michael Weinstock

Title: Member

Dated: November 22, 2016

## MONARCH GP LLC

By:

/s/ Michael Weinstock Name: Michael Weinstock

Title: Member