

LILLIS JAMES
Form 4
March 18, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LILLIS JAMES

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BLACKROCK FINANCIAL
MANAGEMENT, INC., 40 EAST
52ND STREET**

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**ANTHRACITE CAPITAL INC
[AHR]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/14/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
CFO and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/14/2008		C	340 A <u>1</u>	6,140	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2008		J ⁽²⁾	115 D <u>2</u>	6,025	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit (1)	(3)	03/14/2008		C	340	06/30/2007(1)	06/30/2009	Common Stock	340

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LILLIS JAMES
C/O BLACKROCK FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, INC.
40 EAST 52ND STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10022

CFO and Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Richard M. Shea, as
Attorney-in-Fact

03/18/2008

__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).

- (1) BlackRock Financial Management, Inc. (the "Manager"), the manager of Anthracite Capital, Inc. (the "Company"), previously granted Restricted Stock Units in respect of shares of the Company's common stock to the reporting person under the BlackRock Inc. Involuntary Deferred Compensation Plan. Each Restricted Stock Unit is payable by delivery of a share of Company common stock or the cash value thereof and vests one-third on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of June 30, 2006.
- (2) Shares of Company common stock withheld by the Manager to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations, calculated based on the closing price of the Company's common stock on March 13, 2008 (\$6.29).
- (3) 1-for-1
- (4) Held in trust by BlackRock, Inc.

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