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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Ron Jones, Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

06-00041

Re: Notification of the Name Change of MCI Communications Services, Inc. to MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services

Dear Chairman Jones:

MCI, LLC ("MCI"), on behalf of its subsidiary, MCI Communications Services, Inc. ("MCICS"), hereby respectfully notifies the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority") of MCICS's name change to "MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services" (the "Name Change"). The Name Change reflects the d/b/a designation MCICS will use in the market.

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. 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 Authority. Through various operating subsidiaries, including MCICS, MCI provides international and domestic interstate, intrastate and local telecommunications services.

Under an Agreement and Plan of Merger between Verizon Communications Inc. ("Verizon") and MCI, Inc. ("the Agreement"), on January 6, 2006 MCI, Inc. was merged with and into ELI Acquisition, LLC, which was renamed MCI, LLC, and as a result MCI is now a wholly owned subsidiary of Verizon. The Name Change reflects MCICS's new corporate ownership and its Verizon Business brand for its dealings with enterprise and other business customers.

B. Contact Information

Correspondence concerning this notification may be directed to:

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With a copy to:

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C. Certification and the Name Change

MCI currently has the following subsidiaries certificated in Tennessee: (i) MCICS; (ii) MCI Network Services, Inc.; (iii) MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC; (iv) Teleconnect Long Distance Services & Systems, Co.; 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 certificate of public convenience and necessity held by MCICS to reflect the Name Change to “MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services.” MCICS will continue to provide telecommunications services in Tennessee. As the Name Change is completed, MCI will file revised tariff sheets as appropriate in connection with the Name Change. These tariff changes will not revise the rates, terms or conditions of any services currently offered. MCI has completed the process of amending MCICS’s qualification documents in Tennessee to accomplish the Name Change (see the enclosed acknowledgement of filing by the Secretary of State’s Division of Business Services).

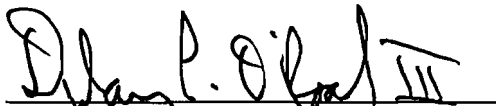
D. Effect of the Name Change

The Name Change will have no impact on customers or services. The Name Change simply provides an outward reflection of MCICS's new corporate ownership and branding for enterprise and business customers. No residential or small business customers will be impacted by the Name Change. Affected enterprise and business customers have already received notice of the Name Change (see the enclosed notices sent to MCICS's customers).

E. Conclusion

MCI respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience, and necessity would be furthered by this Name Change. An original and the requisite number of copies of this notification and \$25.00 filing fee are enclosed. MCI respectfully requests that the Authority date stamp the enclosed extra copy of this filing and return it in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Further information regarding the Name Changes is available at the request of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Marsha Ward
Aneitra Jones
Sandy Chandler

Enclosures

Please forward promptly to your telecom manager



MCI AND VERIZON – NOW WORKING TOGETHER FOR YOU!

We are proud to announce that MCI and Verizon are now operating as a combined company—bringing you all the advantages of MCI's outstanding IP network, data and long distance services along with Verizon's comprehensive local and wireless services. This insert and the enclosed invoice present our proud new logo.

Also in this invoice, customers who use the MCI Advantage product suite may notice that it is now known as Verizon Voice over IP. This popular suite of VoIP services includes Verizon Hosted IP Centrex, IP Trunking, IP Integrated Access, IP Flexible T1, and Managed IP PBX. In addition, MCI Business Services I and II will soon be known as Verizon Business Services I and II, and future invoices may reflect additional product name updates.

Similarly, our online web portals will be accessible through new web addresses, although the addresses you are accustomed to using will remain active for the near term. Please make note of these new addresses:

- The Service Publication and Price Guide, where products and pricing are posted for your convenience, is now available at www.verizonbusiness.com/guide.
- The corporate website you may have formerly accessed at www.mci.com is now available at www.verizonbusiness.com
- In addition, your online portal to dozens of useful tools and self-service applications will be known as the Verizon Business Customer Center, and will soon be available at a new address. Meanwhile, you may continue to use the current web address until further notice.

We'll be sharing more exciting details in the next few months. In the meantime:

- You may continue to make payments to MCI.
- All current contracts and service agreements remain in effect.
- The toll-free numbers by which you are accustomed to reaching us remain valid.

Our employees and management are delighted to be part of the new Verizon, and to know that we will draw from the best of both teams to serve you in new and better ways for years to come.

Thank you for being a valued customer.

We appreciate your business.

Please forward promptly to your telecom manager



Watch For A Verizon Invoice Next Month!

As you may be aware due to recent news coverage of our merger, MCI and Verizon will soon be operating as a combined company—bringing you all the advantages of MCI's outstanding IP network, data and long distance services along with Verizon's industry-leading local and wireless services. We'll be sharing more exciting details in the next few months as plans are finalized.

In the meantime, your upcoming monthly MCI invoice will proudly bear the Verizon logo, replacing the MCI logo you are accustomed to seeing.

Please be aware of this change to avoid inadvertently discarding your next invoice because our new logo is unfamiliar. No other aspect of your billing, rates, or services will be affected by this change.

Thank you for being a valued customer.

We appreciate your business.

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

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801 Adlai Stevenson Drive
Springfield, IL 62703
217-544-5900
217-492-2727 (Fax)

Matter# Not Provided

Project Id :

Additional Reference :

Order# 733216-10

Order Date 12/01/2005

Entity Name :

VERIZON ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES

Jurisdiction :

TN-Secretary of State

Request for :

Fictitious or Assumed Name Filing

File# :

0352495

File date :

12/13/2005

Result :

Filed

Ordered by LINDSAY B. KRAUSE at MCI, INC.

Thank you for using CSC. For real-time 24 hour access to the status of any order placed with CSC, access our website at www.incspot.com.

If you have any questions concerning this order or IncSpot, please feel free to contact us.

Susan Enstrom
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Secretary of State
Division of Business Services
312 Eighth Avenue North
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

DATE: 12/14/05
REQUEST NUMBER: 5627-1871
TELEPHONE CONTACT: (615) 741-2286
FILE DATE/TIME: 12/13/05 1108
EFFECTIVE DATE/TIME:
CONTROL NUMBER: 0352495

TO:
CSC USC
801 ADLAI STEVENSON
DR
SPRINGFIELD, IL 62703

RE:
VERIZON ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES
APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ASSUMED NAME -
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

THIS WILL ACKNOWLEDGE THE FILING OF THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT WITH AN EFFECTIVE
DATE AS INDICATED ABOVE.

WHEN CORRESPONDING WITH THIS OFFICE OR SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS FOR FILING, PLEASE
REFER TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY CONTROL NUMBER GIVEN ABOVE.

FOR: APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ASSUMED NAME -
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

ON DATE: 12/14/05

FROM:
CSC (801 ADLAI STEVENSON DRIVE)
801 ADLAI STEVENSON-
DRIVE
SPRINGFIELD, IL 62703-4261

RECEIVED: FEES \$20.00 \$0.00
TOTAL PAYMENT RECEIVED: \$20.00

RECEIPT NUMBER: 00003830249
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 00436146

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SECRETARY OF STATE



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APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION
OF ASSUMED
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STATE OF TENNESSEE
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RILEY DARNELL
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Pursuant to the provisions of § 48-207-101 (d) of the Tennessee Limited Liability Company Act, the undersigned Limited Liability Company hereby submits this application:

1. The true name of the Limited Liability Company is: MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC

2. The state or country of organization is: Delaware

3. The Limited Liability Company intends to transact business under an assumed Limited Liability Company name.

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4. The assumed Limited Liability Company name the Limited Liability Company proposes to use is:

Verizon Access Transmission Services

NOTE: The assumed Limited Liability Company name must meet the requirements of § 48-207-101 of the Tennessee Limited Liability Company Act.

12/08/05

Signature Date

Secretary

Signer's Capacity

MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC
Name of Limited Liability Company

Jennifer C. McGarvey
Signature

Jennifer C. McGarvey
Name (typed or printed)

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Additional Reference :

Order# 733216-5
Order Date 12/01/2005

Entity Name : VERIZON BUSINESS SERVICES

Jurisdiction : TN-Secretary of State

Request for : Fictitious or Assumed Name Filing
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TO:
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SPRINGFIELD, IL 62703

RE:
VERIZON BUSINESS SERVICES
APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ASSUMED CORPORATE
NAME

THIS WILL ACKNOWLEDGE THE FILING OF THE ATTACHED ASSUMED NAME
REGISTRATION FOR A FIVE YEAR PERIOD BEGINNING WITH AN EFFECTIVE DATE AS
INDICATED ABOVE.

THE CORPORATION MAY RENEW THE RIGHT TO USE THIS NAME WITHIN TWO
(2) MONTHS PRECEDING THE EXPIRATION OF SUCH RIGHT, FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (5)
YEARS, BY FILING AN APPLICATION WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

~~WHEN CORRESPONDING WITH THIS OFFICE OR SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS FOR~~
FILING, PLEASE REFER TO THE CORPORATION CONTROL NUMBER GIVEN ABOVE.

FOR: APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ASSUMED CORPORATE ON DATE: 12/14/05
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RILEY GARNELL
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 48-14-101(d) of the Tennessee Business Corporation Act or Section 48-54-101(d) of the Tennessee Nonprofit Corporation Act, the undersigned corporation hereby submits this application:

1. The true name of the corporation is MCI Communications Services, Inc.
2. The state or country of incorporation is Delaware
3. The corporation intends to transact business in Tennessee under an assumed corporate name.
4. The assumed corporate name the corporation proposes to use is Verizon Business Services

[NOTE: The assumed corporate name must meet the requirements of Section 48-14-101 of the Tennessee Business Corporation Act or Section 48-54-101 of the Tennessee Nonprofit Corporation Act.]

12/08/05
Signature Date

MCI Communications Services, Inc.
Name of Corporation

Secretary
Signer's Capacity

Jennifer C. McGarey
Signature

Jennifer C. McGarey
Name (typed or printed)

FAX

Date: 10/20/05

Number of pages including cover sheet: 2

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Mr. Andrew Clubok, Esq.

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Richard Collier

REMARKS:
comment

☐ Urgent

☐ For your review

☐ Reply ASAP

☐ Please

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Ron Jones, Chairman
Deborah Taylor Tate, Director
Pat Miller, Director
Sara Kyle, Director



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October 20, 2005

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RE: Petition for Approval of Verizon Communications Inc.'s Acquisition of MCI, Inc.
Docket No. 05-00066

Mr. Murphy and Mr. Clubok:

During the August 22, 2005 Authority Conference, the above-referenced petition was considered and approved by the voting panel of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority assigned to this docket. An Order memorializing this decision will follow shortly. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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