

Alpha Appalachia Holdings, Inc.
Form 15-15D
June 16, 2011

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 15

CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

Commission File Number 333-152776

Alpha Appalachia Holdings, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

One Alpha Place, P.O. Box 2345, Abingdon, VA 24212
(276) 619-4410

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

3.25% Convertible Senior Notes due 2015
(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

None

(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

Rule 12g-4(a)(1) []
Rule 12g-4(a)(2) []
Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(i) [X]
Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(ii) []
Rule 15d-6 []

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date:

3.25% Convertible Senior Notes due 2015: 60

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Alpha Appalachia Holdings, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

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Date: June 16, 2011

By: /s/ Frank J.

Wood

Name: Frank J. Wood

Title:

Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer