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## General Comment

I am against the proposed new rules on coal tax/valuation. The current system works and provides substantial tax dollars to the state and Federal Government. The initial cost to purchase (lease) Federal coal and the royalties collected as the coal is mined ensure taxpayers are getting value back from the natural resource. Any increased taxation on coal producers could negatively impact production, which in turn would result in less tax back to states and communities for education and infrastructure.