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APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

1. CenturyTel Long Distance, LLC
(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company)
2. Louisiana
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)
3. 80-0070735
(FBI number, if applicable)
4. Jan. 14, 2002
(Date of Organization)
5. Perpetual
(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. Upon Qualification
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.)
(See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability)
7. 100 CenturyTel Drive
Monroe, LA 71203
(Street Address of Principal Office)
8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here ☒
9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:

<u>Karen A. Puckett - President/Manager</u>	<u>R. Stewart Ewing, Jr. - Ex. VP & Treasurer/Manager</u>
<u>Stacey W. Goff - Sr. VP, General Counsel/Manager</u>	<u>Kay C. Buchart - Secretary/Manager</u>
10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted.)
11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: telecommunications

Kay C. Buchart
Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member.
(In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)
Kay C. Buchart, Secretary/Manager

Typed or printed name of signee

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**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

CenturyTel Long Distance, LLC

2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:

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(Name)

1200 South Pine Island Road

Florida Street Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)

Plantation

FL

33324

City/State/Zip

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Statutes.

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By: 

(Signature)

Michael E. Jones
Assistant Secretary

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)

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State of Louisiana

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SECRETARY OF STATE

In Testimony of State, of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby Certify that
CENTURYTEL LONG DISTANCE, LLC

A LOUISIANA limited liability company domiciled at MONROE,

Filed charter and qualified to do business in this State on
January 14, 2002,

I further certify that the records of this Office indicate
the company has paid all fees due the Secretary of State,
and so far as the Office of the Secretary of State is
concerned, is in good standing and is authorized to do
business in this State.

I further certify that this certificate is not intended to
reflect the financial condition of this company since this
information is not available from the records of this
Office.

*In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand and caused the Seal of my Office
to be affixed at the City of Baton Rouge on,
September 13, 2004*

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Secretary of State

