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## ALLIANCE RESOURCE PARTNERS, L.P.

### Alliance Resource Partners, L.P. Announces the Promotion of Jesse M. Parrish to Sr. Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer of Alliance Coal, LLC

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TULSA, Okla.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Alliance Resource Partners, L.P. (NASDAQ: ARLP) is pleased to announce the promotion of Jesse M. Parrish to Sr. Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer of ARLP's subsidiary, Alliance Coal, LLC ("Alliance Coal"), effective immediately. In Mr. Parrish's expanded role, he will oversee Alliance Coal's commercial strategy including oversight of the sales, marketing, and logistics functions as well as its government relation functions. Mr. Parrish will continue to report to Joseph W. Craft III, President and Chief Executive Officer of Alliance Coal and ARLP.

Mr. Craft explained, "Jesse's expanded role is a natural evolution of our vision for him as he assumes more of my day-to-day responsibilities allowing me more time to focus on strategic growth opportunities for ARLP. President Trump has declared his administration will do whatever it takes to ensure that the United States can build and maintain the largest, most powerful and most advanced AI infrastructure anywhere on the planet. To achieve global AI dominance, America has to maintain, extend and expand the current electric generating assets and invest significantly in new generation infrastructure. ARLP's aim is to pursue opportunities in the growing power infrastructure sector and preserve our nation's coal fleet."

Mr. Parrish joined Alliance Coal in April 2025 as Senior Vice President of Operations and previously spent over a decade in different senior capacities in the eastern U.S. coal industry. Timothy J. Whelan's role as Sr. Vice President of Sales and Marketing, will remain unchanged, and he and his team remain the primary

contact for Alliance Coal's customers and other commercial partners.

About Alliance Resource Partners, L.P.

ARLP is a diversified energy company that is currently the second largest coal producer in the eastern United States, supplying reliable, affordable energy domestically and internationally to major utilities, metallurgical and industrial users. ARLP also generates operating and royalty income from mineral interests it owns in strategic coal and oil & gas producing regions in the United States. In addition, ARLP is positioning itself as a reliable energy partner for the future by pursuing opportunities that support the growth and development of energy and related infrastructure.

News, unit prices and additional information about ARLP, including filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), are available at **[www.arlp.com](http://www.arlp.com)**. For more information, contact the investor relations department of ARLP at (918) 295-7673 or via e-mail at **[investorrelations@arlp.com](mailto:investorrelations@arlp.com)**.

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