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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-1.2-402, 7-16-9 or 7-13-2 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, the undersigned business corporation, limited liability company, or limited partnership hereby submits the following statement for authority to transact business in the state of Rhode Island under a fictitious business name:

1. The legal name of the applicant business corporation, limited liability company or limited partnership is:
MCI Communications Services Inc.
2. The fictitious business name to be used is Verizon Business Services
3. The state or territory under the laws of which it is incorporated, organized or formed is Delaware
4. The date of incorporation, organization or formation is 01/03/1992
5. If a business corporation, the address of its registered office within Rhode Island is 222 Jefferson Boulevard Suite 200 Warwick, Rhode Island 02888
6. If a business corporation, the business in which it is engaged telecommunications services and products
7. Applicant is otherwise authorized to do business in the state of Rhode Island.

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the information contained herein is true and correct.

Date: 12/08/05

MCI Communications Services, Inc.
Name of Applicant Corporation, Limited Liability Company or Limited Partnership

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By [Signature]
Signature of Authorized Officer of the Corporation

or

By _____
Signature of Authorized Person for the Limited Liability Company

or

By _____
Signature of Authorized Person for the Limited Partnership