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Kevin J. Larkin is Vice President of Market Services and Transportation for Alliance Coal LLC. In this capacity, Larkin has overall responsibility for all transportation, logistics, strategic distribution and market support for coal and supporting products from Alliance's eleven mining complexes and river terminal operations.

Kevin assumed this position with the Alliance organization in March, 2007. He has over 34 years of coal industry experience, including eleven years with Alliance and its predecessor Mapco Coal from 1988 to 1999. He started his career in the coal business in 1980 when he joined ANR Coal, Roanoke, Virginia (a subsidiary of American Natural Resources which later was acquired by Coastal Corporation and is now part of Kinder Morgan). Larkin also spent time on the utility side of the business having served as General Manager, Fuel Services and Transportation for FirstEnergy Corp. from 1999 to 2005.

He is a graduate of Robert Morris University, Pittsburgh, Pa. where he majored in Business Administration with a focus on transportation and logistics.

Larkin serves on the Transportation Committee of the National Mining Association. He is a former Director of the National Coal Transportation Association, past Director of Waterways Council, Inc. and was the President of the Eastern Coal Transportation Association which he helped merge with the Western Coal Transportation Association to form the National Coal Transportation Association. He is also a member of various trade organizations.

He and his wife, Jackie have three daughters and reside in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Alliance Coal

Alliance Coal has an annual production of 44 million tons which makes it the sixth largest U.S Coal producer, the third largest east of the Mississippi River and the largest Illinois Basin producer.

Coal is shipped to the domestic thermal and industrial markets as well as to international thermal and metallurgical customers.

Alliance transports coal by rail, barge, vessel and truck with approximately 48 % of the total sales volume originating by rail. Alliance utilizes a number of rail carriers including the CSX, Norfolk Southern, Paducah & Louisville, Evansville Western and the Wheeling & Lake Erie.