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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

**In re:**

**PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, *et al.*,**

**Debtors.**

**Chapter 11**

**Case No. 12-12900 (SCC)**

**(Jointly Administered)**

**MOTION FOR ADMISSION TO PRACTICE, *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Robert G. McLusky, Esq., a member in good standing of the bar in the State of West Virginia, request admission, *pro hac vice*, before the Honorable United States Bankruptcy Court Judge presiding over the proceedings in the above-referenced cases, as special counsel to Patriot Coal Corporation and its subsidiaries that are debtors and debtors in possession in these proceedings in the above referenced cases.

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I have submitted the filing fee of \$200.00 with this motion for *pro hac vice* admission.

Dated: New York, New York  
October 10, 2012

By: /s/ Robert G. McLusky

Robert G. McLusky (*pro hac vice*  
admission pending)

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**ORDER GRANTING ADMISSION TO PRACTICE, *PRO HAC VICE***

Upon the motion of Robert G. McLusky, Esq. to be admitted, *pro hac vice*, as special counsel to Patriot Coal Corporation and its subsidiaries that are debtors and debtors in possession in these proceedings (collectively, the “**Clients**”), and upon the movant’s certification that the movant is a member in good standing of the bar in the State of West Virginia, it is hereby

ORDERED that Robert G. McLusky, Esq. is admitted to practice, *pro hac vice*, in the above-referenced cases as special counsel to the Clients, in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, provided the filing fee has been paid.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2012  
New York, New York

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HONORABLE SHELLEY C. CHAPMAN  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE