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Ex Parte

Marlene H. Dortch - Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Applications for Consent to Transfer Control of Filed by Verizon Communications, Inc. and MCI, Inc., WC Docket No. 05-75

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Yesterday, Dee May, Ed Shakin, Karen Zacharia and the undersigned of Verizon and Curtis Groves and Alan Buzacott of MCI met with Gail Cohen, Bill Dever, Ben Childers, Pam Megna and Rodger Woock of the Wireline Competition Bureau; Anthony Bush, Jim Bird and Joel Rabinovitz of the Office of General Counsel; Erin McGrath and Dennis Johnson of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau; Kate Collins of the International Bureau and Jonathan Levy of the Office of Strategic Policy and Planning Analysis to discuss the above proceeding. Verizon and MCI reviewed the geographic service area where they provide service and the services they provide in each area. Specifically reviewed was Section 10(d) of Exhibit 5 of the Application. All issues discussed were consistent with the record. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ann D. Berkowitz".

cc: Gail Cohen
Bill Dever
Anthony Bush
Jim Bird
Ben Childers
Joel Rabinovitz
Kate Collins
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