

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

In re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, *et al.*,

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 12-51502-659

(Jointly Administered)

**PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION and
HERITAGE COAL COMPANY,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**PEABODY HOLDING COMPANY, LLC and
PEABODY ENERGY CORPORATION,**

Defendants.

**Adversary Proceeding
No. 13-04067-659**

VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to the Local Rule 2090(B)(1) of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, and Local Rule 12.01(F) of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, Steven N. Cousins and the firm of Armstrong Teasdale LLP hereby move that Carl E. Black be admitted *pro hac vice* to the bar of this Court for the purpose of representing Peabody Energy Corporation and Peabody Holding, LLC in the above-referenced matter. In support of this motion, movant sets forth the following information, as required by Local Rule 12.01(F):

1. Carl E. Black is a partner at the law firm of Jones Day located at 901 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114. His telephone number is 216.586.7035 and; his email address is ceblack@jonesday.com.

2. Mr. Black is a 1998 graduate of Ohio State University.

3. Mr. Black was admitted to the Bar of the State of Ohio on November 9, 1998 (Bar No. 0069479) and the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio on December 22, 1998.

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

5. Mr. Black affirms that he does not reside in the Eastern District of Missouri, is not regularly employed by this District, and is not regularly engaged in the practice of law in this District.

6. Mr. Black was granted pro hac vice admission in the bankruptcy case of Patriot Coal Corporation, et al (Case No. 12-51502-659) by Order of this Court dated January 11, 2013.

Mr. Black does hereby attest under penalty of perjury to the truth and accuracy of the foregoing facts. Movant respectfully requests that this motion be granted and that Mr. Black be admitted pro hac vice to the bar of this Court and be allowed to appear in the referenced matter.

Dated: April 22, 2013.

/s/ Carl E. Black

Carl E. Black

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 22nd day of April, 2013, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing has been served on counsel of record receiving notice via the Court's CM/ECF filing system where available, and first class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid on the individuals and entities identified on the Core Party/Non-ECF Service List (Per Case Management Order) as follows:

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