



**COALEX STATE INQUIRY REPORT - 104**  
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**TOPIC: INDIANA ALJ AND IBLA DECISIONS**

**INQUIRY:** Locate all 1987 and 1988 Office of Hearing and Appeals (OHA) Decisions which involve surface coal mining in Indiana.

**SEARCH RESULTS:** Research was performed in COALEX. One decision was located on the Interior Board of Land Appeals (IBLA) level. No Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) decisions were identified. (The last Indiana ALJ decisions identified were dated 1985). The OHA office in Arlington, Virginia confirmed these findings.

A copy of the 1988 Indiana IBLA decision and the 1985 ALJ decision from which it was appealed are attached.

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**ATTACHMENTS**

- A. PEABODY COAL CO. v OSMRE, 101 IBLA 167, Docket No. IBLA 85-695 (February 17, 1988).
- B. PEABODY COAL CO. v OSM, Docket No. CH 4-22-P (June 4, 1988).