

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of MCI, Inc., for)
Approval of Name Changes and Tariff Adoption)
Notices for MCI WorldCom Communications,) Case No. TN-2006-0014
Inc., to MCI Communications, Services, Inc., and)
MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc., to MCI)
Network Services, Inc.)

STAFF'S STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and states:

1. On July 13, 2005, MCI, Inc., on behalf of its subsidiaries, MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc., and MCI WorldCom Network Services, Inc. filed a pleading titled Application for Approval of Name Change and Tariff Adoption Notices.

2. On August 3, 2005, the Commission directed the Staff to file its recommendation and memorandum in this matter no later than August 5, 2005.

3. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.060 (5) states:

(5) A name change may be accomplished by filing the items below with a cover letter requesting a change of name. Notwithstanding any other provision of these rules, the items required herein may be filed by a non-attorney. Applications for approval of a change of name shall include:

- (A) A statement, clearly setting out both the old name and the new name;
- (B) Evidence of registration of the name change with the Missouri Secretary of State; and
- (C) Either an adoption notice and revised tariff title sheet with an effective date which is not fewer than thirty (30) days after the filing date of the application, or revised tariff sheets with an effective date which is not fewer than thirty (30) days after the filing date of the application

4. The Application does not comply with subsection (5)(C). The Application contains neither an adoption notice and revised tariff title sheet nor revised tariff sheets.

5. On July 18, 2005, the Staff notified the Applicant of the requirement of subsection (5)(C). The Applicant filed name change tariff sheets today, August 5, 2005, with an effective date of September 5, 2005.

WHEREFORE, the Staff requests the Commission to accept this Status Report in lieu of a recommendation and memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 5th day of August, 2005.

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