UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

In Re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, *et al.*, Debtors.

) Chapter 11
) Case No. 12-51502-659
) Jointly Administered
) Honorable Kathy Surratt-States
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REQUEST FOR COPIES OF ALL NOTICES, PLEADINGS AND ORDERS

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COME NOW Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, and Summers Compton Wells PC

on behalf of Alpha Natural Resources, Inc., ("ANR") and certain of its affiliates, and respectfully

request that all notices, pleadings and orders in these proceedings, pursuant to the Federal Rules

of Bankruptcy Procedure, be served upon ANR and its counsel as follows:

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that this Request for Copies of Notices, Pleadings and Orders shall not be deemed or construed as ANR's waiver of the right to (a) seek abstention or dismissal of this case or any proceeding filed herein, or otherwise contest venue or the court's jurisdiction over the case or any such proceeding; (b) have final orders in non-core matters entered only after de novo review by the United States District Court; (c) demand a trial by jury in any proceeding so eligible; or (d) request withdrawal of the reference in any matter subject to mandatory or discretionary withdrawal; and it shall not constitute a waiver of any other rights or claims, actions, defenses, setoffs or recoupments which ANR has or may hereafter obtain, in law or in equity, all of which rights, claims, actions, defenses, setoffs and recoupments ANR expressly reserves. This Request for Notices shall not be construed to be a consent by ANR pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(c)(2).

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: January 23, 2013

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