

PEABODY ENERGY CORP  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â ELLIOTT ASSOCIATES, L.P.			(Month/Day/Year)	PEABODY ENERGY CORP [BTU]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/03/2017		
40 WEST 57TH STREET, 30TH FLOOR			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Street)			(Check all applicable)		
NEW YORK, NY 10019			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below)		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per Share <sup>(1)</sup>	1,023,427	D	Â
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per Share <sup>(1)</sup>	2,828,923	I <sup>(2)</sup>	See footnotes
Series A Convertible Preferred, par value \$0.01 per share <sup>(1)</sup>	477,635	D	Â
Series A Convertible Preferred, par value \$0.01 per share <sup>(1)</sup>	1,813,939	I <sup>(2)</sup>	See footnotes

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Warrant (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(3)</u>	07/03/2017	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	104,167	\$ 0.01	D	Â
Warrant (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(3)</u>	07/03/2017	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	283,252	\$ 0.01	I <u>(2)</u>	See footnotes

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELLIOTT ASSOCIATES, L.P. 40 WEST 57TH STREET, 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	Â X	Â	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Elliot Greenberg, Vice President of Braxton Associates, Inc., as General Partner of Elliott Capital Advisors, L.P., as General Partner, of Elliott Associates, L.P.

04/13/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

This Form 3 is filed by Elliott Associates, L.P. (the "Reporting Person"). The Reporting Person may be deemed to be a member of a

(1) Section 13(d) group that collectively beneficially owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding common stock. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

(2) Securities are owned by The Liverpool Limited Partnership, a Bermuda limited partnership and a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Reporting Person.

(3) The Warrants are currently exercisable.

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