## IN THE DISTRICT COURT, FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, IN AND FOR SHERIDAN COUNTY, WYOMING

BROOK MINING COMPANY, LLC, a Wyoming limited liability company, and RAMACO WYOMING COAL, LLC, a Wyoming limited liability company,

Plaintiffs,
vs.
BIG HORN COAL COMPANY, a Wyoming corporation,

Defendant.

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## MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SERVE SECOND AMENDMENT OF EXHIBIT "C" LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND MAP DIAGRAM TO THE PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT

Plaintiffs, Brook Mining Company, LLC and Ramaco Wyoming Coal, LLC (collectively "Ramaco") and Defendant, Big Horn Coal Company, ("BHC"), by and through their respective undersigned attorneys, and pursuant to W.R.P.C. 15(a), hereby move the Court for leave to file a second amendment to Exhibit "C" referenced in paragraph 14 of the current Amended Complaint that is pending in this matter. Leave to amend is requested because the Defendant has filed an Answer in response to the present Amended Complaint.

Plaintiffs propose that they simply be allowed to file an amended Exhibit "C1" narrative legal description and map showing a slightly different described area where they plan to construct surface coal mining related improvements. The substantive difference between the Exhibit "C" attached to the Amended Complaint and the proposed amended exhibit is that the proposed amended exhibit describes $s$ slightly smaller specific land area and also expressly excludes the
existing shop facility and concrete bridge that are located in T. 57 N., R. $84 \mathrm{~W}, 6^{\text {th }}$ P.M., Section 15 from the specific area described in paragraph 14. Plaintiffs also request leave to have the record reflect that the Exhibit described and reflected in paragraph 14 of the Amended Complaint would reference Exhibit "C1" going forward just to help keep the new exhibit clear in the pleadings.

This proposed amendment is minor, prejudices no one, and is requested early in these proceedings prior to any discovery other than initial self-executing discovery having taken place. Such requests for leave to amend are favored and are to be freely granted. Ekberg v. Sharp, 2003 WY 123, $\$ 9,76$ P.3d 1250, 1253 (Wyo. 2003). This proposed amendment is also sought by motion at this time after the Plaintiffs proposed it to the Defendant by stipulation on April 8, 2015 and the Defendant failed to respond to that request.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd day of April, 2015.


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PORPOSED AMENDED AND SUBSTITUTE EXHIBIT "C1" LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND MAP DIAGRAM TO AMENDED COMPLAINT FOR PARAGRAPH 14 OF AMENDED COMPLAINT

Exhibit A

## LEGAL DESCRIPTION FOR BROOK MINE RAIL LOAD-OUT AND FACILITIES

## April 8, 2015

1:15 pm
A tract of land situated in the $S^{1} / 2$ Section $15, N 1 / 2$ Section 21, Section 22, W1/2NW1/4 Section 27, Township 57 North, Range 84 West, $6^{\text {Ti }}$ Principal Meridian, Sheridan County Wyoming, said tract being more particularly described as follows:
beginning at the Southeast corner of Section 15 of Township 57 north, Range 84 West;
Thence $S 26^{\circ} 14^{\prime} 47^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $439.24^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 43^{\circ} 27^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $1360.04^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 45^{\circ} 17^{\prime} 36^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $135.43^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the right with an are length of $629.68^{\prime}$, with a radius of 545.67 , with a chord bearing of $S 80^{\circ} 39^{\prime} 09^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $595.32^{\prime}$,;

Thence $\mathrm{N} 64^{\circ} 20^{\prime} 43^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $67.72^{\prime}$;
Thence N $58^{\circ} 51^{\prime} 29^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of 798.15';
Thence N $60^{\circ} 52 \prime 31^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $67.30^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the left with an are length of $383,43^{\prime}$, with a radius of 618.43 ', with a chord bearing of $\mathrm{N} 78^{\circ} 10^{\prime} 53^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $377.32^{\prime}$,;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 08^{\circ} 12^{\prime} 26^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $143.97^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the left with an are length of $678.83^{\prime}$, with a radius of $495.67^{\prime}$, with a chord bearing of $S 42^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 32^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $627.01^{\prime}$;

Thence with a compound curve turning to the left with an are length of 152.67 , with a radius of $719.24^{\prime}$, with a chord bearing of $\mathrm{S} 03^{\circ} 08^{\prime} 37^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, with a chord length of $152.38^{\prime}$;

Thence $\mathrm{S} 07^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 11^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $38.15^{\prime}$;
Thence $S 82^{\circ} 18^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $25.00^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 07^{\circ} 42^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $228.79^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 81^{\circ} 25^{\prime} 19^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $98.52^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 07^{\circ} 42^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $91.10^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the right with an arc length of $823.70^{\prime}$, with a radius of $3168.18^{\prime}$, with a chord bearing of $S 00^{\circ} 41^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $821.38^{\prime}$;
Thence S $09^{\circ} 05^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime}$ W a distance of $463.81^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the right with an are length of $564.99^{\prime}$, with a radius of $2597.9^{\prime}$, with a chord bearing of S $14^{\circ} 50^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $563.88^{\prime \prime}$,;

Thence $\mathrm{S} 20^{\circ} 35^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $310.07^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 65^{\circ} 32^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $127.77^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 24^{\circ} 37^{\prime} 40^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $183.70^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the left with an arc length of $1417.13^{\prime}$, with a radius of 2864.24', with a chord bearing of $\mathrm{N} 10^{\circ} 27^{\prime} 14^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, with a chord length of $1402.72^{\prime}$;;

Thence $\mathrm{N} 03^{\circ} 43^{\prime} 13^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $735.45^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the right with an arc length of 1037.10', with a radius of 1909.62', with a chord bearing of N $11^{\circ} 50^{\prime} 18^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, with a chord length of $1024.40^{\prime}$;

Thence $N 27^{\circ} 23^{\prime} 48^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $642.71^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the left with an are length of $1545.40^{\prime}$, with a radius of $1432.34^{\prime}$,


Thence S $56^{\circ} 33^{\prime} 58^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $638.75^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 87^{\circ} 52^{\prime} 01^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $392.00^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 64^{\circ} 20^{\prime} 48^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $207.83^{\prime}$;
Thence N $45^{\circ} 35^{\prime} 38^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $510.87^{\prime}$;

Thence $\mathrm{N} 78^{\circ} 03^{\prime} 43^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $387.95^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 50^{\circ} 16^{\prime} 13^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $282.62^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 01^{\circ} 26^{\prime} 23^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $126.73^{\prime} ;$
Thence $\mathrm{S} 82^{\circ} 34^{\prime} 31^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $2868.73^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 06^{\circ} 31^{\prime} 02^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $49.99^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 82^{\circ} 34^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $904.74^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the right with an arc length of 1101.94 ', with a radius of 5828.02 , with a chord bearing of $S 87^{\circ} 59^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, with a chord length of $1100.30^{\prime}$,;

Thence $\mathrm{N} 86^{\circ} 35^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $99.98^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 03^{\circ} 24^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $199.95^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 86^{\circ} 35^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $99.98^{\prime}$;
Thence with a curve turning to the left with an arc length of $693.31^{\prime}$, with a radius of $5628.06^{\prime}$, with a chord bearing of $\mathrm{N} 89^{\circ} 52^{\prime} 45^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, with a chord length of $692.87^{\prime}$,;

Thence $\mathrm{N} 02^{\circ} 34^{\prime} 37^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $94.25^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 67^{\circ} 34^{\prime} 30^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $937.62^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 33^{\circ} 51^{\prime} 13^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $772.12^{\prime}$;
Thence S $82^{\circ} 47^{\prime} 16^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $1650.86^{\circ}$;
Thence S $74^{\circ} 30^{\prime} 06^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $412.66^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 65^{\circ} 08^{\prime} 13^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $497.56^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 85^{\circ} 30^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $358.14^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 01^{\circ} 26^{\prime} 23^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $145.69^{\prime}$;
Thence $N 77^{\circ} 48^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $266.36^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 66^{\circ} 04^{\prime} 55^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $425.86^{\prime}$;
Thence S $77^{\circ} 11^{\prime} 21^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $471.59^{\prime}$;
Thence N $75^{\circ} 28^{\prime} 53^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $1091.99^{\prime}$;
Thence N $33^{\circ} 16^{\prime} 58^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of 453.67;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 43^{\circ} 20^{\prime} 25^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $294.24^{\prime}$;
Thence N $11^{\circ} 30^{\prime} 39^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $280.43^{\prime}$;
Thence N $12^{\circ} 47159^{\prime \prime}$ W a distance of $340.14^{\prime}$;
Thence N $32^{\circ} 29^{\prime} 06^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $178.69^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 73^{\circ} 077^{\prime} 10^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $1057.82^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{N} 90^{\circ} 00^{\prime} 00^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $429.96^{\prime}$;
Thence $S 53^{\circ} 42^{\prime} 54^{\prime \prime}$ E a distance of $1175.74^{\prime} ;$
Thence $S 00^{\circ} 29^{\prime} 36^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$ a distance of $658.25^{\prime}$;
Thence $\mathrm{S} 00^{\circ} 20^{\prime} 40^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$ a distance of $2645.62^{\prime}$;
which is the point of beginning,
Excepting lands owned by the CB\&Q Railroad containing 28 Acres of land more or less
Excepting the tract of land describing the MDU substation situated in the NE $1 / 4 \mathrm{NE} 1 / 4$ of said Section 21 and recorded in Book 207 of Deeds, Page 222, said parcel containing 0.2 acres, more or less.
This description expressly excludes the existing concrete bridge across the Tongue River located in the Northeast portion of the tract in Section 15 of Township 57 north, Range 84 West. This description further expressly excludes an existing shop building located in the Northeast portion of the tract in Section 15 of Township 57 north, Range 84 West. This amended description expressly modifies the February 13, 2015 lis pendens legal description.

Said Tract contains 439 Acres of land more or less.


## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Anthony T. Wendtland, certify that on the 22nd day of April 2015, a true and correct copy of the Plaintiffs' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SERVE SECOND AMENDMENT OF EXHIBIT "C" LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND MAP DIAGRAM TO THE PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT foregoing proposed served as follows:

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## ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFIS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SERVE SECOND AMENDMENT OF EXHIBIT "C" LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND MAP DIAGRAM TO THE PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT

The Court, having considered the Plaintiffs' April 21, 2015 MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SERVE SECOND AMENDMENT OF EXHIBIT "C" LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND MAP DIAGRAM TO THE PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT, the pleadings and being otherwise informed in the premises, hereby Orders that the Plaintiffs' April 21, 2015 Motion should be, and hereby is, GRANTED. Defendant shall have fifteen (15) consecutive calendar days immediately following service of the Plaintiffs' amended Exhibit "C1" to file any responsive pleading it deems appropriate.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this $\qquad$ day of $\qquad$ , 2015.

District Court Judge
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