

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Joint Application of, ) DOCKET NO. UT-050814  
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VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC., )  
and MCI, INC )  
) Notice of Appearance of,  
For Approval of Agreement and Plan of )  
Merger. ) John O'Rourke  
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1. Pursuant to WAC § 480-07-345(2), John O'Rourke, Director of the Citizens Utility Alliance of Washington submits this Notice of Appearance in the above-captioned proceeding as representative for the Citizens Utility Alliance of Washington.

Dated this 16th of June, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all parties of record in these proceedings by mailing a copy properly addressed with first class postage prepaid.

Dated this 16th day of June, 2005.

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