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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION,  
  
Debtor.

Chapter 11

Case No. 12-12900 (SCC)

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND  
REQUEST FOR SERVICE OF PAPERS**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that W. Timothy Miller, of the law firm Taft Stettinius & Hollister LLP (“Taft”), hereby enters his appearance as counsel for Creditor J. H. Fletcher & Co. (“Fletcher”) and requests that all notices given or required to be given and all papers served in this case be given to and served upon the following:

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Please take further notice that Fletcher intends that neither this Notice of Appearance nor any later appearance, pleading, claim or suit shall waive its rights with respect to (1) having final orders in noncore matters entered only after *de novo* review by the district judge; (2) trial by jury in a proceeding so triable in this case or any case, controversy or proceeding related to this case; (3) having the district court withdraw the reference in any matter subject to mandatory or discretionary withdrawal; or (4) any other rights, claims, actions, defenses, setoffs, or recoupments to which Fletcher is or may be entitled under agreements, in law, in equity or otherwise, all of which rights, claims, actions, defenses, setoffs, and recoupments Fletcher expressly reserves.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on all registered ECF participants through the Court's ECF system at the email addresses registered with the Court on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2012.

/s/ W. Timothy Miller