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**MURRAY ENERGY CORPORATION TO ISSUE  
SECOND QUARTER 2011 FINANCIAL RESULTS ON AUGUST 15, 2011**

Pepper Pike, Ohio, August 11, 2011 – Murray Energy Corporation (“Murray Energy”) announced today that it will post its quarterly report for the quarter ended June 30, 2011 on Murray Energy’s secure investor website on Monday, August 15, 2011. The quarterly report is being furnished pursuant to the Indenture governing the 10.25% senior secured notes due 2015 (the "Senior Secured Notes"). The quarterly report will be made available to holders of the Senior Secured Notes, qualified prospective investors in the Senior Secured Notes and certain broker-dealers and securities analysts. Murray Energy intends to post all of its annual reports, quarterly reports and current reports that are required to be delivered pursuant to the Indenture governing the Senior Secured Notes on the Murray Energy secure investor website.

If you are a holder of the Senior Secured Notes, a qualified prospective investor in the Senior Secured Notes or a qualified broker-dealer or securities analyst who would like to access the secure investor website or otherwise would like to obtain copies of this report but have not yet been certified by Murray Energy, please see the “Investors” page of our public website at <http://www.murrayenergy.net> for information on how to be certified.

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