



Attn: Honorable Kathy A. Surratt – States

Re: Case # 12-51502

I am writing this letter to voice my concern for the health and well-being of my parents. My Father worked for Peabody Coal Company, not Patriot, until Peabody closed the mine in 1998. He dedicated himself for 32 years, most of my childhood. My Father worked hard to support and provide for his family, he still continues to work hard. My Mother worked at a local bank for 20 years, until she just recently took a part time job because of her health. She struggles with pain on a daily basis, but continues to work diligently. I take pride in the work ethic that my parents have instilled in my siblings and myself.

The possibility of my parent's health insurance being taken away leaves me with an unsettling mind. My Father worked hard for years and was promised this insurance for a lifetime. He trusted that any future obstacles pertaining to his health or my mother's would not cause a financial burden because of this promise. How can a company that was so well respected turn their cheek on their former employees that worked countless hours and devoted themselves for years? Do years of loyalty and hard work not mean anything in today's workforce? It is not fair or morally right to devastate thousands of families.

The need for this insurance is now more than ever. Both of my parents have developed auto-immune diseases. They require medication and routine doctor visits. My parents are not eligible for Medicare. They are unsure how they will make ends meet if they lose their health insurance that Peabody has promised.

As a final note, I beg that you will please continue their health insurance. My parents are very deserving of this insurance. My Father worked hard for this, was promised this, but most importantly, their future health relies on this. I can only hope and pray that your decision will be to the benefit of my parents and other families that will be greatly affected and could cause financial hardship.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sherry D. Wells". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Sherry D. Wells.

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