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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Dale H. Roberts
Executive Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street, Suite 100
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

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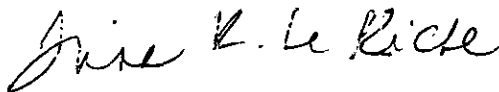
RE: Joint Application of Claricom Networks, Inc., Claricom Holdings, Inc., Staples, Inc.,
Stacom Holdings, LLC, and Platinum Equity, LLC for Approval of the Transfer of
Stock in Claricom Holdings, Inc. to Stacom Holdings, Inc.
Case No. TM-2001-669

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Please find enclosed the original and nine copies of the Request of Applicants for an Extension of Time to Comply with Order Directing Filing of Change of Name. Thank you in advance for bringing this Request to the Commission's attention.

By copy of this letter, I have served two copies of the same to the Office of Public Counsel and one copy to the Office of General Counsel. I have also enclosed a return envelope to send a stamped copy back to me.

Very truly yours,



Trina R. LeRiche

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Enclosures

cc: Office of the Public Counsel (w/encls.)
Office of the General Counsel (w/encls.)

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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**REQUEST OF APPLICANTS FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
TO COMPLY WITH ORDER DIRECTING FILING OF CHANGE OF NAME**

Claricom Networks, Inc. ("Claricom Networks") requests an extension of time to comply with the Commission's December 13, 2001 Order Directing Filing. In support of this request, Claricom Networks states as follows:

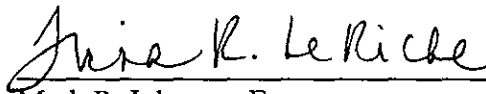
1. A Joint Application for Approval of the Transfer of Stock in Claricom Holdings, Inc. to Stacom Holdings, Inc. was filed on June 7, 2001.
2. After numerous filings, the Public Service Commission of the State of Missouri (the "Commission") on November 15, 2001, issued an Order Granting Motion to Approve Transfer of Stock.
3. On December 13, 2001, the Commission issued an Order Directing Filing of Change of Name. This Order requires Claricom Networks to file an Application for a change of name under 4 CSR 240-2.060(16) on or before March 1, 2002.
4. Claricom Networks is actively resolving administrative matters surrounding the change of name process with the State of Missouri. The resolution of these administrative matters are prerequisites to withdrawing the current corporation and registering the new limited liability company. Once these matters have been finalized, Claricom Networks will promptly comply with the Commission's Order Directing Filing of Change of Name.

5. Based on the above, Claricom Networks hereby requests an extension of time up to and including August 1, 2002, in which to comply with the Order Directing Filing of Change of Name.

WHEREFORE, Claricom Networks requests an extension of time up to and including August 1, 2002, in which to comply with the Order Directing Filing of Change of Name.

Respectfully Submitted,

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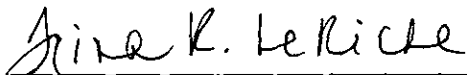
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this 28th day of February, 2002, two true and correct copies of the above and foregoing was mailed, postage prepaid, to:

Office of Public Counsel
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P.O. Box 7800
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With one copy being mailed postage prepaid, on the same date to:

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