

ARCH COAL INC

Form 4

October 06, 2016

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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Section 16.
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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

535 MADISON AVENUE, 26TH
FLOOR,

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

ARCH COAL INC [ARCH]

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

10/05/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____X__ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title ____X__ Other (specify
below) below)

See Remarks

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 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$[0.01] per share ("Common Stock")	10/05/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	152,967	A <u>1</u> 152,967	I	See footnotes (2) (3)
Common Stock	10/05/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	904,367	A <u>1</u> 904,367	I	See footnotes (2) (4)
Common Stock	10/05/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	614,828	A <u>1</u> 614,828	I	See footnotes

Common Stock	10/05/2016	J ⁽¹⁾	1,565,051	A	<u>(1)</u>	1,565,051	I	(2) (5) See footnotes (2) (6)
Common Stock	10/05/2016	J ⁽¹⁾	71,519	A	<u>(1)</u>	71,519	I	See footnotes (2) (7)

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

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

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Monarch Alternative Capital LP 535 MADISON AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X See Remarks
MDRA GP LP C/O MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP 535 MADISON AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X See Remarks
Monarch GP LLC C/O MONARCH ALTERNATIVE CAPITAL LP 535 MADISON AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X 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:

* 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) See Exhibit 99.1

(2) See Exhibit 99.1

(3) See Exhibit 99.1

(4) See Exhibit 99.1

(5) See Exhibit 99.1

(6) See Exhibit 99.1

(7) See Exhibit 99.1

Remarks:

Solely for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, each of Monarch Alternative Capital LP, and by virtue of their control

Exhibit List:

Exhibit 99.1 - Explanation of Responses

Exhibit 99.2 - Joint Filers' Information and Signatures

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