WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §37B-3-6

§37B-3-6. Surface use.

(a) It is the intent of the Legislature in enacting this article to leave unchanged the common law of this state as it relates to a coal owner's right to use the land surface for extracting coal.

(b) This article does not modify the obligations imposed by §22-3-1 *et seq*. of this code.

WV Legislature