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Re: Case No. TO-2000-261

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find for filing with the Commission an original and fifteen copies of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC's, Brooks Fiber Communications of Missouri, Inc.'s and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.'s Application for Participation Without Intervention. Upon your receipt, please file stamp the extra copy received and return to the undersigned in the enclosed, self-addressed, stamped envelope. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,


Carl J. Lumley

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Enclosures

cc. Parties of Records (W/Enclosures)

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BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of)
SBC Advanced Solutions, Inc., for)
approval of its Interconnection Agreement)
with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.)
Under 47 U.S.C. § 252(a)(1) and (i0)

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MCIMETRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES, LLC'S,
BROOKS FIBER COMMUNICATIONS OF MISSOURI, INC.'S AND
MCI WORLDCOM COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S
APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION
WITHOUT INTERVENTION

Come now MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC (MCImetro), Brooks Fiber Communications of Missouri, Inc., (Brooks) and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. (MCIWC) and for their Application for Participation Without Intervention state to the Commission:

1. MCImetro is a Delaware limited liability company in good standing duly authorized to conduct business in Missouri with regulatory offices at 701 Brazos, Suite 600, Austin, Texas 78701. MCImetro is authorized as a competitive local exchange carrier under certificate granted and tariffs approved by the Commission.

2. Brooks is a Delaware corporation in good standing duly authorized to conduct business in Missouri with regulatory offices at 701 Brazos, Suite 600, Austin, Texas 78701. Brooks is authorized as a competitive local exchange carrier under certificate granted and tariffs approved by the Commission.

3. MCIWC is a Delaware corporation in good standing formerly known as WorldCom Technologies, Inc., and is authorized to conduct business in Missouri with regulatory offices at 701 Brazos, Suite 600, Austin, Texas 78701. MCIWC is authorized as a competitive local exchange carrier under certificate granted and tariffs approved by the Commission.

4. All communications and pleadings in this case should be directed to:

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5. On or about September 30, 1999, SBC Advanced Solutions, Inc. (SBC) filed its Application for Approval of its Interconnection Agreement with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Under 47 U.S.C. § 252(a)(1) and (i). On or about October 7, 1999, the Commission issued its Order and Notice setting a participation without intervention deadline of October 27, 1999. MCImetro, Brooks and MCIWC seek leave to late-file this application. They were unaware of the deadline due to personnel absence. Such late filing will not prejudice any party or the public interest. There is good cause to grant this late application to allow a full exploration of the issues raised by this very unique application, by which the SBC companies seek to implement the conditions of the FCC's order approving the SBC/Ameritech merger.

6. MCImetro, Brooks, and MCIWC seek to participate in this proceeding because the Commission's decision may adversely affect MCImetro's, Brooks' and MCIWC's interests as providers of telecommunications services, including as CLECs. MCImetro, Brooks, and MCIWC

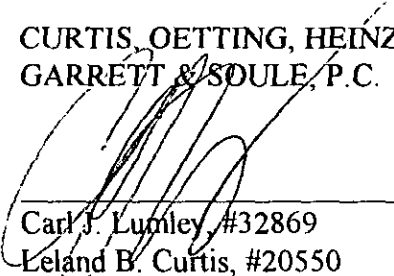
neither support nor oppose SBC's application at this time, as they have not been provided sufficient information yet.

7. MCImetro's, Brooks', and MCIWC's interests as telecommunications companies are different from those of the general public. Furthermore, MCImetro's, Brook's and MCIWC's participation in this proceeding is in the public interest because of MCImetro's, Brook's, and MCIWC's interests in enhancing competition and because of their expertise in the telecommunications industry.

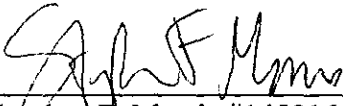
WHEREFORE, MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC, Brooks Fiber Communications of Missouri, Inc., and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. respectfully request the Commission to issue its order granting their Application for Participation Without Intervention.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

A true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon the parties identified on the attached service list on this 30 day of November, 19 96, by placing same in the U.S. Mail, postage paid.



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