BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO: 010810-TP

IN RE: PETITION BY MCI WORLDCOM COMMUNICATIONS INC. AND MCIMETRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES, LLC TO INITIATE RULE MAKING PURSUANT TO SECTION 364.01 AND 364.603, F.S., TO MANDATE USE OF ELECTRONIC AUTHORIZATION AS A PERMISSIBLE METHOD FOR CONSUMERS TO LIFT PREFERRED CARRIER FREEZES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

ISSUED: August 1, 2001

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, that the Florida Public Service Commission has initiated the development of Rule 25-4.110, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to the preferred carrier freeze.

The attached Notice of Proposed Rule Development will appear in the August 10, 2001, edition of the Florida Administrative Weekly. A rule development workshop will be held at the following time and place:

> Florida Public Service Commission 1:00 p.m., August 27, 2001 Betty Easley Conference Center Room 182, 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Any person requiring some accommodation at this workshop because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at: 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

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By Direction of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>lst</u> day of <u>August</u>, <u>2001</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director

Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

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RULE TITLE: Customer Billing for Local RULE NO.: 25-4.110

Exchange Telecommunications Companies

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To consider the procedures for imposing and removing a freeze on the choice of the preferred telecommunications carrier.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Preferred carrier freezes.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127, 364.603, 364.604(5), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 364.17, 350.113, 364.03, 364.04, 364.05, 364.052, 364.19, 364.602, 364.603, 364.604, F.S.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Rick Moses, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0862.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS NOT AVAILABLE.