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Date: January 14, 2025

Subject: Arch Resources, Inc. - Contract Adjustment

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Option Symbol: 01/14/2025 - ARCH remains ARCH (with adjusted deliverable described

below)

01/15/2025 - ARCH changes to CNR1

Strike Divisor: 1

Contracts

Multiplier: 1

New Multiplier: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 20 yields \$2,000.00)

**New Deliverable** 

Per Contract: 1) 132 CONSOL Energy Inc. (CEIX) Common Shares

2) Cash in lieu of 0.6 fractional CEIX Common Shares

Note: Once determined the cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any

security.

Note: CONSOL Energy Inc. will change its name and trading symbol to Core

Natural Resources, Inc. (CNR) effective January 15, 2025.

**CUSIP:** CEIX: 20854L108

**Pricing** 

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for CNR1 will be determined as follows:

## **Delayed Settlement**

The CEIX component of the CNR1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the CNR1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional CNR shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

## **Background**

On January 9, 2025, Shareholders of Arch Resources, Inc. (ARCH) voted concerning the proposed merger with CONSOL Energy Inc. (CEIX). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated before the open on January 14, 2025. As a result, each existing ARCH Class A Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 1.326 CEIX Class A Common Shares. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional shares.

On January 15, 2024, CONSOL Energy Inc. will change its name and trading symbol to Core Natural Resources, Inc. (CNR).

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