

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

In re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, *et al.*

Debtors.

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

RE: ECF No. 1651

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 12.01E of the local rules of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, I, Melissa L. Gardner, move to be admitted *Pro Hac Vice* to the bar of this Court for the purpose of representing Tire Centers, LLC, in the above-referenced 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: **Melissa L. Gardner**
- b. Address and telephone number of the movant-attorney: **1717 Main Street, Suite 5400
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- c. Name of firm or letterhead under which movant practices: **Sedgwick LLP**
- d. Name of the law school(s) movant attended and the date(s) of graduation therefrom: **Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law, 2005**
- e. State and federal bars of which the movant is a member, with dates of admission and registration numbers if any: **U.S. District Court: E.D. Texas, S.D. Texas, N.D. Texas and W.D. Texas (11/04/2005)**

- f. The movant is a member in good standing of all bars of which movant is a member; the movant is not under suspension or disbarment from any bar

- g. The movant does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is not regularly employed in this district and is not 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 referenced matter.

Dated: March 1, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 4th day of March, 2013, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing has been served on counsel of record via the Court's ECF filing system and by regular U.S. mail, postage prepaid, or via facsimile as allowed by the Report, upon the following Notice Parties:

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