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To the: Honorable Kathy A Surratt-States
Re: Case No. 12-51502
Thomas F. Eagleton U.S. Court house
111 South 10th Street, 4th Floor
St. Louis Mo 63102

I, Robert Pilkington worked for Peabody Coal for 23 years underground.

The action they took by selling to Patriot Coal and then having Patriot Coal file bankruptcy will have a devastating effect on me and my wife.

My wife and myself are badly disabled. My wife is disabled from a brain aneurysm and the side effects of the surgery and seizures. I am disabled from lung disease and after effects of two cancer surgeries.

We would not be able to afford our medical care and our medicine if we should lose our benefits.

I went to work for Peabody believing when I retired I would be able to have the benefits promised to me. I now need that promise to be upheld so I may live.

I hope this letter will help you understand how important it is for us and all Retirees to keep ~~our~~ medical benefits we lawfully deserve and by the promise made by Peabody Coal.

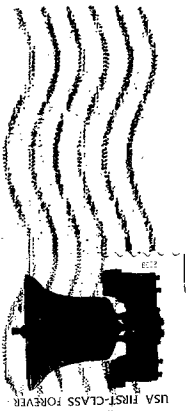
Thank you
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