

EXHIBIT INDEX
ARCBEST CORPORATION

The following exhibits are filed or furnished with this report or are incorporated by reference to previously filed material:

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| 2.1 | Stock Purchase Agreement, dated as of June 13, 2012, among Panther Expedited Services, Inc., the stockholders of Panther Expedited Services, Inc., Arkansas Best Corporation, and Fenway Panther Holdings, LLC, in its capacity as Sellers' Representative (previously filed as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on June 19, 2012, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 3.1 | Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company (previously filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1 under the Securities Act of 1933, filed with the Commission on March 17, 1992, Commission File No. 33-46483, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 3.2 | Certificate of Designations of \$2.875 Series A Cumulative Convertible Exchangeable Preferred Stock of the Company (previously filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed with the Commission on May 5, 2009, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 3.3 | Certificate of Amendment to the Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company (previously filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Commission on April 24, 2009, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 3.4 | Fourth Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Company dated as of January 27, 2016 (previously filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Commission on February 2, 2016, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 3.5 | Certificate of Ownership and Merger, effective May 1, 2014, as filed on April 29, 2014 with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware (previously filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Commission on April 30, 2014, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.1 | Collective Bargaining Agreement, implemented on November 3, 2013 and effective through March 31, 2018, among the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and ABF Freight System, Inc. (previously filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed with the Commission on February 28, 2014, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.2# | Form of Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement (Non-Employee Directors – with deferral feature) (for 2013 and 2014 awards) (previously filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed with the Commission on February 28, 2013, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.3# | Form of Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement (Non-Employee Directors – with deferral feature) (previously filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed with the Commission on August 7, 2015, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.4# | Form of Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement (Employees) (previously filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed with the Commission on August 7, 2015, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.5# | Form of Indemnification Agreement by and between Arkansas Best Corporation and each of the members of the Company's Board of Directors (previously filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed with the Commission on February 24, 2010, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.6# | Arkansas Best Corporation 2012 Change in Control Plan (previously filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Commission on January 30, 2012, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |
| 10.7# | Arkansas Best Corporation Supplemental Benefit Plan, amended and restated, effective August 1, 2009 (previously filed as Exhibit 10.17 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed with the Commission on February 24, 2010, Commission File No. 000-19969, and incorporated herein by reference). |