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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

IN RE:	§	
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VARTEC TELECOM, INC., et al.,	§	CASE NO. 04-81694-SAF-11
	§	
DEBTORS.	§	(Chapter 11)
	§	(Jointly Administered)

**MOTION FOR SETTING AND
REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED HEARING**

1. The above-referenced debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors")¹ request that a hearing be set on the Expedited Motion to Approve Stipulation and Order Regarding Executory Contracts, including Tariffs with BellSouth, SBC Telcos, and Verizon (the "Motion")² for **August 15, 2005 at 1:30 p.m.** or at such other time as the Court's docket may accommodate. As represented at the hearing on July 27, 2005 (the "Sale Hearing"), the Debtors have entered into stipulations with BellSouth, the SBC Telcos and Verizon, respectively, which resolve a number of issues raised by those parties, including their objection to the sale of substantially all of the Debtors' assets and their motions to compel assumption or rejection of their executory contracts. At the Sale Hearing, the Court indicated that it would approve the setting of an expedited hearing on the Motion, which approval is sought in this Request.

¹ The Debtors include VarTec Telecom, Inc., Excel Communications Marketing, Inc., Excel Management Service, Inc., Excel Products, Inc., Excel Telecommunications, Inc., Excel Telecommunications of Virginia, Inc., Excel Teleservices, Inc., Excelcom, Inc., Telco Communications Group, Inc., Telco Network Services, Inc., VarTec Business Trust, VarTec Properties, Inc., VarTec Resource Services, Inc., VarTec Solutions, Inc., VarTec Telecom Holding Company, VarTec Telecom International Holding Company, and VarTec Telecom of Virginia, Inc.

² Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning given to them in the Motion.

2. Notice of the proposed expedited hearing and the Motion will be provided as follows: (a) by electronic service through the Court's ECF service in compliance with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas General Order 2004-06; and (b) by first class United States mail, postage prepaid upon the parties listed on the Master Service List that do not receive electronic service.

Dated: August 5, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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