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THE OHIO VALLEY COAL COMPANY RESPONDS TO HIRING LEVELS

The Ohio Valley Coal Company (“Ohio Valley”), which has directly employed seven hundred forty (740) families in the State of Ohio, regrets to announce that, due to the increased utilization of natural gas to generate electricity in the Ohio Valley area, and the ongoing destruction of the United States coal industry by President Barack Obama, it has been forced to make some additional workforce reductions. Specifically, Ohio Valley has laid off one hundred thirty-one (131) hourly and ten (10) salaried positions, effective immediately.

Ohio Valley will continue to employ five hundred ninety-nine (599) individuals. These remain some of the highest paying and best benefitted jobs available in our communities.

Any questions should be directed to media@coalsource.com.
