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Estate of Nina Virginia Wright*

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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<b>In re:</b>	)	
	)	Chapter 11
	)	
<b>PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et al.,</b>	)	Case No. 12-12900 (SCC)
	)	
<b>Debtors</b>	)	Jointly Administered
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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND REQUEST FOR SERVICE OF PAPERS**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1109(b) and Rule 9010 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the undersigned hereby appears in the above-captioned jointly administered cases as counsel for Monty Boytek, John Henry Chandler, Rickey Hicks, Thomas Jeffrey, Lacy McKinney, Dennis Miller, and Cathy E. Wright, Administratrix of the Estate of Nina Virginia Wright.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the undersigned hereby requests that copies of all notices and papers filed or entered in these cases be given to and served as follows:

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