

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

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In re )

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et al., )

Debtors. )

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) **Chapter 11**  
) **Case No. 12-51502-659**  
) **(Jointly Administered)**  
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**VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to LR 2090(B)(1) of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, and Rule 12.01(F) of the local rules of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, Steven Goldstein and the firm of Goldstein & Pressman, P.C. hereby move that Alan D. Strasser be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court for the purpose of representing Aurelius Capital Management, LP and Knighthead Capital Management, LLC in this case and any pending or subsequently filed adversary proceeding. In support of this motion, the following information as required by Rule 12.01(F) is submitted:

1. Alan D. Strasser is a partner in the law firm of Robbins, Russell, Englert, Orseck, Untereiner & Sauber LLP located at 1801 K Street, N.W., Suite 411L, Washington, D.C. 20006, with a telephone number (202) 775-4509. His email address is astrasser@robbinsrussell.com.
2. Mr. Strasser is a 1977 graduate of Harvard Law School.
3. Mr. Strasser was admitted to the Bar of the District of Columbia on December 20, 1978 (Bar No. 967885) and the Bar of the State of Massachusetts on December 10, 1977 (Bar No. 482920).
4. In addition, Mr. Strasser has been admitted to practice before various federal courts, including: U.S. Supreme Court, U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, U.S.

Court of Appeals for the First Circuit, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, U.S. Court of Federal Claims and U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia.

5. Mr. Strasser affirms that he is a member in good standing of all of the bars set forth above and is not currently under suspension or disbarment from any bar.

6. Mr. Strasser further affirms that he does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is not regularly employed in this District, and is not regularly engaged in the practice of law in this District.

7. Mr. Strasser attaches to this motion for admission pro hac vice a certificate of good standing in the Bar of the District of Columbia.

8. Mr. Strasser 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 movant be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court and be allowed to appear in the instant matter.

Dated: April 1, 2013

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Alan D. Strasser

Respectfully Submitted,  
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#### Certificate of Service

I, Steven Goldstein, hereby certify that the notice of electronic filing indicates that all necessary parties were served with this document via the Court's CM/ECF system.



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*I, JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that*

***ALAN STRASSER***

*was on DECEMBER 20, 1978, duly qualified and admitted as an attorney and counselor entitled to practice before this Court and is, on the date indicated below, an active member in good standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on April 1, 2013 .*

JULIO A. CASTILLO  
Clerk of the Court

By: *Blandine Hancock*  
Deputy Clerk