

March 16, 2004

VIA US MAIL AND E-MAIL

Carol J. Washburn
Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: *MCIMETRO Access Transmission Services, Inc., v.
U S West Communications, Inc.*
Docket No. UT-971063

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 12 copies of MCI's Notice of Withdrawal and Substitution of Counsel. Copies of this document have also been sent to all parties on the attached Certificate of Service via the method(s) indicated.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

ATER WYNNE LLP



Susan Arellano
Secretary to Arthur A. Butler

Enclosures

cc: Parties of Record

[Service date: 3/16/04]

BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

MCIMETRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION
SERVICES, INC.,

Complainant,

v.

U S WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.,

Respondent.

Docket No. UT-971063

**MCI'S NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL
AND SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL**

TO: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission;

AND TO: All Parties of Record

YOU AND EACH OF YOU PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Brooks Harlow, of the law firm of Miller Nash LLP, whose address is stated below, hereby withdraws as counsel of record for Complainant MCIMetro Access Transmission Services, Inc., a regulated subsidiary of WorldCom, Inc. (now known as MCI).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that Arthur A. Butler, of the law firm of Ater Wynne LLP, and Michel Singer Nelson, of MCI, whose addresses are stated below, are hereby substituted as counsel of record for Complainant.

COPIES OF ALL FURTHER PAPERS AND PROCEEDINGS herein, except original process, shall be served upon the substituted counsel of record herein. This Notice of Withdrawal and Substitution of Counsel is effective immediately.

DATED this 12th day of March, 2004.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this 16th day of March, 2004, served the true and correct original, along with the correct number of copies, of the foregoing document upon the WUTC, via the method(s) noted below, properly addressed as follows:

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I hereby certify that I have this 16th day of March, 2004, served a true and correct copy of the foregoing document upon parties of record, via the method(s) noted below, properly addressed as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 16th day of March, 2004, at Seattle, Washington.

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