

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	CHANGE OF NAME
CONVEYING PARTY DATA	
Name	Execution Date
FOUNDATION AMERICAN COAL COMPANY, LLC	07/31/2009
RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	ALPHA AMERICAN COAL COMPANY, LLC
Street Address:	One Alpha Place
Internal Address:	Attn: Legal
City:	Abingdon
State/Country:	VIRGINIA
Postal Code:	24210
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4	
Property Type	Number
Patent Number:	5567018
Patent Number:	6129483
Patent Number:	6132497
Patent Number:	6334738
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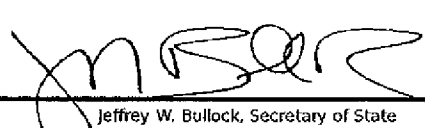
I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "FOUNDATION AMERICAN COAL COMPANY, LLC", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "FOUNDATION AMERICAN COAL COMPANY, LLC" TO "ALPHA AMERICAN COAL COMPANY, LLC", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2009, AT 10 O'CLOCK A.M.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State
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STATE OF DELAWARE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

1. Name of Limited Liability Company: Foundation American Coal Company, LLC
2. The Certificate of Formation of the limited liability company is hereby amended as follows:

FIRST: The name of the limited liability company (hereinafter called the "Company") is
Alpha American Coal Company, LLC.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Certificate on
the 31st day of July, A.D. 2009.

By: Carlette Allen
Authorized Person(s)

Name: Carlette Allen

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