December 4, 2023

Alabama Surface Mining Commission
P. O. Box 2390
Jasper, AL 35502-2390

RE: Best Coal, Inc.
Sloan Mountain Mine No. 2, P-3913, R-10

To Whom It May Concern:

We are the legal owner of record of certain property, disturbed by the above referenced mining operation. We prefer that the post mining landuse for the property indicated on the attached landuse map be left as Industrial/Commercial. The remaining property shall be left as Undeveloped/No Current Use and all roads to remain as permanent for landowner access. We prefer that all sediment basins be left as Permanent Water Impoundments for Fish & Wildlife Habitat. We do agree to assume all responsibility for the sound future maintenance of all sediment basins after a Phase III bond release has been granted.

Sincerely,

Keith Madison

DIRECTOR OF PERMITTING +

By Its: ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE

Drummond Company, Inc.

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By Its: President

Marigold Land Company