

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINTS FILED)	CONTINUANCE OF
BY S&S COMMUNICATIONS AND LES)	HEARING
SUMPTION, ABERDEEN, SOUTH DAKOTA,)	
AGAINST MCIWORLD.COM REGARDING)	CT01-031
UNAUTHORIZED BILLING FOR SERVICES)	CT01-032

On June 12, 2002, the Commission issued an Order for and Notice of Hearing setting Dockets CT01-031 and CT01-032 for consolidated hearing on July 24, 2002.

On July 19, 2002, MCIWorldCom (MCI) requested a continuance of the hearing to accommodate witness scheduling conflicts. Complainant transmitted its agreement to such continuance on July 19, 2002, via an email filing. On July 21, 2002, MCI's parent corporation filed for protection under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act in the Southern District of New York, and this proceeding may currently be subject to the automatic stay of 11 U.S.C. §362.

The Commission finds there is good cause shown for continuing the hearing in this matter under ARSD 20:10:01:22.04 until the further order of the Commission.

It is therefore ORDERED that the hearing on Dockets CT01-031 and CT01-032 scheduled for July 24, 2002, at 8:30 a.m. is continued until the further order of the Commission.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 22nd day of July, 2002.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.
By: <u><i>Melaine Koels</i></u>
Date: <u>7/23/02</u>
(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

James A. Burg
JAMES A. BURG, Chairman

Pam Nelson
PAM NELSON, Commissioner

Robert K. Sahr
ROBERT K. SAHR, Commissioner