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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

Chapter 11

Case No. 12-51502 (Jointly Administered)

Mar 20, 2013

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KALHY A. SURRATT-STATES

Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

SO ORDERED

In re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et al.,

Debtors.

VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to the Local Rule 2090(B)(1) of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, and Local Rule 12.01(F) of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, Steven N. Cousins and the firm of Armstrong Teasdale LLP hereby move that Paula Batt Wilson be admitted *pro hac vice* to the bar of this Court for the purpose or representing Peabody Energy Corporation, in the above-referenced matter. In support of this motion, movant sets forth the following information, as required by Local Rule 12.01(F):

- 1. Paula Batt Wilson is a partner at the law firm of Jones Day located at 901 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114, 216.586.7548. Her email address is pbwilson@jonesday.com.
 - 2. Mrs. Wilson is a 1995 graduate of Case Western Reserve University.
- 3. Mrs. Wilson was admitted to the Bar of the State of Ohio on November 13, 1995 (Bar No. 0065421). In addition, Mrs. Wilson has been admitted to practice before various other courts, including:
 - a. Ohio Supreme Court and all inferior state courts (11/1995);
 - b. United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (9/1996);
 - c. Eastern District of Wisconsin (3/2008); and

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d. United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit (7/1996).

4. Mrs. Wilson affirms that she is a member in good standing of all the bars set forth

above and is not currently under suspension or disbarment from any bar.

5. Mrs. Wilson affirms that she does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is

not regularly employed by this District, and is not regularly engaged in the practice of law in this

District.

Mrs. Wilson does hereby attest under penalty of perjury to the truth and accuracy of the

foregoing facts, and respectfully requests that this motion be granted and that she be admitted

pro hac vice to the bar of this Court and be allowed to appear in the referenced matter.

Dated: March 15, 2013.

/s/ Paula Batt Wilson

Paula Batt Wilson

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 15th 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 upon the following Notice Parties:

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