

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

**In re:**

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

**Debtors.<sup>1</sup>**

**Chapter 11**

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

**(Jointly Administered)**

**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS FOR ALLOWANCE OF INTERIM  
COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES**

Upon consideration of Applications for Allowance of Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses (the “**Applications**”) for professional services rendered and expenses incurred during the period commencing July 9, 2012 through September 30, 2012<sup>2</sup>; and a hearing having been held before this Court to consider the Applications on December 18, 2012; and notice have been given in accordance with the Order Granting Debtors’ Motion for an Order Establishing Certain Notice, Case Management and Administrative Procedures entered on October 18, 2012 [ECF No. 1386] and the Order Establishing Procedures for Interim Monthly Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals entered on August 2, 2012 [ECF No. 262]; and sufficient cause having been shown therefor; it is hereby

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<sup>1</sup> The Debtors are the entities listed on Schedule 1 attached hereto. The employer tax identification numbers and addresses for each of the Debtors are set forth in the Debtors’ chapter 11 petitions.

<sup>2</sup> The relevant period for which Kramer Levin seeks compensation and reimbursement is July 18, 2012 through and including September 30, 2012 and the relevant period for which Steptoe & Johnson seeks compensation and reimbursement is August 1, 2012 through and including September 30, 2012.

ORDERED, that the Applications are granted to the extent set forth in Schedule A, and the Debtors are authorized to pay the amounts set forth in Schedule A to the extent that such amounts have not been paid previously.

Dated: New York, New York  
December 19, 2012

/s/ Shelley C. Chapman  
HONORABLE SHELLEY C. CHAPMAN  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

**SCHEDULE 1**  
(Debtor Entities)

1. Affinity Mining Company
2. Apogee Coal Company, LLC
3. Appalachia Mine Services, LLC
4. Beaver Dam Coal Company, LLC
5. Big Eagle, LLC
6. Big Eagle Rail, LLC
7. Black Stallion Coal Company, LLC
8. Black Walnut Coal Company
9. Bluegrass Mine Services, LLC
10. Brook Trout Coal, LLC
11. Catenary Coal Company, LLC
12. Central States Coal Reserves of Kentucky, LLC
13. Charles Coal Company, LLC
14. Cleaton Coal Company
15. Coal Clean LLC
16. Coal Properties, LLC
17. Coal Reserve Holding Limited Liability Company No. 2
18. Colony Bay Coal Company
19. Cook Mountain Coal Company, LLC
20. Corydon Resources LLC
21. Coventry Mining Services, LLC
22. Coyote Coal Company LLC
23. Cub Branch Coal Company LLC
24. Dakota LLC
25. Day LLC
26. Dixon Mining Company, LLC
27. Dodge Hill Holding JV, LLC
28. Dodge Hill Mining Company, LLC
29. Dodge Hill of Kentucky, LLC
30. EACC Camps, Inc.
31. Eastern Associated Coal, LLC
32. Eastern Coal Company, LLC
33. Eastern Royalty, LLC
34. Emerald Processing, L.L.C.
35. Gateway Eagle Coal Company, LLC
36. Grand Eagle Mining, LLC
37. Heritage Coal Company LLC
38. Highland Mining Company, LLC
39. Hillside Mining Company
40. Hobet Mining, LLC
41. Indian Hill Company LLC
42. Infinity Coal Sales, LLC
43. Interior Holdings, LLC
44. IO Coal LLC
45. Jarrell's Branch Coal Company
46. Jupiter Holdings LLC
47. Kanawha Eagle Coal, LLC
48. Kanawha River Ventures I, LLC
49. Kanawha River Ventures II, LLC
50. Kanawha River Ventures III, LLC
51. KE Ventures, LLC
52. Little Creek LLC
53. Logan Fork Coal Company
54. Magnum Coal Company LLC
55. Magnum Coal Sales LLC
56. Martinka Coal Company, LLC
57. Midland Trail Energy LLC
58. Midwest Coal Resources II, LLC
59. Mountain View Coal Company, LLC
60. New Trout Coal Holdings II, LLC
61. Newtown Energy, Inc.
62. North Page Coal Corp.
63. Ohio County Coal Company, LLC
64. Panther LLC
65. Patriot Beaver Dam Holdings, LLC
66. Patriot Coal Company, L.P.
67. Patriot Coal Corporation
68. Patriot Coal Sales LLC
69. Patriot Coal Services LLC
70. Patriot Leasing Company LLC
71. Patriot Midwest Holdings, LLC
72. Patriot Reserve Holdings, LLC
73. Patriot Trading LLC
74. PCX Enterprises, Inc.
75. Pine Ridge Coal Company, LLC
76. Pond Creek Land Resources, LLC
77. Pond Fork Processing LLC
78. Remington Holdings LLC
79. Remington II LLC
80. Remington LLC
81. Rivers Edge Mining, Inc.
82. Robin Land Company, LLC
83. Sentry Mining, LLC
84. Snowberry Land Company
85. Speed Mining LLC
86. Sterling Smokeless Coal Company, LLC
87. TC Sales Company, LLC
88. The Presidents Energy Company LLC
89. Thunderhill Coal LLC
90. Trout Coal Holdings, LLC
91. Union County Coal Co., LLC
92. Viper LLC
93. Weatherby Processing LLC
94. Wildcat Energy LLC
95. Wildcat, LLC
96. Will Scarlet Properties LLC
97. Winchester LLC
98. Winifrede Dock Limited Liability Company
99. Yankeetown Dock, LLC

Schedule A

FIRST COMPENSATION PERIOD: July 9, 2012 through September 30, 2012 <sup>1</sup>								
Applicant	Date/Document Number of Application	Interim Fees Requested	Interim Fees Allowed	Fees to be Paid for Current Fee Period	Fees to be Paid for Prior Fee Period(s) (if any) (i.e., Holdback Release)	Total Fees to be Paid	Interim Expenses Requested	Expenses Allowed and to be Paid for Current Fee Period
Blackstone Advisory Partners L.P.	8/16/12 ECF No. 1591	\$4,489,838.71	\$4,489,838.71	\$4,489,838.71	N/A	\$4,489,838.71	\$14,367.97	\$8,293.93 <sup>2</sup>
Bowles Rice LLP	8/16/12 ECF No. 1590	\$289,722.60	\$289,722.60	\$289,722.60	N/A	\$289,722.60	\$0.00	\$0.00
Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP	8/16/12 ECF No. 1587	\$87,462.45	\$75,411.60 <sup>3</sup>	\$75,411.60	N/A	\$75,411.60	\$693.75	\$506.75 <sup>4</sup>
Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP	8/16/12 ECF No. 1588	\$8,145,882.50	\$7,974,882.50 <sup>5</sup>	\$7,974,882.50	N/A	\$7,974,882.50	\$272,375.68	\$272,375.68
Ernst & Young LLP	8/16/12 ECF No. 1585	\$292,563.50	\$292,563.50	\$292,563.50	N/A	\$292,563.50	\$8,354.49	\$8,354.49
GCG, Inc.	8/16/12 ECF No. 1582	\$346,695.10	\$344,001.20 <sup>6</sup>	\$344,001.20	N/A	\$344,001.20	\$3,388.47	\$2,049.08 <sup>7</sup>
Jackson Kelly PLLC	8/16/12 ECF No. 1592	\$239,458.98	\$239,458.98	\$239,458.98	N/A	\$239,458.98	\$21,919.09	\$21,919.09
Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP	8/16/12 ECF No. 1586	\$2,364,788.00	\$2,327,471.73 <sup>8</sup>	\$2,327,471.73	N/A	\$2,327,471.73	\$75,813.93	\$75,813.93
Stephoe & Johnson PLLC	8/16/12 ECF No. 1593	\$86,172.90	\$86,172.90	\$86,172.90	N/A	\$86,172.90	\$2,931.31	\$2,931.31
Thompson Coburn LLC	8/15/12 ECF No. 1579	\$94,952.25	\$94,952.25	\$94,952.25	N/A	\$94,952.25	\$1,696.74	\$1,696.74

**DATED: DECEMBER 19, 2012 INITIALS: (SCC) U.S.B.J.**

<sup>1</sup> The relevant period for which Kramer Levin seeks compensation and reimbursement is July 18, 2012 through and including September 30, 2012 and the relevant period for which Steptoe & Johnson seeks compensation and reimbursement is August 1, 2012 through and including September 30, 2012.

<sup>2</sup> Blackstone's expenses have been reduced by \$6,074.04 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>3</sup> Curtis' fees have been reduced by \$12,050.85 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>4</sup> Curtis' expenses have been by \$187.00 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>5</sup> Davis Polk's fees have been reduced by \$171,000.00 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>6</sup> GCG's fees have been reduced by \$2,693.90 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>7</sup> GCG's expenses have been reduced by \$1,339.39 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.

<sup>8</sup> Kramer Levin's fees have been reduced by \$37,316.27 to resolve the United States Trustee's objection.