

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-3036
Worldcom, Inc. of Denver,)
Colorado, seeking authority to) GRANTED
change its corporate name to)
MCI, Inc.) Entered: November 25, 2003

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 15, 2003, Worldcom, Inc. (Worldcom) of Denver, Colorado filed an application seeking authority to change its corporate name to MCI, Inc. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on October 17, 2003. No protests were filed; therefore, we process this application pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

Worldcom, a publicly-held Georgia corporation, is the ultimate parent company for several certified telecommunication entities subject to the jurisdiction of the Nebraska Public Service Commission. The affected subsidiaries are Metropolitan Fiber Systems of Nebraska, Inc. (MFS), MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC (MCImetro) and MCI Worldcom Communications, Inc. (MCI Worldcom.) MFS, MCImetro and MCI Worldcom received approval from the Secretary of State to operate in Nebraska.

Currently, Worldcom is reorganizing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act. As part of its reorganization. Worldcom will emerge as MCI, Inc., a publicly-held Delaware corporation. Further, subsidiaries of Worldcom will be restructured. MFS and MCI Worldcom's local service, but not the long distance authority, will be merged into MCImetro. MCImetro will emerge as the surviving local service entity. MCI Worldcom will continue to hold its long distance authority. MFS and MCI Worldcom have no local customers or revenues in the state of Nebraska.

The restructuring will be seamless and transparent to Worldcom's Nebraska subsidiaries and to its subsidiaries' customers. The entities holding certificates with the state of Nebraska will remain unchanged.

Upon consideration of the application, the governing statutes and rules, and being fully informed, the Commission is of the opinion the application should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-3036 be, and it is hereby, granted and Worldcom, Inc., is authorized to change its name to MCI, Inc. pursuant to emerging from Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act as MCI, Inc., a Delaware Corporation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Metropolitan Fiber Systems of Nebraska, Inc.; MCImetro Access Transmission, LLC; and MCI Worldcom Communications, Inc.; are hereby authorized to reorganize in the manner described above.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 25th day of November, 2003.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director