

**BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD**

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<b>PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,</b>	)	
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<b>Complainant,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>vs.</b>	)	<b>PCB No. 99-134</b>
	)	
<b>HERITAGE COAL COMPANY LLC,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Respondent.</b>	)	

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**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL**

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The undersigned, W.C. Blanton and the law firm Husch Blackwell LLP, hereby give notice of withdrawal of his appearance as counsel of record in this matter for and on behalf of Respondent HERITAGE COAL COMPANY, LLC (“HCC”) and of proposed substituting Respondent, VIRGINIA CONSERVATION LEGACY FUND, INC. (“VCLF”), for the reason that Mr. Blanton is retiring from the practice of law, effective January 31, 2016. HCC and VCLF will continue to be represented in this matter by Stephen F. Hedinger at the law firm Sorling Northrup.

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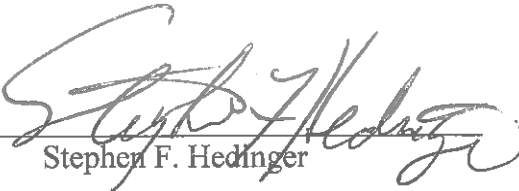
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on February 3, 2016, I electronically filed with the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board of the State of Illinois, c/o John T. Therriault, Assistant Clerk, James R. Thompson Center, 100 West Randolph St., Suite 11-500, Chicago, IL 60601, a Notice of Withdrawal, a copy of which is attached hereto and herewith served upon you.

Dated: February 3, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

HERITAGE COAL COMPANY, LLC,  
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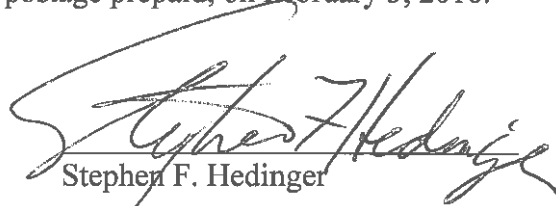
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