

Drexler John T.
Form 3
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Washington, D.C. 20549

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

^ Drexler John T.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE CITY PLACE,^ SUITE
300

(Street)

ST. LOUIS,^ MO^ 63141

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

05/01/2008

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARCH COAL INC [ACI]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Sr. V.P. and CFO

5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____ 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

951

D ^

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)
Title

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (1)	02/29/2012	Common Stock	2,074	\$ 9.08	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (2)	04/25/2012	Common Stock	2,074	\$ 11.3	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (3)	07/22/2014	Common Stock	5,400	\$ 16.1	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (4)	02/22/2017	Common Stock	8,700	\$ 32.99	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (5)	02/21/2018	Common Stock	4,650	\$ 52.69	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	Â (6)	04/24/2018	Common Stock	34,400	\$ 56.84	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Drexler John T. ONE CITY PLACE SUITE 300 ST. LOUIS, MO 63141	Â	Â	Â Sr. V.P. and CFO	Â

Signatures

/s/ Gregory A. Billhartz,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/07/2008

__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).

- (1) The reporting person received 10,700 stock options on February 28, 2002. As of the date of this report, the reporting person has 2,074 stock options remaining which vested on February 28, 2006.
- (2) The reporting person received 10,700 stock options on April 25, 2002. As of the date of this report, the reporting person has 2,074 stock options remaining which vested on April 25, 2006.

The reporting person received 6,000 stock options on July 22, 2004. As of the date of this report, the reporting person has 5,400 stock options remaining. The stock options vested as follows: 2,000 stock options vested on July 22, 2005; 2,000 stock options vested on July 22, 2006; and 2,000 stock options vested on July 22, 2007.
- (3) The reporting person received 8,700 stock options on February 22, 2007. The stock options vest as follows: 2,900 stock options vested on February 22, 2008; 2,900 stock options vest on February 22, 2009; and 2,900 stock options vest on February 22, 2010.
- (5) The reporting person received 4,650 stock options on February 21, 2008. The stock options vest as follows: 1,550 stock options vest on February 21, 2009; 1,550 stock options vest on February 21, 2010; and 1,550 stock options vest on February 21, 2011.
- (6) The reporting person received 34,400 non-qualified stock options on April 24, 2008. The stock options vest as follows: 11,467 stock options vest on April 24, 2009; 11,467 stock options vest on April 24, 2010; and 11,466 stock options vest on April 24, 2011.

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