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**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Ms. Blanca Bayó, Director  
Florida Public Service Commission  
Division of Commission Clerk and  
Administrative Services  
2540 Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

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Re: Notification of the Name Changes of MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. to MCI Communications Services, Inc. and MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc. to MCI Network Services, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayó:

MCI, Inc. ("MCI") on behalf of its subsidiaries MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. ("MCI WorldCom Communications") and MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc. ("MCI WorldCom Network Services"), hereby respectfully notifies the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission") of the name change of MCI WorldCom Communications to "MCI Communications Services, Inc." and the name change of MCI WorldCom Network Services to "MCI Network Services, Inc." (the "Name Changes"). The Name Changes will be undertaken to avoid confusion in MCI's dealings with regulators, other government agencies, vendors, and customers and as further described below.

**A. Description of the Applicant, MCI**

MCI is a corporation created and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its principal office located at 22001 Loudoun County Parkway, Ashburn, Virginia 20147. Through various operating subsidiaries, including MCI WorldCom Communications and MCI WorldCom Network Services, MCI provides international and domestic interstate, intrastate and local telecommunications services. Additional information about MCI is available at [www.mci.com](http://www.mci.com).

MCI is the parent company of various operating subsidiaries; it offers no services directly to the public and holds no certificates of public convenience and necessity issued by the Commission. On October 31, 2003, MCI (f/k/a WorldCom, Inc.) and 221 of its direct and indirect domestic subsidiaries emerged from Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceedings.<sup>1</sup> Throughout the bankruptcy reorganization proceedings, MCI continued to operate its businesses, both in Florida and elsewhere, without interruption, maintained its state-of-the-art network, preserved service quality, and continued to expand the availability of innovative and competitive services.

<sup>1</sup> *In re WorldCom, Inc.*, Case No. 02-13533 (AJG) (S.D.N.Y.).

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The Name Changes are part of MCI's continuing effort to simplify its corporate legal structure and should help prevent confusion in MCI's dealings with regulators, other government agencies, vendors, and customers.

## **B. Contact Information**

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## **C. Certification and the Name Changes**

MCI currently has the following subsidiaries certificated in Florida: (i) MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.; (ii) MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc.; (iii) MCI metro Access Transmission Services LLC; (iv) SouthernNet, Inc. d/b/a Telecom USA and d/b/a Teleconnect and (v) TTI National, Inc. Each of these subsidiaries holds a separate certificate of public convenience and necessity and files its own tariffs separate from the other subsidiaries. MCI requests that the Commission change the certificates of public convenience and necessity held by MCI WorldCom Communications and MCI WorldCom Network Services to reflect the Name Changes to "MCI Communications Services, Inc." and "MCI Network Services, Inc.," respectively. The entities MCI Communications Services, Inc. and MCI Network Services, Inc. will continue to provide telecommunications services in Florida. As the Name Changes are completed, MCI will file revised tariff sheets as appropriate in connection with the Name Changes. These tariff changes will not revise the rates, terms or conditions of any services

currently offered. MCI has completed the process of amending its qualification documents in Florida to accomplish the Name Changes.

**D. Effect of the Name Changes**

The Name Changes will have no impact on customers or services. The Name Changes simply provide an outward reflection of MCI's new simplified corporate organization. Customers will be provided notice of the Name Changes via a message on their bill.

**E. Conclusion**

MCI respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience, and necessity would be furthered by these Name Changes. An original and the requisite number of copies of this notification are enclosed. MCI respectfully requests that the Commission date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of this filing and return it in the attached self-addressed, stamped envelope. Further information regarding the Name Changes is available at the request of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,



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