

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

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| IN RE:<br><br>SOUTHWESTERN BELL<br>COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC.,<br>d/b/a SBC LONG DISTANCE, n/k/a SBC<br>LONG DISTANCE, INC. | DOCKET NO. TCU-03-18 |
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**ORDER RECOGNIZING CORPORATE NAME CHANGE  
AND ISSUING AMENDED CERTIFICATE**

(Issued December 1, 2004)

On October 25, 2004, Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc., d/b/a SBC Long Distance (SBC) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a "Petition for Authority to Implement a Change in Corporate Name." SBC requests authorization to change its legal corporate name of "Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc., d/b/a SBC Long Distance," and adopt its fictitious name, "SBC Long Distance, Inc." as its new legal corporate name. In support of its request, SBC states that neither the ownership structure of the company nor its principals were affected by the name change. SBC has not filed a proposed replacement tariff that reflects the corporate name change.

The Board will recognize the change in the corporate name of Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc., d/b/a SBC Long Distance, to SBC Long Distance, Inc., and will issue an amended certificate concurrently with this order reflecting a corporate name change.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. The Board recognizes the corporate name change from Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc., d/b/a SBC Long Distance, to SBC Long Distance, Inc.
2. SBC Long Distance, Inc., is directed to file a proposed replacement tariff reflecting the corporate name change within 30 days of the date of this order.
3. Amended Certificate No. 0278 is being issued concurrently with this order. Under this amended certificate, SBC Long Distance, Inc., will be allowed to provide local exchange service as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2004.