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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OHIO COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE: MINGO COUNTY COAL SLURRY LITIGATION

CIVIL ACTION NO. 10-C-5000

THIS DOCUMENT APPLIES TO ALL CASES

ORDER ASSIGNING JUDGE GREGORY L. HOWARD, JR. TO MINGO COUNTY COAL SLURRY LITIGATION

The Honorable Jay M. Hoke was assigned to serve as a Presiding Judge in the Mingo County Coal Slurry Litigation by Order of the Mass Litigation Panel entered on May 27, 2010. Judge Hoke's term expired on June 30, 2024, and he is no longer serving as a member of the Mass Litigation Panel. Accordingly, the Panel Chair, with the advice and consent of the Panel, assigns The Honorable Gregory L. Howard, Jr. to serve as Presiding Judge in *In Re: Mingo County Coal Slurry Litigation*, Ohio County Civil Action No. 10-C-5000, or proceedings therein.

This Order has been electronically filed and served on all counsel of record this day via File & Serve*Xpress*. Counsel to the Mass Litigation Panel is directed to provide a copy of this Order to Trust Administrator Edgar C. Gentle, III via email message.

It is so **ORDERED**.

ENTERED: September 10, 2024.

/s/ Gregory L. Howard, Jr. Chair, Mass Litigation Panel