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VIA ECFS

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Oral Ex Parte Presentation: Verizon Communications, Inc. and MCI, Inc.  
Applications for Approval of Transfer of Control, WC Docket No. 05-75

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 5, 2005, I spoke by telephone with Tom Navin of the Wireline Competition Bureau to discuss issues associated with the Initial Information and Document Request that was subsequently sent to MCI and Verizon later that same day. Separately, also on May 5, 2005, I left a voice mail message for Bill Dever of the Wireline Competition Bureau on the same matter.

MCI apologizes for inadvertently failing to file notice of these conversations on May 6.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Curtis L. Groves".

Copies: Bill Dever  
Tom Navin