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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] CHAPMAN JAMES N (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE CITYPLACE DRIVE, SUITE 300		Person [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARCH COAL INC [ARCH]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
				X	Director	10% Owner			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/23/2016		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl				
(Street) ST. LOUIS MO 63141	62171		X	Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securities A Disposed Of (5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) ty	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	11/23/2016		A		2,226		(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	2,226	\$0.00	2,226	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock of Arch Coal, Inc.

2. The restricted stock units vest on the anniversary of the grant date.

Remarks:

/s/ Rosemary L. Klein, Attorney-in-Fact

11/28/2016 Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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