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#### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

In re:

PATRIOT COAL CORPORATION, et al.,

**Debtors.** 

Chapter 11

Case No. 12-51502

**Steptoe & Johnson PLLC** 

(Jointly Administered)

#### MONTHLY FEE STATEMENT OF STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2013 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2013

NAME OF APPLICANT: ROLE IN THE CASE: TIME PERIOD:

#### **CURRENT APPLICATION:**

Special Counsel for the Debtors October 1, 2013 through and including October 31, 2013 Total Fees Requested: \$22,742.20

80% of Fees Requested: \$18,427.98 Total Expenses Requested: \$234.22

1. In accordance with the Order To Establish Procedures for Interim Monthly Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals [ECF No. 262, S.D. NY] (the "Interim Compensation Order"), Steptoe & Johnson PLLC ("Steptoe & Johnson"), counsel to the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), hereby submits its Monthly Statement for Professional Services and Disbursements (the "Fee Statement") for the period of October 1, 2013 through and including October 31, 2013 (the "Fee Statement Period").

Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, Steptoe & Johnson seeks payment of \$18,662.20, representing (a) 80% of Steptoe & Johnson's fees for services rendered and (b) 100% of actual and necessary expenses incurred.

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3. Attached hereto as "Exhibit A" is a listing of Steptoe & Johnson's professionals and paraprofessionals (collectively, the "**Steptoe & Johnson Professionals**"), including the hourly rate for each Steptoe & Johnson Professional who rendered services to the Debtors in connection with these chapter 11 cases during the Fee Statement Period and the title, aggregate hours worked and the amount of fees billed by each Steptoe & Johnson Professional.

4. Attached hereto as "Exhibit B" is a schedule specifying the categories of actual and necessary expenses for which Steptoe & Johnson is seeking reimbursement and the total amount for each such expense category.

5. Attached hereto as "Exhibit C" is a summary of the number of hours and amounts billed by Steptoe & Johnson during the Fee Statement Period, organized by matter categories. Such services included:

- General labor and employment advice;
- General tax advice;
- Administrative litigation in front of the Mine Safety and Health Administration;
- Employment litigation;
- Federal administrative litigation in front of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission;
- State administrative litigation in front of the West Virginia State Human Rights Commission.

6. Attached as "Exhibit D" are the time records of Steptoe & Johnson, which provide a daily summary of the time spent by each Steptoe & Johnson Professional during the Fee Statement Period by matter category.

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#### NOTICE

7. Consistent with the procedures described in the Interim Compensation Order, the Debtors will serve this Fee Statement, by hand or overnight delivery, on (i) the Debtors, Patriot Coal Corporation, 12312 Olive Boulevard, Suite 400, St. Louis, Missouri 63141, Attn.: Jacquelyn A. Jones, (ii) the Office of the United States Trustee for the Eastern District of Missouri, 111 South 10th Street, Suite 6.353, St. Louis, MO 63102, Attn.: Leonora S. Long and Paul A. Randolph, (iii) attorneys for the administrative agent for the Debtors' postpetition lenders, (a) Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP, 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10153, Attn.: Marcia Goldstein and Joseph Smolinsky, and (b) Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, 787 Seventh Avenue, New York, New York 10019, Attn.: Margot B. Schonholtz and Ana Alfonso, and (iv) counsel to the official committee of unsecured creditors, Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP, 1177 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036, Attn.: Adam C. Rogoff, Esq. and Gregory G. Plotko, Esq..

8. WHEREFORE, the Debtors respectfully request that the Court grant the relief requested herein and such other and further relief as is just and proper.

Dated this 19th day of November, 2013.

By: <u>/s/ C. David Morrison</u> C. David Morrison

> STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC 400 White Oaks Boulevard Bridgeport, WV 26330-4500 Telephone: (304) 933-8113 Facsimile: (304) 933-8776 Special Counsel for the Debtors

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## **EXHIBIT A** Professionals and Rates

### I.A. Members / Of Counsel

Name of Member / Of Counsel	Title	Hourly Rate	Total Hours	Total Fees
C. David Morrison	Member	235.00	6.10	1433.50
Craig A. Griffith	Of Counsel	205.00	10.10	2070.50
David E. Dick	Member	235.00	0.30	70.50
Jeffrey K. Phillips	Member	220.00	15.70	3454.00
Jonathan R. Ellis	Member	160.00	65.90	10544.00
L. Frederick Williams, Jr.	Member	235.00	1.10	258.50
Michael D. Mullins	Member	205.00	0.50	102.50
Thomas S. Kleeh	Member	235.00	5.30	1245.50
W. Henry Lawrence	Member	235.00	0.30	70.50
то	TAL MEMBERS an	d OF COUNSEL:	105.30	\$19,249.50

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#### II.A. Associates

Name of Associate	Department	Hourly Rate	Total Hours	Total Fees
Candace B. Smith	Litigation – MSHA	143.00	2.10	300.30
Daniel D. Fassio	Labor	150.00	6.10	915.00
Katrina N. Harper	Litigation – MSHA	143.00	15.80	2259.40
TOTAL ASSOCIATES:			240	\$3,474.70

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### **III.A.** Paraprofessionals

Name of Paraprofessional	Department	Hourly Rate	Total Hours	Total Fees
Fern Medley-Forsythe	Labor	90.00	0.20	18.00
	TOTAL PARAPRO	FESSIONALS:	0.20	\$18.00

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#### ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES INCURRED BY STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC ON BEHALF OF THE DEBTORS

CATEGORY of EXPENSES	AMOUNTS		
Long Distance Telephone Charges         24.47			
Meals	36.50		
Photocopying Charges 29.30			
Postage 36.03			
Travel (associated with interviews) 107.92			
TOTAL \$234			

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## **EXHIBIT C** Summary of Project Code

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#### SUMMARY OF HOURS AND AMOUNTS BILLED BY STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC

DESCRIPTION	HOURS	AMOUNT
Bankruptcy Matters	1.50	352.50
Harland v. Newtown Energy	10.60	1943.50
Kopperston Water Suit	0.40	91.00
Labor Matters	4.90	1151.50
Mullins v. Patriot	1.00	235.00
Research & Development Tax Credit Appeal	11.20	2329.00
MSHA – General	1.70	255.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #191184)	0.40	64.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #251941)	0.40	64.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #273637)	0.20	32.00
Harris No. 1 Mine (MSHA Case #273620)	0.20	32.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #275179)	0.30	48.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #272361)	0.30	48.00
Campbell's Creek Mine (MSHA Case #274403)	1.20	192.00
Dodge Hill Mine 103(a) Citations	0.20	44.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #283385)	0.30	48.00
Highland Mining (MSHA Case #282970)	0.70	154.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #302493)	0.20	32.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #291748)	0.10	22.00
Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #300794)	0.20	32.00
Dodge Hill Mine (MSHA Case #299605)	1.60	352.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #300098)	0.90	198.00
Sugar Maple Mine (MSHA Case #305637)	0.10	16.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #289040)	0.10	22.00
Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #306750)	0.30	48.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #308070)	0.20	32.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #308985)	0.30	48.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #306579)	4.10	480.00
MSHA & WVOMHS&T Investigation of Five Mile Accident	1.30	226.00
Petition for Modification of Existing Standard	1.00	220.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #308615)	1.80	396.00
Dodge Hill Mining (MSHA Case #302632)	1.10	242.00

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	HOURS	AMOUNT
Highland 105(c) Case (MADI-CD-2013-11)	2.20	322.30
Blue Creek No. 1 (MSHA Case #310934)	0.20	32.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #314053)	0.10	16.00
BC No. 1 (MSHA Case #308316)	0.20	32.00
Campbell's Creek Mine (MSHA Case #315344)	0.30	48.00
Peerless Rachel Mine (MSHA Case #303951)	0.10	16.00
Blue Creek No. 1 (MSHA Case #318244)	0.10	16.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #311244)	2.80	616.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #316187)	0.10	16.00
Peerless Rachel Mine (MSHA Case #319302)	0.60	96.00
Coalburg No. 1 (MSHA Case #319297)	0.20	32.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #319538)	2.90	464.00
Gateway Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #320769)	1.10	176.00
Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #319290)	0.20	32.00
Campbell's Creek Mine (MSHA Case #317923)	0.50	80.00
Wells Preparation Plant (MSHA Case #319531)	0.20	32.00
Blue Creek No. 1 (MSHA Case #321036)	0.20	32.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #311244)	0.30	66.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #285951)	0.50	110.00
Section 110 Investigation (MADI-CD-2013-06)	0.10	22.00
Gateway Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #323410)	1.40	224.00
Farley Eagle Mine (MSHA Case #323406)	0.30	48.00
Dodge Hill Mine (MSHA Case #315443)	0.10	22.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #322169)	1.10	176.00
Peerless Rachel Mine (MSHA Case #321949)	1.20	192.00
Highland Mining (MSHA Case #315841)	1.60	352.00
Camp 9 Prep Plant (MSHA Case #316458)	0.40	88.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #321749)	31.10	4241.90
Campbell's Creek Mine (MSHA Case #323414)	2.60	416.00
Blue Creek No. 1 Mine (MSHA Case #326536)	0.80	128.00
Peerless Rachel Mine (MSHA Case #324648)	0.70	112.00
Gateway Eagle Mine – MSHA & WVOMHST Investigation – Exam. Cert.	0.50	80.00
Black Oak Mine (MSHA Case #327800)	2.40	384.00

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DESCRIPTION	HOURS	AMOUNT
Campbell's Creek Mine (MSHA Case #329022)	0.70	112.00
Blue Creek No. 1 Mine (MSHA Case #329229)	8.00	1186.50
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #327299)	13.60	2176.00
Dodge Hill Mine (MSHA Case #318096)	1.00	220.00
Dodge Hill Mine (MSHA Case #320895)	1.00	220.00
Wells Prep Plant (MSHA Case #327790)	0.40	64.00
Peerless Rachel Mine (MSHA Case #327527)	2.10	336.00
Highland Mine (MSHA Case #321364)	0.30	66.00
Winchester Mine (MSHA Case #329862)	2.40	192.00
TOTAL HOURS and COMPENSATION REQUESTED:	135.40	22,742.20

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KOPPERSTON WATER	SUIT	
10/02/13 M Mullin		Correspondence to client regarding plaintiff's cent demand
10/07/13 W Lawren	ce .30	Call from client re: claim
TOTAL HOURS:	0.40	
LABOR MATTERS		
10/18/13 D Dick	.30	Return call to client to discuss sharing of workers compensation claims data
10/28/13 C Morris	on .30	Telephone conference with Attorney Simmons re: employment issue
10/28/13 C Morris	on 2.10	Draft e-mail to client representatives re: the law on religious accommodation (after doing research)
10/28/13 C Morris	on .10	Draft e-mail to client representative re: conversation with Attorney Simmons
10/29/13 C Morris	on .50	Telephone conference with two client representatives re: employee with "religious" issues
10/29/13 C Morris	on .40	Draft memo to client re: accommodation to employee with "religious" issues
10/29/13 C Morris	on .30	Review file re: employee with religious beliefs that interfere with his job
10/29/13 C Morris	on .10	Telephone conference with client representatives re: employee with "religious" issues
10/30/13 C Morris	on .30	Draft proposed letter to Attorney Simmons
10/30/13 C Morris	on .20	Draft letter to Attorney Simmons re: employee with "religious" issues (revise)
10/31/13 C Morris	on .20	Confer with workers' compensation attorney re: workers' compensation question
10/31/13 C Morris	on .10	Telephone conference with client re: workers' compensation issue
TOTAL HOURS:	4.90	

10/21/13 T Kleeh .30 Review complaint

Work Date	Time- keeper Hou:	rs Nar	rative
10/21/13	-		Work on potential notice of automatic stay
10/23/13	T Kleeh	.20	E-mails with client regarding complaint, status
10/23/13	T Kleeh	.20	Review complaint
TOTAL HOU	RS:	1.00	
	Y MATTERS C Morrison		Draft application to be a service provider in Brody Mining matters
TOTAL HOU	RS:	1.50	
	& DEVELOPMEN C Griffith		<b>REDIT APPEAL</b> Draft West Virginia Office of Tax Appeals brief
10/04/13	C Griffith	2.00	Draft West Virginia Office of Tax Appeals brief
10/07/13	C Griffith		Draft pre-hearing statement for matter; draft brief that will be filed following evidentiary hearing
10/23/13	C Griffith		Draft prehearing statement to file with the West Virginia Office of Tax Appeals
10/24/13	C Griffith		Draft pre-hearing statement to file with the West Virginia Office of Tax Appeals
10/30/13	L Williams, C	J.80	Review and revision of prehearing statement
10/31/13	L Williams, d	J.30	Review and filing of prehearing statement
TOTAL HOU	RS:	11.20	
HARLAND V	. NEWTOWN END		-
10/09/13	T Kleeh	.20	Emails with client regarding complaint, service, applicability of bankruptcy stay
10/10/13	T Kleeh	.30	Review complaint; work on answer to same
10/10/13	T Kleeh	.20	Emails with client regarding complaint, service, status
10/21/13	T Kleeh	.10	Draft notice of bona fide defense for co-defendant
10/21/13	T Kleeh	.20	E-mails with client regarding status, witness interviews
10/23/13	T Kleeh	.10	Draft notice of record preservation
10/23/13	T Kleeh	.70	Work on viability of potential motion to dismiss certain counts in complaint

Work Date	Time- keeper	Hours Na	rrative
10/28/13 I			Communicate with client regarding meeting to gather information to respond to complaint
10/29/13 :	Г Kleeh	.20	Emails with client regarding personnel documents, status
10/29/13	r Kleeh	.10	Prepare for witness meetings
10/31/13	r Kleeh	1.20	Review personnel files in preparation for same
10/31/13	r Kleeh	.40	Draft answer to complaint
10/31/13	r Kleeh	.60	Prepare for witness interviews
10/31/13 I	D Fassio	1.70	Draft to and from Newtown Energy for meeting
10/31/13 I	D Fassio	2.10	Meet with Newtown employees in preparation for drafting responsive pleadings and for fact development
10/31/13 I	D Fassio	2.10	Review information received from client in preparation for meetings and interviews
10/31/13 H	F Medley-	Fors .20	Draft answer to complaint
TOTAL HOUP	RS:	10.60	
MSHA - GEI	NERAL		
10/02/13	J Ellis	.70	Work on quarterly MSHA reports and email them to client
10/10/13 H	K Harper	1.00	Researching cases involving 75.1107-14
TOTAL HOUP	RS:	1.70	
<b>WINCHESTE</b> 10/18/13			-1744 - MSHA CASE #191184 Emails with Judge Moran's law clerk re: status of settlement documents
10/31/13 3	J Ellis	.20	Receive and review order approving settlement; draft email to re: citation modifications
TOTAL HOUP	RS:	0.40	
WINCHESTER	R MINE -	WEVA 2011.	-1686 - MSHA #251941
10/16/13	J Ellis	.30	Attention to settlement negotiations
10/30/13	J Ellis	.10	Email from MSHA attorney re: status of settlement negotiations
TOTAL HOUP	RS:	0.40	

Work Date	Time- keeper Ho	urs Nar	rative
BLACK OA	K MINE - WEV	A 2012-4	68 - MSHA #273637
		-	Receive and review order approving settlement;
			draft email to re: citation modifications
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.20	
			.2-467 - MSHA #273620
10/31/13	J Ellis		Receive and review order approving settlement; draft email to re: citation modifications
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.20	
		-	<b>534 &amp; 533 - MSHA #275179</b> Attention to settlement negotiations
	URS:		Accention to settlement negotiations
		0.50	
		-	466 - MSHA #272361
10/16/13	J Ellis	.30	Attention to settlement negotiations
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.30	
-			NEVA 2012-593 - MSHA #274403
10/24/13	J Ellis		Emails with opposing counsel and the judge's law clerk re: extension of prehearing deadlines; work on discovery responses
TOTAL HO	URS:	1.20	
DODGE HI	LL MINE #1 /	103(A)	CITATIONS
10/03/13	J Phillips		Letter from solicitor A. Gregory with conditional motion for continuance
10/23/13	J Phillips	.10	Email from solicitor A. Gregory re: hearing
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.20	
			997/998 - MSHA #283385
10/16/13	J Ellis	.30	Attention to settlement negotiations
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.30	
			872 - MSHA #282970
10/18/13	J Phillips	.40	Email from law clerk re: section 110 proceeding; review file; emails from and to solicitor M. Lawson re: no active section 110 investigation or proceeding
10/22/13	J Phillips		Email from solicitor M. Lawson re: section 110 proceeding
10/28/13	J Phillips	.20	Letter from Judge Moran re: evidentiary

Work Date	Time- keeper Ho	ure N-	rrative
Dale	тесрет но		hearing; identify trial witnesses; draft email
			to client representatives re: trial
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.70	
BLACK OA	K MINE - WEV	A 2013-	90 - MSHA #302493
10/25/13	J Ellis	.20	Receive and review order approving settlement and draft email to client re: citation changes
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.20	
			<b>2-1277 - MSHA #291748</b> Emails from and to ALJ Moran's law clerk re: settlement
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.10	
EAGLE MI	NE - WEVA 20	13-82 -	MSHA #300794
10/18/13	J Ellis	.20	Emails with client and MSHA CLR Blair re: settlement
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.20	
DODGE HI	LL MINE #1 -	KENT 2	013-13 - MSHA #299605
10/02/13	J Phillips	.70	Work on settlement proposal
10/09/13	J Phillips	.50	Prepare for hearing
10/18/13	J Phillips	.20	Engage in settlement negotiations
10/18/13	J Phillips	.10	Email from law clerk re: evidentiary hearing
10/23/13	J Phillips	.10	Email from Judge Andrews' law clerk re: hearing
TOTAL HO	URS:	1.60	
			<b>-14 - MSHA CASE #300098</b> Letter from Judge Bulluck with notice of hearing
10/18/13	J Phillips	.80	Draft settlement proposal; engage in settlement negotiations
TOTAL HO	URS:	0.90	
SUGAR MA		-	.3-316 & 317 - MSHA #305637 Email from MSHA CLR Blair re: extension of
10/25/13			prehearing order deadline

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	<b>2012-1170 - MSHA #289040</b> .10 Emails from and to Judge Moran's law clerk re: settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS:	0.10
EAGLE MINE - WEVA 2013	
10/21/13 J Ellis	.30 Draft settlement counterproposal to attorney for MSHA Kim Engel
TOTAL HOURS:	0.30
	2013-404 - MSHA #308070
10/31/13 J Ellis	.20 Receive and review order approving settlement; draft email to re: citation modifications
TOTAL HOURS:	0.20
WINCHESTER MINE - WEVA	A 2013-447 - MSHA CASE #308985
10/01/13 J Ellis	.20 Emails to MSHA CLR Blair, to Judge Miller, and to client re: settlement
10/20/13 J Ellis	.10 Email to MSHA CLR Blair re: status of proposed settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS:	0.30
	A 2013-371 - MSHA CASE #306579 .30 Work on settlement proposal
10/30/13 J Ellis	1.60 Prepare for settlement conference
10/31/13 J Ellis	1.10 Settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR Phillips
10/31/13 K Harper	1.10 Meet with client and attend settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR Phillips.
TOTAL HOURS:	4.10
MSHA & WVOMHS&T INVES	IGATION OF FIVE MILE PLANT ACCIDENT
10/03/13 J Ellis	.20 Emails from counsel for Conn-Weld re: status of MSHA report
10/18/13 M Mullins	.10 Correspondence from Patriot regarding insurance issues
10/18/13 J Ellis	.40 Review insurance issues and repair timelines
10/29/13 M Mullins	.30 Assist client with dispute caused by MSHA's seizure of equipment

Work Date	Time- keeper	Hours	Narrative
10/29/13	J Ellis		30 Attention to insurance issues
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.3	30
<b>PETITION</b> 10/02/13			OF EXISTING STANDARD 00 Letter from MSHA with decision and order approving petition for modification of existing standard; review lengthy decision and order; draft email to client summarizing decision and order
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.0	00
<b>HIGHLAND</b> 10/02/13			<b>13-319 - MSHA #308615</b> 70 Engage in settlement negotiations; draft settlement proposal
10/23/13	J Philli	ps .	10 Letter from Judge Moran with notice of hearing; draft email to clients re: hearing
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.8	30
			2 <b>013-175 - MSHA CASE #302632</b> 60 Work on settlement proposal
10/18/13	J Philli	ps .	30 Engage in settlement negotiations
10/25/13	J Philli	.ps	20 Prepare for and attend ALJ conference call
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.	10
<b>HIGHLAND</b> 10/03/13			DI-CD-2013-11 80 Draft deposition outlines
10/03/13			30 Draft deposition outlines
10/25/13			<pre>10 Email from atty. Addington with notice of appearance</pre>
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	2.	20
	EK NO. 1		<b>TEVA 2013-503 MSHA #310934</b> 20 Receive and review order approving settlement;
BLUE CREE 10/02/13	J Ellis		draft email to client outlining citation modifications

Work Time- Date keeper Hours	Narrative
WINCHESTER MINE - WEVA 10/24/13 J Ellis	2013-673 - MSHA# 314053 .10 Email from MSHA CLR Blair re: status of settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS: 0	0.10
BC NO. 1 DEEP MINE - WEY 10/02/13 J Ellis	<b>7A 2013-390 - MSHA CASE #308316</b> (Midland Trail Energy) .20 Receive and review order approving settlement; draft email to client outlining citation modifications
TOTAL HOURS: (	0.20
	- WEVA 2013-740/741 - MSHA #315344 .30 Receive and review order approving settlement of WEVA 2013-741 and draft email to client outlining citation modifications
TOTAL HOURS: 0	0.30
	NEVA 2013-224 - MSHA #303951 .10 Email from attorney Engel re: extension to prehearing order deadline
TOTAL HOURS: 0	0.10
BLUE CREEK NO. 1 DEEP - 10/20/13 J Ellis	WEVA 2013-818 - MSHA #318244 .10 Email to MSHA CLR Blair re: status of proposed settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS:	0.10
	2013-479 - MSHA CASE #311244 2.50 Review inspector notes; legal research re: "unwarrantable failure;" draft settlement proposal
10/17/13 J Phillips	.30 Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOURS: 2	2.80
	2013-798/1010 - MSHA CASE #316187 .10 Email to MSHA CLR Haynes re: status of proposed settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS: 0	0.10
PEERLESS RACHEL MINE - W 10/24/13 J Ellis	NEVA 2013-888 - MSHA CASE #319302 .60 Emails and calls with MSHA CLRs Haynes and Blair re: settlement negotiations
TOTAL HOURS: 0	0.60

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COALBURG NO. 1 MINI 10/21/13 J Ellis	<b>: - WEVA 2013-890 - MSHA #319297</b> .20 Receive and review order approving settlement and draft email to client
TOTAL HOURS:	0.20
BLACK OAK MINE - WI 10/03/13 J Ellis	<b>IVA 2013-897 - MSHA CASE #319538</b> .70 Draft settlement proposal
10/10/13 J Ellis	.30 Draft settlement proposal
10/18/13 J Ellis	.80 Call with MSHA CLR Haynes re: settlement negotiations; work on settlement negotiations
10/23/13 J Ellis	.50 Receive and review counterproposal from MSHA CLR Haynes
10/25/13 J Ellis	.60 Work on counterproposal
TOTAL HOURS:	2.90
GATEWAY EAGLE MINE 10/23/13 J Ellis	- WEVA 2013-964 - MSHA CASE #320769 .40 Receive and review settlement counterproposal from MSHA CLR Sciotto and draft response
10/30/13 J Ellis	.30 Email from MSHA CLR Sciotto re: settlement discussions; emails with client re: status of settlement negotiations
10/31/13 J Ellis	.40 Call with MSHA CLR Sciotto re: settlement negotiations; emails with Judge Rae's law clerk Cle re: settlement
TOTAL HOURS:	1.10
	2013-891 - MSHA CASE #319290 .20 Receive and review order approving settlement and draft email to client
TOTAL HOURS:	0.20
CAMPBELLS CREEK NO 10/20/13 J Ellis	<pre>10 MINE - WEVA 2013-817 - MSHA CASE # 317923 .10 Email to MSHA CLR Haynes re: status of     proposed settlement documents</pre>
10/28/13 J Ellis	.20 Emails with Judge Miller and MSHA CLR Haynes re: status of settlement documents
10/30/13 J Ellis	.20 Receive and review proposed settlement documents
TOTAL HOURS:	0.50

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WELLS PRE 10/20/13			<b>EVA 2013-912 - MSHA CASE #319531</b> Email to MSHA CLR Blair re: status of proposed settlement documents
10/31/13	J Ellis	.10	Email from MSHA representative re: filing settlement documents
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.20	
BLUE CREE 10/25/13			- WEVA 2013-958 - MSHA CASE #321036 Emails with MSHA CLR Blair and Judge Gill's law clerk Sanuik re: extension of prehearing order deadlines
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.20	
			-480 - MSHA CASE #311244 Review file; draft email to client re: discovery needs
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.30	
			-1136 MSHA #285951 Work on settlement negotiations
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.50	
			MADI-CD-2013-06 Letter from Jim Langley closing investigation
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.10	
<b>GATEWAY E</b> 10/18/13			013-1053 - MSHA #323410 Draft settlement proposal
10/21/13	J Ellis	.60	Receive and review counterproposal from MSHA and draft response
10/25/13	J Ellis	.10	Email from MSHA CLR Johnson to Judge Rae's law clerk re: need to set hearing date
TOTAL HOU	RS:	1.40	
<b>FARLEY EA</b> 10/25/13		-	<b>13-1052 &amp; 1051 - MSHA #323406</b> Email from MSHA CLR Johnson to Judge Rae's law clerk re: need to set hearing date on WEVA 2013-1052
10/28/13	J Ellis	.20	Emails with attorney Marino re: settlement negotiations
TOTAL HOU	RS:	0.30	

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			<b>)13-617 - MSHA #315443</b> Letter from solicitor Gregory with conditional motion for continuance; draft response to motion
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	0.10	
BLACK OAK	K MINE - WEVA	2013-9	999 - MSHA #322169
10/11/13	J Ellis	1.10	Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.10	
	<b>RACHEL MINE</b> J Ellis		<b>2013-1026 - MSHA #321949</b> Review inspectors' notes and draft settlement proposal
10/24/13	J Ellis	.20	Emails with MSHA CLR Haynes re: extension of prehearing order deadline
10/28/13	J Ellis	.10	Email from Judge Rae's law clerk re: extension of prehearing deadline
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.20	
HIGHLAND	9 MINE - KEN	т 2013-	-619 - MSHA #315841
10/14/13	J Phillips	.70	Draft settlement proposal
10/15/13	J Phillips	.80	Review inspector notes; work on settlement proposal
10/23/13	J Phillips	.10	Teleconference with CLR Gray re: discovery
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	1.60	
			1 <b>3-657 - MSHA #316458</b> Draft settlement proposal
10/22/13	J Phillips	.10	Email from and to client re: settlement
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	0.40	
	<b>ER MINE - WEV</b> J Ellis		-1036; 1037; 1038 - MSHA #321749 Work on settlement proposal
10/17/13	J Ellis	1.80	Email to and call from MSHA CLR re: settlement negotiations; prepare for settlement conference
10/20/13	J Ellis	.10	Email to client re: settlement conference
10/21/13	J Ellis	1.60	Emails with client, Judge Miller, and MSHA CLR Blair re: settlement conference; prepare for settlement conference

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10/22/13	J Ellis	5.30	Draft status evaluation to client; work on settlement spreadsheets; prepare for settlement conference
10/22/13	K Harper	5.90	Prepare for settlement conference; research Judge's prior decisions
10/23/13	J Ellis	1.40	Prepare for settlement conference; work on settlement spreadsheet
10/25/13	K Harper	3.40	Research Judge's prior decisions
10/28/13	J Ellis	.60	Work on settlement spreadsheets; email to client re: request settlement authority
10/29/13	J Ellis	.20	Emails with client re: settlement conference
10/30/13	J Ellis	2.80	Prepare for settlement conference; call with client re: settlement conference
10/31/13	J Ellis	3.60	Meet with client and attend settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR Phillips
10/31/13	K Harper	3.60	Meet with client and attend settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR Phillips.
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	31.10	
<b>CAMPBELLS</b> 10/14/13			<b>VA 2013-1076 - MSHA #323414</b> Email to client re: information needed for citation contests
10/15/13	J Ellis	.80	Work on settlement negotiations
10/21/13	J Ellis	.20	Emails with client re: information for settlement proposal
10/22/13	J Ellis	1.40	Draft settlement proposal
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	2.60	
			- WEVA 2013-1136 - MSHA #326536 Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	0.80	
			2013-1129 -1130 - MSHA #324648
TOTAL HOU	J Ellis	0.70	Draft settlement proposal on WEVA 2013-1130
		0.70	

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		WOMHST INVESTIGATION - EXAM. CERT.	
10/21/13	J Ellis	.30 Emails with client and MSHA special investigator re: witness	
		interviews	
10/30/13	J Ellis	.20 Emails with MSHA special investigator	
		and client re: witness interviews	
TOTAL HOU	JRS :	0.50	
BLACK OAK	MINE - WEVA	013-1204 - MSHA #327800	
	J Ellis	2.40 Work on settlement proposal	
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	2.40	
		- MSHA #329022	
-		.30 Work on motion to reopen	
10/01/13	U LIIS	. So work on motion to reopen	
10/10/13	J Ellis	.40 Draft motion to reopen	
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	).70	
BLUE CREE	K NO. 1 DEEP	INE - WEVA 2013-1233 - MSHA #329229	
10/09/13		.80 Review citations and work on settlement	
20,00,20	0 22220	proposal	
10/16/13	K Harper	4.00 Drafting settlement proposal 2013-1233	
10/18/13	T Ellia	1.70 Draft settlement proposal	
10/10/13	U LIIIS	1.70 Dialt Settlement proposal	
10/18/13	K Harper	1.50 Drafting settlement proposals BC No. 1	
		2013-1233	
TOTAL HOU	JRS:	3.00	
WINCHESTE	R MINE - WEVA	2013-1238 - MSHA #327299	
10/16/13		2.20 Review citations and information from client;	
20,20,20	0 22220	work on settlement proposal to MSHA	
10/17/13	J Ellis	3.80 Work on settlement proposal	
10/23/13	J Ellis	2.60 Work on settlement spreadsheets; draft	
20,20,20	0 11110	settlement proposal; prepare for settlement	
		conference	
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10/24/13	J Ellis	2.40 Draft client evaluation; call with client re: settlement conference	
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10/25/13	J Ellis	2.10 Prepare for settlement conference; work on	
		settlement spreadsheets	
10/28/13	J Ellis	.50 Work on settlement spreadsheets; prepare for	
		settlement conference	

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TOTAL HOURS:	13.60
	XENT 2013-818 - MSHA #318096 .30 Draft answer to petition; draft written discovery requests
10/10/13 J Phillips	.50 Draft settlement proposal
10/13/13 J Phillips	.20 Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOURS:	1.00
	XENT 2013-812 - MSHA #320895 .30 Draft answer to petition; draft written discovery requests
10/10/13 J Phillips	.50 Draft settlement proposal
10/13/13 J Phillips	.20 Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOURS:	1.00
	<b>7A 2013-1187 - MSHA #327790</b> .40 Review petition in WEVA 2013-1187 and draft answer
TOTAL HOURS:	0.40
	• WEVA 2013-1228 - MSHA #327527 .40 Review petition in WEVA 2013-1228 and draft answer
10/23/13 J Ellis	1.70 Work on settlement proposal
TOTAL HOURS:	2.10
HIGHLAND 9 MINE - KENT 10/24/13 J Phillips	<b>2013-841 - MSHA #321364</b> .30 Draft answer and written discovery requests in KENT 2013-841
TOTAL HOURS:	0.30
WINCHESTER MINE - WEVA 10/31/13 J Ellis	A 2013-1321 - MSHA #329862 1.20 Settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR Phillips (1321)
10/31/13 K Harper	1.20 Meet with client and attend settlement conference with MSHA CLR Blair and MSHA CLR
	Phillips