

NAVARRE RICHARD A
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
NAVARRE RICHARD A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
701 MARKET STREET
(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63101-1826

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PEABODY ENERGY CORP [BTU]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/06/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Pres & Chief Comm. Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	2,100 D	\$ 65.27	10,193	D
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	1,900 D	\$ 65.28	8,293	D
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	3,600 D	\$ 65.29	4,693	D
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	1,243 D	\$ 65.3	3,450	D
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	100 D	\$ 65.305	3,350	D

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Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,900	D	\$ 65.31	450	D	
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	450	D	\$ 65.32	0	D	
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,250	D	\$ 65.32	106,113	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,300	D	\$ 65.33	104,813	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 65.34	101,813	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 65.35	98,813	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,700	D	\$ 65.36	97,113	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,600	D	\$ 65.37	94,513	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,400	D	\$ 65.38	92,113	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,200	D	\$ 65.39	89,913	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 65.4	89,113	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 65.41	88,413	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,500	D	\$ 65.42	86,913	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,400	D	\$ 65.43	85,513	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 65.44	84,813	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 65.45	84,113	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 65.47	83,413	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 65.48	83,313	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 65.49	82,913	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 65.53	82,213	I	By Trust
	05/06/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	50	D	\$ 65.54	82,163	I	By Trust

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(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).
- (1) This sale was effected pursuant to a pre-existing Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

Remarks:

2 of 2 Form 4s - Additional transactions from May 6, 2008 are reported on a separate Form 4.

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