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THE Honorable Kathy A. Surratt - STATES

I am a 55 yr. old disabled coal miner, who worked for Arch Minerals for over 20 yrs. I don't understand why Arch is trying to get out of their promises to its union miners.

I gave them the best yrs. of my life so they could make money, and keep their promise to us. They are trying to take our pension & health care away like we never existed.

Without the healthcare, my wife and I wouldn't be able to afford to go to our Drs., or get our medicines. I am on 14 different medications, some for my disabilities from working for Arch.

I worked hard for them and now they want to do away with our livelihood, our very existence of all U.M.W.A. Contracts they ever signed. Our promise from them, and the Federal Government is supposed to last from cradle to grave. PLEASE MAKE Arch & Peabody to keep their promise to all U.M.W.A. Coal miners.

THANK YOU  
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