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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
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Re: MCI, Inc., Notice of Name Change Under Section 63.21(i)

Policy Division
International Bureau

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On January 25, 2006, Verizon Communications Inc. (“Verizon”) notified the Commission that its acquisition of MCI, Inc. (“MCI”) had closed on January 6, 2006.¹ As described in the applications for approval of the acquisition, the closing was effectuated by the merger of MCI with a wholly-owned subsidiary of Verizon.² As required by Section 63.21(i) of the Commission’s rules, this letter advises the Commission that the merged entity, which now holds the FCC authorizations formerly held by MCI, Inc, changed its name to MCI, LLC concurrently with the closing.³ The file numbers for the affected licenses and authorizations are listed in Attachment A.

¹ See Letter from Karen Zacharia, VERIZON, to Marlene Dortch, Secretary, FCC, Re: Notification of Consummation of Transfer of Control of Licenses and Authorizations, WC Docket No. 05-75 (filed Jan. 25, 2006).

² This *pro forma* merger of MCI with Verizon’s wholly-owned subsidiary was previously approved as part of Verizon’s acquisition of MCI in the *Verizon-MCI Order*. *Verizon Communications Inc. and MCI, Inc. Applications for Approval of Transfer of Control*, Memorandum Opinion and Order, WC Docket No. 05-65, FCC 05-184 (rel. Nov. 17, 2005) ¶ 9 (“*Verizon-MCI Order*”). However, if the Commission deems it necessary, Verizon respectfully requests that the FCC treat this letter as the required notification of the *pro forma* assignment of MCI, Inc.’s cable landing licenses and international section 214 authorizations to MCI, LLC under Sections 1.767(g)(7) and 63.24(d) of the Commission’s rules. Verizon certifies that the assignment was *pro forma*, as defined in Section 63.24 of the Commission’s rules, and, together with all previous *pro forma* transactions, did not result in a change of MCI, LLC’s ultimate control.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 63.21(i).

Please contact the undersigned with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENT A

International Section 214 Authorizations

Authorization Type or Service Provided	FCC ID Numbers	Date Granted
General Section 214 Authorizations		
Facilities-Based excluding Israel	ITC-214-19961212-00626	1/31/97
Facilities-Based Israel	ITC-214-19961231-00659	5/23/97

The following 214s were originally held by WILTEL Inc. and WILTEL International, Inc. They were transferred to LDDS Communications, Inc., which changed its name to WorldCom, Inc. in 1995. They were then transferred to MCI, Inc. in 2004.

Resale of IMTS	ITC-88-077	4/29/88
Houston Network IMTS resale	ITC-89-68-AL	5/26/89
Private line Service to Canada	ITC-90-166 ITC-90-196(A)	5/3/91
Vvxx IMTS Resale Authorization	ITC-92-034-AL	12/9/91
WITel Int'l IMTS Resale Authorization	ITC-94-092	3/16/94
Private Line Service to Canada	ITC-93-283-AL	10/6/93
Private Line Resale to 48 Countries	ITC-93-281	3/8/94
Private Line Resale to 17 Countries	ITC-94-292	8/17/94
Resale of Public Switched Services	ITC-94-090	2/23/94
Private Line Service to the UK	ITC-93-320	3/22/95
IMTS and Private Line to Cuba	ITC-94-229	
Section 214 Authorizations for Cable and Satellite Facilities		
Satellite and Cable Facilities Cuba	ITC-94-227	10/5/94

Submarine Cable Landing Licenses†

<u>Cable System</u>	<u>FCC ID Number</u>
PAN AMERICAN	SCL-LIC-19970421-00002
Japan-US	SCL-LIC-19981117-00025
Americas II	SCL-LIC-19980429-00019
Guam-Philippines	SCL-LIC-19980511-00017
MAYA-1	SCL-LIC-19990325-00006
TAT-14	SCL-LIC-19990303-00004

†MCI's licenses in the Japan-US, MAYA-1 and TAT-14 cable systems were previously held by WorldCom, Inc., and MCI WorldCom, Inc.