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<u>VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL</u>

April 10, 2006

Ms. Colleen M. Dale Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street P. O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

RE: Notification of the Name Change of ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc.

to DeltaCom, Inc.

Dear Ms. Dale:

ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc. hereby respectfully notifies the Missouri Public Service Commission (the "Commission") of the name change of ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc. to "DeltaCom, Inc." The name change is being undertaken to enable Applicant to simplify and to align its legal corporate name with how Applicant is today identified to, and recognized by, its customers and the general public and as furthered described below.

## A. Description of Applicant

Applicant is a corporation created and existing under the laws of the State of Alabama, with its principal office located at 7037 Old Madison Pike, Huntsville, Alabama. Applicant provides international and domestic interstate, intrastate and local telecommunications services. The Commission granted Applicant authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services under Case No. TA-97-216. Additional information about Applicant is available at <a href="https://www.deltacom.com">www.deltacom.com</a>.

www.itcdeltacom.com 800-239-3000

#### B. CONTACT INFORMATION

to:

Correspondence or communications concerning this notification may be directed

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### C. CORPORATE NAME CHANGE

On February 21, 2006, ITC^DeltaCom filed in the Probate Court of Marshall County, Alabama, an Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation changing its name to DeltaCom, Inc., as was duly approved by the company's Board of Directors. Adoption of DeltaCom, Inc. as Applicant's legal corporate name was certified by the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, Applicant's State of incorporation, as evidenced by the Alabama Secretary of State's Certificate of Authority, attached hereto as Exhibit A. Applicant has further registered its new corporate name with the Office of the Secretary of State of Missouri, as evidenced by the State registration document attached hereto as Exhibit B.

The purpose of Applicant's name change is to enable Applicant to simplify and to align its legal corporate name with how Applicant is today identified to, and recognized by, its customers and the general public. The requested name change authority exclusively entails a change in legal corporate name and is not sought in conjunction with any merger, acquisition, consolidation or other change in corporate structure or ownership that would require separate Commission authority.

Applicant requests that the Commission change the certificates of public convenience and necessity held by ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc. to reflect the name change to "DeltaCom, Inc." A new tariff, MO PSC Tariff No. 2, is being included as Exhibit C with this filing. ITC^DeltaCom will withdraw its current tariff, MO PSC Tariff No. 1, on file with the Commission once the new tariff has been approved.

## D. EFFECT OF NAME CHANGE

The name change will have no impact on customers or services. Customers will be provided notice of the name change via written communication. A copy of the customer notice is attached as Exhibit D.

# E. CONCLUSION

DeltaCom respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience and necessity would be furthered by this name change. An original and the requisite number of copies of this notification are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

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