

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI (ST. LOUIS)
EASTERN DIVISION**

In re:)	Case No. 12-51502-659
)	Judge Kathy A. Surratt-States
PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION,)	Chapter 11
)	
Debtor.)	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND
)	REQUEST FOR COPIES OF ALL
)	NOTICES, PLEADINGS AND ORDERS

Howard S. Smotkin and the law firm of Stone, Leyton & Gershman, A Professional Corporation, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9010(b) hereby file this Notice of Appearance on behalf of Creditor Lawson Heirs, Inc. in the above-referenced cause. Listed below is the additional information required by Bankruptcy Rule 9010(b):

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Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002, counsel also respectfully requests that copies of all documents, including but not limited to notices, pleadings, plans, proposed orders and orders which are filed with the Court in regard to this case or mailed to creditors, parties in interest, committees of creditors, or to the Debtor be mailed to counsel at the above address.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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