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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.					
1. Name of conveying party(ies): WorldCom, Inc.		2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) Name: MCI, Inc. Internal Address: _____ _____ _____ Street Address: 22001 Loudon County _____ _____ City: Ashburn State: VA Zip: 20147			
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
3. Nature of conveyance: <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change of Name <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		Execution Date: April 19, 2004			
4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: _____ A. Patent Application No.(s) 09/397,588 B. Patent No.(s) _____ Additional numbers attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Michael A. Wrenn Internal Address: 9854/003 _____ _____ Street Address: 1133 19th Street NW _____ _____ City: Washington State: DC Zip: 20036		6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: 13-2491 (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)			
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## *The First State*

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

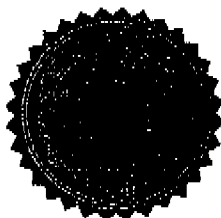
"WORLDCOM, INC.", A GEORGIA CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "MCI, INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "MCI, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE NINETEENTH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2004, AT 5:23 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP IS THE TWENTIETH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2004, AT 6 O'CLOCK A.M.

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*Harriet Smith Windsor*  
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

DATE: 04-27-04

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Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
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## CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER

of

WORLDCom, INC.  
(a Georgia corporation)

into

MCI, INC.  
(a Delaware corporation)

pursuant to

Section 253 of the General Corporation Law  
of the State of Delaware

Pursuant to Sections 253 and 303 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "DGCL"), MCI, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("MCI"), hereby certifies the following information relating to the merger of WorldCom, Inc., a Georgia corporation ("WorldCom"), with and into its wholly owned subsidiary MCI (the "Merger").

1. The names and states of incorporation of MCI and WorldCom, which are the constituent corporations in the Merger, are:

Name	State
MCI, Inc.	Delaware
WorldCom, Inc.	Georgia

2. WorldCom owns all of the issued and outstanding stock of MCI.

3. On July 21, 2002, WorldCom, Inc. and certain of its direct and indirect subsidiaries filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court") (Case No. 02-13533 (AJG)). The Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated April 19, 2004, by and between WorldCom and MCI (the "Agreement of Merger") has been duly adopted by MCI in accordance with and pursuant to the authority granted to MCI under Section 303 of the DGCL and the Modified Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code of WorldCom, *et al.* (the "Plan"), as confirmed on October 31, 2003 by order (the "Order") of the Bankruptcy Court. The Agreement of Merger has been duly adopted by WorldCom in accordance with and pursuant to the authority granted to WorldCom under the Plan. Provision for the making of the Certificate of Ownership and Merger and the Agreement of Merger is contained in the Order of the Bankruptcy Court having jurisdiction under the Bankruptcy Code. Pursuant to the Plan

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and the Order, no board or stockholder approval is required to adopt the Agreement of Merger and to effectuate the merger contemplated therein.

4. The corporation surviving the Merger shall be MCI, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Surviving Corporation").

5. The Certificate of Incorporation of MCI shall be the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.

6. The executed Agreement of Merger is on file at the principal place of business of the Surviving Corporation at 22001 Loudoun County Parkway, Ashburn, Virginia 20147, Attention: Secretary.

7. A copy of the Agreement of Merger will be furnished by the Surviving Corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of MCI or stockholder of WorldCom.

8. The effective date and time of the merger shall be on April 20, 2004 at 6:00 a.m. (Eastern time) (the "Effective Time").

At the Effective Time, the authorized capital stock of MCI shall consist of 3,000,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share. Immediately prior to the Effective Time, the authorized capital stock of WorldCom shall consist of 4,850,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, all of which shall be extinguished after the Effective Time pursuant to the Plan.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, MCI, Inc. has caused this Certificate of  
Ownership and Merger to be executed on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004.

MCI, INC.  
(a Delaware corporation)

By: Robert T. Blakely  
Name: Robert T. Blakely  
Title: Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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