FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Add <u>CHAPMAN</u>		2. Date of Event Requiring Staten (Month/Day/Year 10/05/2016	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARCH COAL INC [ ARCH ]									
(Last) ONE CITYPL	st) (First) (Middle) E CITYPLACE DRIVE, SUITE 300					ationship of Reporting Perso c all applicable) Director Officer (give title	on(s) to Issue 10% Owne Other (spe	er .	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)      Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check				
(Street) ST. LOUIS (City)	MO (State)	63141 (Zip)	-			below)	below)	City	Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		y More than One		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned													
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						unt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		d 3. Title and Amount of Secur Underlying Derivative Securi			4. Conversion or Exercise Price of		5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	on Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			

**Explanation of Responses:** 

## Remarks:

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Rosemary L. Klein, Attorney-in-Fact 10/07/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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The undersigned appoints the following individuals with full power to each of them to act alone, as his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents to execute and file on behalf of the undersigned (i) a Form ID, and any amendments thereto; and (ii) all Forms 3, 4 and 5, and any amendments thereto, that the undersigned may be required to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and any stock exchange or similar authority, as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Arch Coal, Inc. The authority of the following individuals under this Power of Attorney shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with regard to the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Arch Coal, Inc., unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned acknowledges that the following individuals are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The following Officers of Arch Coal, Inc.:

Secretary of Arch Coal, Inc.

Assistant Secretary of Arch Coal, Inc.

General Counsel of Arch Coal, Inc.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 6th day of September, 2016.

/s/ James N. Chapman