

PEABODY ENERGY CORP

Form 4

April 05, 2017

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RUSNACK WILLIAM C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PEABODY ENERGY
CORPORATION, 701 MARKET
STREET

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63101

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

PEABODY ENERGY CORP [BTU]

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

04/03/2017

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 ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)

FORMER DIRECTOR

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ 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. 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	04/03/2017		J ⁽¹⁾	2,077 D \$ 0 0		D	
Common Stock	04/03/2017		J ⁽¹⁾	5,895 ⁽²⁾ D \$ 0 0		D	

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
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RUSNACK WILLIAM C
C/O PEABODY ENERGY CORPORATION
701 MARKET STREET
ST. LOUIS, MO 63101

FORMER DIRECTOR

Signatures

/s/ Priscilla E. Duncan,
attorney-in-fact

04/05/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Pursuant to the Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization of Debtors and Debtors in Possession as revised March 15, 2017 (the "Plan of Reorganization") approved by the issuer's board of directors and confirmed by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern

(1) District of Missouri, all shares of the issuer's common stock outstanding prior to the effective date of the Plan of Reorganization (April 3, 2017), including all options to purchase common stock and other equity awards, were cancelled and extinguished on the effective date of the Plan of Reorganization for no value.

(2) Represent deferred stock units.

Remarks:

The Reporting Person ceased to be a director as of April 3, 2017.

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