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Re: Competitive Practices - Docket No. 011077-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLP are the original and 15 copies of their Petition To Intervene.

Also enclosed for the docket file is a copy of a letter to Felicia Banks containing a prioritized list of issues requested by the staff.

By copy of this letter, these documents have been furnished to the parties on the attached service list.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please give me a call at 425-2313.

Very truly yours,

Richard D. Melson

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Generic Investigation into Whether)	
Competitive Practices of Incumbent and)	Docket No. 011077-TP
Alternative Local Exchange Carriers Comply)	
with Section 364.01(4)(g), Florida Statutes)	Filed: January 11, 2002
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PETITION TO INTERVENE

MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. ("MCI WorldCom") and MCImetro Access

Transmission Services, LLP ("MCIm") petition, pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida

Administrative Code, for leave to intervene in this docket. In support thereof, Petitioners state:

1. Petitioners' official names and address are:

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2. All notices, pleadings and other documents in this matter should be addressed to the following:

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- 3. MCI WorldCom and MCIm are certified by the Commission as alternative local exchange carriers. Both are competitors of incumbent local exchange carriers.
- 4. The substantial interests of both MCI WorldCom and MCIm will be affected by any Commission decision in this docket that determines whether the competitive practices of

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either alternative or incumbent local exchange carriers comply with section 364.01(4)(g), Florida Statutes.

WHEREFORE, MCI WorldCom and MCIm respectfully request leave to intervene as full parties in this proceeding.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of this Petition to Intervene was served on the following this _// day of January, 2002:

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Re: Docket No. 011077-TP

Dear Felicia,

This letter is in response to your memorandum dated December 20, 2001, requesting prioritization of the list of issues you distributed in the above-referenced docket.

Although WorldCom is interested in many issues on staff's proposed list, we believe the following topics need to be addressed first:

- 1) Performance Measurements and Standards for Special Access;
- 2) Change Management;
- 3) Disconnect and New Connect Orders Separated During the Conversion Process.
 - a) Loss of Dial Tone/Ancillary Services During the Switch;
 - b) Phone Service Disruptions After the Switch
- 4) Excessive Features Charges for BellSouth;
- 5) Interactive Agent for BellSouth

BellSouth is the only RBOC that processes MCI's platform EDI orders through a VAN, which essentially creates a stopping point between the ALECs and BellSouth. BellSouth's use of a VAN also causes MCI to use its own third-party VAN provider to link to BellSouth's VAN provider. Orders transmitted from the ALECs to BellSouth and acknowledgements, firm order confirmations and other notifiers from BellSouth to ALECs must pass through the VAN. Orders and notifiers are often delayed significantly in the VAN and may be lost altogether.

The industry has chosen a specific Interactive Agent as the method for submitting high volumes of orders in a competitive production environment. With other BOCs, MCI submits its orders using Interactive

Agent directly to the BOC and receives acknowledgements, firm order confirmations and other notices directly back from the BOC. Interactive Agent also allows ALECs to send orders individually, rather than in batches, and has a log file that allows parties rapidly to search for missing orders and notifiers.

6) Line Loss Report

In its *Pennsylvania Order* ¶ 52, the FCC explained the need for a BOC to provide CLECs with accurate line loss reports. Without such reports, a CLEC will continue to bill the end user even after the end user has discontinued service with the carrier.

BellSouth is failing to submit line loss reports for a significant number customers. The impact of missing line loss reports is severe. Without a line loss report, MCI does not know to stop billing the customer. Therefore, the customer is billed by both MCI and the customer's new carrier.

7) Sharing of Information between Retail and Wholesale Units

If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Donna Canzano McNulty

cc: Cheryl Bulzca-Banks