

PEABODY ENERGY CORPORATION
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHARTER
(as amended July 21, 2016)

Statement of Policy

This charter governs the operations of the Executive Committee ("Committee"). Subject to certain exceptions set forth herein, the Committee will have full power and authority to act on behalf of the Board when the full Board is not in session in accordance with the Statement of Responsibilities.

Committee Organization

The Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors and shall consist of at least three directors, with a majority of the members being independent directors. One of the independent Directors shall be the incumbent Chairman of the Board, or, if the Chairman is not independent, the Lead Independent Director. Meetings of the Committee may be held in person or telephonically, and the Committee shall have the authority to act by written consent. The Committee shall have authority to retain outside legal, accounting or other advisors for any purpose deemed appropriate by the Committee, including the authority to approve the fees payable to such advisors and any other terms of retention.

One member of the Committee shall be appointed as its Chairperson by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall have the power at any time to replace any member or fill any vacancy in the Committee. A Committee member may resign by giving written notice to the Board of Directors and may resign Committee membership without resigning from the Board of Directors. The Committee may delegate authority to individuals or subcommittees when it deems appropriate.

Meetings

The Committee shall meet as often as necessary to carry out its responsibilities. The Chairperson shall preside at each meeting and, in the absence of the Chairperson, the Chairman of the Board or the Lead Independent Director, as applicable, or if not available, one of the other members of the Committee shall be designated as the acting chair of the meeting. Any background materials, together with the agenda, should be distributed to the Committee members in advance of the meeting. All meetings of the Committee shall be held pursuant to the Company's bylaws with regard to notice and waiver thereof, and written minutes of each meeting, in the form approved by the Committee, shall be duly filed in the Company records. A quorum for the transaction of business of the Committee shall be fifty percent or more of the members of the Committee. Reports of meetings of the Committee shall be made to the Board of Directors at its next regularly scheduled meeting following the Committee meeting accompanied by any recommendations to the Board of Directors approved by the Committee.

Statement of Responsibilities

When the full Board is not in session, the Committee will have full power and authority to act on behalf of the Board, except with respect to the following matters:

- Amending the certificate of incorporation and bylaws;
- Adopting an agreement of merger or consolidation;
- Recommending to the stockholders the sale, lease or exchange of all or substantially all the Company's property and assets;
- Recommending to the stockholders a dissolution of the Company or a revocation of any dissolution;
- Declaring a dividend;
- Issuing stock;
- Filling vacancies on the Board;
- Appointing members of Board committees;
- Changing major lines of business;
- Approving commitments and expenditures that require full Board approval under Peabody Energy Policy No. 500.02 – Delegations of Commitment and Expenditure Authority;
- Matters which are expressly delegated to the Lead Independent Director or another committee of the Board; and
- Any other matters which are required by the Delaware General Corporation Law to be submitted to the stockholders for approval.

The Committee shall make regular reports on its activities to the Board of Directors. The Committee also shall review and reassess the adequacy of this charter annually and recommend any proposed changes to the Board of Directors for approval. The Committee shall annually review its own performance and report the results of this evaluation to the Board of Directors.