## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

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In re: Patriot Coal Corporation, et al.,

Debtors.

## VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to the Local Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, and Rule 12.01(E) of the local rules of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, I, Melina R. Forte, move to be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court for the purpose of representing the United Mine Workers of America 1992 Benefit Plan, the United Mine Workers of America 1993 Benefit Plan, the United Mine Workers of America 1974 Pension Trust, and United Mine Workers of America Combined Benefit Fund in the instant matter. In support of this motion, I submit the following information as required by Rule 12.01(E):

*a. Full name of the movant-attorney;* Melina R. Forte

*b.* Address and telephone number of the movant-attorney;
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*c.* Name of the firm or letterhead under which the movant practices; Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP

*d.* Name of the law school(s) movant attended and the date(s) of graduation therefrom;

Villanova University School of Law, J.D., 2010.

State and federal bars of which the movant is a member, with dates of admission e. and registration numbers, if any; Pennsylvania, November 2011, Bar No. 309787 U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, February 2012 U.S. District Court, Middle District of Pennsylvania, February 2012

Statement that movant is a member in good standing of all bars of which movant f. is a member and that movant is not under suspension or disbarment from any bar; Movant is a member in good standing of all bars of which Movant is a member and Movant is not under suspension or disbarment from any bar.

Statement that movant does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is not g. regularly employed in this District, and is not regularly engaged in the practice of law in this District.

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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.

Melina R. Forte

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Dated: January 28, 2013

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing document was filed on January 28, 2013 using the Court's CM/ECF system and that service will be accomplished upon all counsel of record by operation of that system. I further certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served to the following counsel of record for whom no e-mail address is shown by depositing a copy of the same in the U.S. Mail, first-class postage prepaid and affixed thereto and addressed as follows:

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