UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

In re

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et al.,

Debtors.¹

Chapter 11 Case No. 12-51502-659 (Jointly Administered)

VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to the Local Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, I, Darren S. Klein, move to be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court for the purpose of representing the Debtors in the instant matter. In support of this Motion, I submit the following information as required by Local Rule 12.01(E):

- a. Full name of the movant-attorney: Darren S. Klein
- b. Address and telephone number of the movant-attorney: Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP 450 Lexington Avenue New York, New York 10017 Telephone: (212) 450-4000
- c. *Name of the firm or letterhead under which the movant practices:* **Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP**
- d. Name of the law school(s) movant attended and the date(s) of graduation therefrom:
 Harvard Law School, 2007
- e. State and federal bars of which the movant is a member, with dates of admission and registration numbers, if any:
 New York (2008) Bar No. 4581187
 U.S. District Court, S.D. New York (2009) Bar No. DK6698
 U.S. District Court, Colorado (2012) Bar No. N/A

¹ The Debtors are the entities listed on Schedule 1 attached hereto. The employer tax identification numbers and addresses for each of the Debtors are set forth in the Debtors' chapter 11 petitions.

- f. Movant is a member in good standing of all bars of which movant is a member and that movant is not under suspension or disbarment from any bar;
- *g.* Movant does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is not regularly employed in this District, and is not regularly engaged in the practice of law in this District.

Movant attests under penalty of perjury to the truth and accuracy of the foregoing facts, and respectfully requests that this motion be granted and that movant be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court and be allowed to appear in the instant matter.

> Dated: New York, New York December 26, 2012

> > /s/ Darren S. Klein

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Schedule 1

(Debtor Entities)

2. Apogee Coal Company, LLC 3. Appalachia Mine Services, LLC 4. Beaver Dam Coal Company, LLC 5. Big Eagle, LLC 6. Big Eagle Rail, LLC 7. Black Stallion Coal Company, LLC Black Walnut Coal Company 8. 9. Bluegrass Mine Services, LLC 10. Brook Trout Coal, LLC 11. Catenary Coal Company, LLC Central States Coal Reserves of Kentucky, LLC 12. 13. Charles Coal Company, LLC 14. Cleaton Coal Company 15. Coal Clean LLC Coal Properties, LLC 16. Coal Reserve Holding Limited Liability Company No. 2 17. 18. Colony Bay Coal Company Cook Mountain Coal Company, LLC 19. 20. Corydon Resources LLC 21. Coventry Mining Services, LLC 22. Coyote Coal Company LLC 23. Cub Branch Coal Company LLC 24. Dakota LLC Day LLC 25. 26. Dixon Mining Company, LLC Dodge Hill Holding JV, LLC 27. 28. Dodge Hill Mining Company, LLC 29. Dodge Hill of Kentucky, LLC 30. EACC Camps, Inc. Eastern Associated Coal, LLC 31. 32. Eastern Coal Company, LLC 33. Eastern Royalty, LLC 34. Emerald Processing, L.L.C. 35. Gateway Eagle Coal Company, LLC 36. Grand Eagle Mining, LLC Heritage Coal Company LLC 37.

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- 38. Highland Mining Company, LLC
- 39. Hillside Mining Company
- 40. Hobet Mining, LLC
- 41. Indian Hill Company LLC
- 42. Infinity Coal Sales, LLC
- 43. Interior Holdings, LLC
- 44. IO Coal LLC
- 45. Jarrell's Branch Coal Company
- 46. Jupiter Holdings LLC
- 47. Kanawha Eagle Coal, LLC
- 48. Kanawha River Ventures I, LLC
- 49. Kanawha River Ventures II, LLC
- 50. Kanawha River Ventures III, LLC

- KE Ventures, LLC
 Little Creek LLC
 Logan Fork Coal Company
- 54. Magnum Coal Company LLC
- 55. Magnum Coal Sales LLC
- 56. Martinka Coal Company, LLC
- 57. Midland Trail Energy LLC
- 58. Midwest Coal Resources II. LLC
- 59. Mountain View Coal Company, LLC
- 60. New Trout Coal Holdings II, LLC
- 61. Newtown Energy, Inc.
- 62. North Page Coal Corp.
- 63. Ohio County Coal Company, LLC
- 64. Panther LLC
- 65. Patriot Beaver Dam Holdings, LLC
- 66. Patriot Coal Company, L.P.
- 67. Patriot Coal Corporation
- 68. Patriot Coal Sales LLC
- 69. Patriot Coal Services LLC
- 70. Patriot Leasing Company LLC
- 71. Patriot Midwest Holdings, LLC
- 72. Patriot Reserve Holdings, LLC
- 73. Patriot Trading LLC
- 74. PCX Enterprises, Inc.
- 75. Pine Ridge Coal Company, LLC
- 76. Pond Creek Land Resources, LLC
- 77. Pond Fork Processing LLC
- 78. Remington Holdings LLC
- 79. Remington II LLC
- 80. Remington LLC
- 81. Rivers Edge Mining, Inc.
- 82. Robin Land Company, LLC
- 83. Sentry Mining, LLC
- 84. Snowberry Land Company
- 85. Speed Mining LLC
- 86. Sterling Smokeless Coal Company, LLC
- 87. TC Sales Company, LLC
- 88. The Presidents Energy Company LLC
- 89. Thunderhill Coal LLC
- 90. Trout Coal Holdings, LLC
- 91. Union County Coal Co., LLC
- 92. Viper LLC
- 93. Weatherby Processing LLC
- 94. Wildcat Energy LLC
- 95. Wildcat, LLC
- 96. Will Scarlet Properties LLC
- 97. Winchester LLC
- 98. Winifrede Dock Limited Liability Company
- 99. Yankeetown Dock, LLC