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Via USPS Delivery

Talina Mathews
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

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**RE: MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC's Notice of
Corporate Restructuring and Name Change**

Dear Ms. Mathews:

MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("MCImetro LLC") respectfully notifies the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") of (1) its name change to MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp. d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("MCImetro Corp.") as the result of its planned conversion from a limited liability company to a corporation; and (2) its corporate restructuring that merged MCImetro Access Transmission Services of Massachusetts, Inc. ("MCImetro Mass") into MCImetro Corp., leaving MCImetro Corp. as the surviving entity. Verizon Communications Inc. ("Verizon"), the ultimate parent of both companies, completed the restructuring on October 31, 2016.

MCImetro LLC is a Delaware limited liability company certificated as a competitive local exchange carrier in Kentucky that provides local exchange services throughout most of the United States. Its affiliate, MCImetro Mass, is a Georgia corporation that provides service only in the state of Massachusetts. MCImetro Mass does not operate, nor is it certificated, in the state of Kentucky.

MCImetro LLC converted from a limited liability company to a corporation and changed the company's name to MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp. The conversion from a limited liability company to a corporation enabled MCImetro Corp. to acquire MCImetro Mass through

merger, thus simplifying Verizon's corporate structure. After the restructuring, MCImetro Corp. is the surviving entity. MCImetro Corp. provides service in 48 states (including Massachusetts) and in the District of Columbia, and no separate MCImetro entity serves just Massachusetts.

The restructuring did not result in a change to the rates, terms, and conditions of the services that MCImetro LLC offers to customers. The merger was seamless and transparent to customers, who will continue to be served in the same manner as they were prior to the restructuring. MCImetro Corp. continues to be a wholly owned Verizon subsidiary and retains all of the managerial, technical and financial resources that were available to MCImetro LLC. MCImetro Corp. will continue to conduct business in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and Commission orders. The restructuring therefore will not affect the operations of MCImetro LLC and will be transparent to customers. Copies of the applicable Secretary of State certificates for this transaction are attached.

MCImetro LLC sent its customers notices of the restructuring in September informing its customers of the name change and merger of MCImetro Corp. and MCImetro Mass.

Any questions you may have regarding this notice should be directed to my attention at 304-356-3194 or via email at Kathy.L.Buckley@verizon.com.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Attachments

Untitled

DOCUMENT TRANSMITTAL

DATE: 11-09-2016
FROM: CT CORP-DE
REF: MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC

MESSAGE:

Please see attached paperwork on the above referenced entity.
If you have any questions regarding this transmittal, please
do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for this opportunity to be of service to you and
your firm

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Amended Certificate of Authority
(Foreign Business Entity)

FCA

Pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter KRS 14A and 271B, 273, 274, 275, 362 or 386 the undersigned hereby applies for an amended certificate of authority on behalf of the entity named below and, for that purpose, submits the following statements:

1. The business entity is:
- profit corporation (KRS 271B).
 - professional service corporation (KRS 274).
 - limited liability company (KRS 275).
 - professional limited liability company (KRS 275).
 - nonprofit corporation (KRS 273).
 - business trust (KRS 386).
 - limited partnership (KRS 362).

2. The name of the company is: MCI metro Access Transmission Services LLC
(The name must be identical to the name on record with the Secretary of State.)

3. It is an entity organized and existing under the laws of the state or country of Delaware

4. The entity received authority to transact business in Kentucky on 12/27/2002

5. The entity has changed its (check all that apply)

- Domicile name to MCI metro Access Transmission services corp
- Name to be used in Kentucky to _____
- Jurisdiction of organization to _____
- Period of duration _____
- Form of organization LLC to corp

6. This application will be effective upon filing, unless a delayed effective date and/or time is provided. The effective date or the delayed effective date cannot be prior to the date the application is filed. The date and/or time is _____
(Delayed effective date and/or time)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.

Russell G. Wood, Jr. Russell G. Wood, Jr. Authorized Rep. 11/1/2016
Signature of Authorized Representative Printed Name Title Date

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "MCIMETRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES CORP." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE SECOND DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2016.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CORPORATION IS A NON-STOCK CORPORATION.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



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SR# 20166466463

You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml

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