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EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

January 13, 2013

To Honorable Judge Kathy A. Surratt - States

First of all thank you for giving us the chance to inform you how this case will personally affect us. My husband belongs to Local #2412 and considers himself part of a unique group of workers. It was part of his job to go underground every day to make a living for his family. He didn't complain, he was just glad to have a job. He gave Peabody Coal 28 years of faithful service. He retired in 1998 and soon went on disability because of arthritis, high blood pressure, etc.. He was a roof bolter which involves raising both arms above your head. He eventually had to have a partial shoulder replacement.

I was diagnosed with leukemia in 2005 and am in treatment with an oncologist. My outlook is good, but I will need further treatment.

The future of coal is bleak and we need people to know our stories. We are just plain people who feel Peabody owes us our health care as promised.

Again, thank you for this opportunity
to let you know our situation.

Respectfully,
Reg Burgett
wspouse of Jerome D. Burgett
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The Honorable Kathy A. Aumatt - State
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Thomas St. Capleton v. D. Courthouse
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St. Louis, Mo. 63102

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