GEUTHER CARL

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GEUTHER CARL**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ANTHRACITE CAPITAL INC [AHR]

(Check all applicable)

Chairman of the Board

below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2009

Officer (give title below)

Issuer

10% Owner _X_ Other (specify

C/O ANTHRACITE CAPITAL, INC., 40 EAST 52ND STREET

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)

		Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed bi, or Deficiently Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					())		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/28/2009		A(1)	24,166	A	<u>(2)</u>	113,819	D		
Common Stock	05/13/2009		A	1,000	A	<u>(3)</u>	114,819	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amou	int of	Derivative	J
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			Securities		(Instr. 5)]
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S		Security				Acquired						J
		-				(A) or						J
						Disposed						-
						of (D)						(
						(Instr. 3,						
						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
										Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title Number				
							Exercisable Date		of			
				C-1- 1	7 (A) (D)							
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GEUTHER CARL C/O ANTHRACITE CAPITAL, INC. 40 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022

X

Chairman of the Board

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Signatures

/s/ Richard M. Shea as Attorney-in-Fact for Carl F. Geuther

06/01/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Quarterly payments in shares of Anthracite Capital, Inc. (the "Company") Common Stock of \$75,000 annual retainer for reporting person as an Unaffiliated Director and of \$25,000 annual retainer for reporting person as the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The quarterly

- (1) payments are made on the eleventh day of the applicable Window Period (as defined below) or as promptly as practicable thereafter so long as the reporting person is still serving as an Unaffiliated Director and the Chairman of the Board of Directors on the date of such payments.
- The number of shares of Common Stock payable under the retainers for a quarter is calculated by dividing the quarterly retainer amount by the average of the opening and closing prices of the Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange during the first 10 trading days of the Window Period (as defined in the Amended and Restated Investment Advisory Agreement, dated as of March 31, 2008, between the Company and BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.) in the subsequent quarter.
- (3) Annual grant of 1,000 shares of restricted Common Stock to each independent director made on the date of the 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Company. Such shares will vest and be issued on December 20, 2009.

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