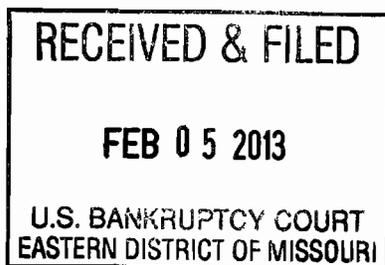


Dear Honorable Kathy A Surratt - States,
Please forgive my writing because I had
a stroke Christmas Day this year. I am
still on a close watch by my Dr.

I am retired after 37 years for
Peabody coal Co. I never did work for
Patriot Coal Co. Only Peabody coal co.
I worked till last day of December in
1999. Every thing went fine till Peabody
sold us to Patriot coal. Peabody is mining
2½ to 3 miles west of my house (Bear Run) is
the name of the mine. Every day they blast
& shake my house down they don't even care.
Tearing my house down & taking my Health
insurance don't even stop them. This Stroke
is leaving me very much handicapped. I am
67 years old. My wife Sue is very healthy
and hope I can leave here some insurance. I
hope I can not write because of this Stroke
I got a whole lifetime & got let down
from Peabody. Please forgive me I am
starting to lose my writing so please forgive
me. I have more to say but can't seem to
put it into words. So please forgive me.

I am John P Hale 7466 SO. Co. Rd. 875E
Carlisle In. 47838



Thank you so much
John P Hale

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