

**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

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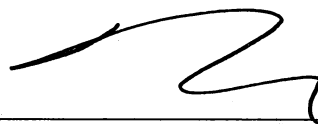
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) ss
COUNTY OF COOK)

I, Ryan Nadick, being duly sworn, depose and state:

1. I am a Senior Project Manager with GCG, Inc., the claims, noticing, and administrative agent for the debtors (the “Debtors”) in the above-captioned proceeding. Our business address is 190 South LaSalle Street, Suite 1520, Chicago, Illinois 60603.

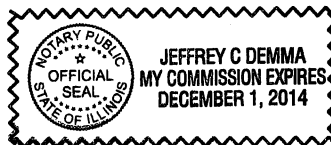
2. On July 23, 2012, at the direction of Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP, proposed counsel to the debtors and debtors in possession, I caused a true and correct copy of the following document to be served by e-mail on the parties identified on Exhibit A annexed hereto (Core Parties and Affected Parties with available e-mail addresses), and by first class mail on the parties identified on Exhibit B annexed hereto (Core Parties with unavailable e-mail addresses):

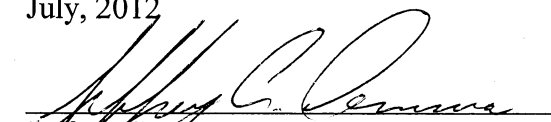
- **Debtors' Motion for Entry of an Order Authorizing Debtors to Proceed with Certain Litigation Claims** [Docket No. 159].



Ryan Nadick

Sworn to before me this 24th day of
July, 2012





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