PEABODY ENERGY CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Meintjes Charles F (Last) (First) (Middle) 701 MARKET STREET			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PEABODY ENERGY CORP [BTU] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2015					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
								Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) President - Australia			
	(Street) 4. If Amer Filed(Mont				e Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ST. LOUIS, MO 63101								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									lly Owned	
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Common Stock	01/29/2015			Code V $A_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 1,266	(D)	Price \$ 0	135,868 (2)	D		
Common Stock	01/29/2015			F	423	D	\$0	135,445 (2)	D		

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Meintjes Charles F 701 MARKET STREET ST. LOUIS, MO 63101

President - Australia

Signatures

Charles F. Meintjes By: Kenneth L. Wagner Attorney-in-Fact

02/02/2015

**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) The securities were issued to the reporting person pursuant to the payout of a performance unit award under the issuer's Long-Term Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Includes 432 shares acquired under the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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