

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
RICHMOND DIVISION

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	Case No.: 3:15-CV-00452-MHL
)	
POWHATAN ENERGY FUND LLC, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
)	

**MOTION OF JOHN S. DAVIS TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL FOR
DEFENDANT POWHATAN ENERGY FUND LLC**

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.1, John S. Davis respectfully moves this Court for leave to withdraw as an attorney in the above-captioned matter. Movant respectfully informs the Court that as of May 29, 2017, he is no longer employed at Williams Mullen.

Defendant Powhatan Energy Fund LLC will continue to be represented by the law firms of Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP and Williams Mullen. Movant certifies that reasonable notice has been given to Defendant Powhatan Energy Fund LLC of his withdraw of appearance in this case.

WHEREFORE, movant respectfully requests that the Court enter an Order permitting him to withdraw as counsel of record for Powhatan Energy Fund LLC. A proposed order is attached as **Exhibit A**.

Dated: September 21, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September [REDACTED], 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which shall send notification of such filing to counsel receiving notices in this matter, including the following counsel of record:

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ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

Upon the Motion of John S. Davis to Withdraw as Counsel for Defendant Powhatan Energy Fund LLC, and for good cause shown,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED and John S. Davis is granted leave to withdraw as counsel in the above-referenced proceeding pending before this Court.

Dated: September _____, 2017

U.S. District Judge M. Hannah Lauck