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

In re:	) Chapter 11
PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et. al,	) Case No. 12-51502-659
Debtors	) Jointly Administered

## STAFFING REPORT BY AP SERVICES, LLC FOR THE PERIOD AUGUST 1, 2013 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2013

In connection with the Court's *Order Granting the Debtors' Motion to Employ and Retain AP Services, LLC and Designate Kenneth A. Hiltz as Chief Restructuring Officer to the Debtors Nunc Pro Tunc to the Petition Date*, entered August 18, 2012 [Docket No. 371] (the "Retention Order"), AP Services, LLC ("APS") hereby files its staffing report for the period of August 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013 (the "Staffing Period"), and in support of such report respectfully represents:

1. Pursuant to APS' engagement letter with Debtors, dated July 9, 2012, as amended on July 17, 2012, APS was retained by the above captioned debtors (the "Debtors") to provide interim management and restructuring services. The functions filled by Kenneth A. Hiltz, Chief Restructuring Officer, and other APS personnel (collectively, the "Temporary Staff") encompass a wide range of activities related to the chapter 11 cases which include, without limitation, providing overall leadership to the restructuring process, assisting management with the design and implementation of a business and operational restructuring plan, preparing and monitoring financial reporting (including reporting required by the Bankruptcy Court), assisting with the preparation of the statement of affairs and schedules, assisting the Debtors and its other professionals in developing the Debtors plan of reorganization, managing the claims and claims

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reconciliation processes, assisting with the management of and communications with creditors,

creditors' advisors and other external parties in interest, and providing testimony before the

Bankruptcy Court as required.

2. The Retention Order requires APS to file monthly staffing reports with the Court

with copies to the Notice Parties, as defined in the Retention Order. The staffing report must

include the names of the individuals assigned to be members of the Temporary Staff. All staffing

is subject to review by the Court in the event an objection is filed.

3. The attached **Exhibit A** includes a list of the members of the Temporary Staff<sup>1</sup>

that provided services to the Debtors during this Staffing Period, along with their corresponding

function descriptions and APS billing rates.

Dated: October 11, 2013

AP SERVICES, LLC

Bv:

Kenneth A. Hiltz

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APS may determine, from time to time, to augment its professional staff with independent contractors (each an "Independent Contractor") in these Chapter 11 Cases. APS' standard practice is to charge for an Independent Contractor's services at the rate equal to the compensation provided by APS to such Independent Contractor. APS did not bill for Independent Contractors during this Staffing Period.

## Exhibit A

## **AP Services, LLC**

Staffing Report of Temporary Staff and Functions
Patriot Coal Corporation, *et al*.
August 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013

Temporary Staff Employees Officer Positions				
Name	Description of Function		Hourly Rate	
Kenneth Hiltz	Chief Restructuring Officer		\$ 792.00	

Temporary Staff Employees - U.S. Team				
Name	Description of Function	Hourly Rate		
Joseph Mazzotti	Due Diligence and Interface to Constituent Advisors, Best Interests test analysis	\$	643.50	
Robb C. McWilliams	Claims Analysis and Reporting, Contracts Analysis and Reporting, Analysis of potential preferences	\$	598.50	
Jarod E. Clarrey	Claims Analysis and Reporting, First Day Motion Tracking, and Supplier Management	\$	409.50	
Wally Li	Technical Support for Claims and Contracts Databases and Website	\$	279.00	
Trevor Wick	Technical Support for Claims and Contracts Databases and Website	\$	243.00	