

Statement

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20, 2016 – Peabody recognizes the important work of the Commission and shares the view that access to energy is foundational for human development. While we have responded to the petition, we are unable to discuss our motion due to Commission rules requiring confidentiality of case records.

Peabody recognizes that fossil fuels contribute to greenhouse gas emissions, and we believe that technology is the proper way to address society's interest in a managing these emissions. Since the 1990s, Peabody has widely advocated use of clean coal technologies to reduce carbon and other emissions. The company has invested hundreds of millions of dollars in clean coal technologies and articulated our position in our Statement on Energy and Climate and in our Corporate and Social Responsibility Report, which are available on PeabodyEnergy.com.