

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Petition of)
Bednarz and Cheryl Dwyer and Numerous)
Other Subscribers of the Dalton)
Exchange of Ameritech Ohio,)

Complainants,)

Case No. 93-1660-TP-PEX

v.)

Ameritech Ohio, United Telephone)
Company of Ohio, Wayne County)
Connection and Chester Simons, dba)
Starlink)

Respondents.)

In the Matter of the Petitions of John E.)
Johnson, Jr. and Numerous Other)
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v.)

Ameritech Ohio and Sprint/United)
Telephone Company of Ohio)

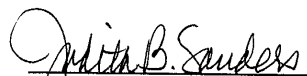
**MOTION OF MCI
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Now comes MCI Telecommunications Corporation (MCI), an interexchange carrier,
authorized to provide intrastate inter- and intraLATA telecommunications services, and hereby
respectfully requests that the Commission grant it an extension of time, until December 19, 1997,
within which to provide the calling statistics between the exchanges which MCI was ordered to

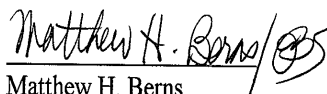
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provide by Entry dated October 17, 1997. A memorandum in support of this motion is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Respectfully submitted,



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**MEMORANDUM IN
SUPPORT OF MOTION
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By entry dated October 17, 1997 the attorney examiner ordered MCI and the IXC's to submit their calling statistics to the ILEC's by December 16, 1997. The ILEC's were ordered to

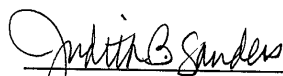
submit complied information on January 15, 1998.

Unfortunately, MCI will be unable to comply with the December 16, 1997 filing deadline due to technical difficulties with the computer program used to pull the calling information. MCI was optimistic that these difficulties could be overcome in time so that the information could be provide to the ILECs within the December 16, 1997 time frame. This has not come to pass, and an extension of time until December 19, 1997 has become necessary.

MCI is aware that its difficulties in retrieving the data may impact the ability of the ILECs to provide file their answers by the January 15, 1998 due date. While MCI does not wish to delay the progress of this case, MCI would also propose that the ILECs be given an extension of time within which to file their answers if MCI's delay in providing the information will make it impossible for those companies to comply with their deadlines.

MCI regrets that this extension has become necessary, and appreciates the co-operation of the parties to the proceeding and the attorney examiner in resolving the problems caused by the technical difficulties it is experiencing. MCI respectfully requests that its motion be granted forthwith.

Respectfully submitted,



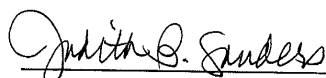
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CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion for Extension has been served on the parties listed below, via first-class U.S. mail, this 1st day of December, 1997.


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