

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of MCI TELE-)
COMMUNICATIONS CORP.(through Verizon) DOCKET NO. 84-095-02
Business) to Cancel its Certificate) ORDER CANCELLING
) CERTIFICATE

ISSUED: April 10, 2006

Previously in this docket, on November 16, 1984, the Commission issued to MCI Telecommunications Corporation a certificate to operate and provide telecommunications services in the State of Utah; Certificate No. 2142. As part of a corporate reorganization and restructuring, MCI Telecommunications Corporation became MCI WorldCom Network Services, see PSC Docket No. 99-095-01 and Commission Order issued September 8, 1999. Subsequently, by letter dated July 20, 2005, MCI WorldCom Network Services informed the Commission that it was changing its name to MCI Network Services. MCI Network Services was acquired by Verizon Communications Incorporated through Verizon Communications Incorporated's 2005 acquisition of MCI, Incorporated, and its subsidiaries and affiliates. Verizon Communications Incorporated informs the Commission that MCI, Incorporated, was merged into MCI, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Verizon Communications Incorporated, which, along with other MCI, LLC, business units and other business owned by Verizon Communications Incorporated, is called Verizon Business. By letter dated march 1, 2006, Verizon Business requests the Commission to cancel the 1984 certificated originally issued to MCI Telecommunications Corporation. Verizon Business states that this "request is part of an effort . . . to streamline its business operations in a manner that will simplify administrative requirements for the company, regulators and customers."

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No opposition to Verizon Business' requests has been made, as of this date, and we anticipate that no opposition will be made, hence we convert this proceeding to an informal matter pursuant to Utah Administrative Rule R746-110. Based upon Verizon Business' request and the information provided and our review of our prior dockets, we conclude that the certificate may be cancelled. Wherefore, we enter the following ORDER:

1. The Certificate originally given to MCI Telecommunications Corporation, on November 16, 1984, in this docket shall be cancelled.
2. Any person may file a protest to this order and our decision made herein within 20 days of its issuance date. The Commission will recognize a meritorious protest by a subsequent order suspending this Order.
3. If no meritorious protest is filed within 20 days, this Order shall become final and effective on the 21st day following its issuance without further hearing or order of the Commission and shall constitute the Commission's final order on the March 1, 2006, request to cancel the certificate.

Agency Review and Judicial Appeal

Pursuant to Utah Code 63-46b-12 and 54-7-15, agency review or rehearing of a final order may be obtained by filing a request for review or rehearing with the Commission within 30 days after the issuance or effective date of the order. Responses to a request for agency review or rehearing must be filed within 15 days of the filing of the request for review or rehearing. If the Commission fails to grant a request for review or rehearing within 20 days after the filing of a request for review or rehearing, it is deemed denied. Judicial review of the Commission's final

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agency action may be obtained by filing a Petition for Review with the Utah Supreme Court within 30 days after final agency action. Any Petition for Review must comply with the requirements of Utah Code 63-46b-14, 63-46b-16 and the Utah Rules of Appellate Procedure.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 10th day of April, 2006.

/s/ Ric Campbell, Chairman

/s/ Ted Boyer, Commissioner

/s/ Ron Allen, Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Julie Orchard
Commission Secretary
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