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

IN RE:

VARTEC TELECOM, INC., *et al.*,

DEBTORS.

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CASE NO. 04-81694-HDH-11

**(Chapter 11)
(Jointly Administered)**

MOTION FOR SETTING AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED SETTING

TO THE HONORABLE HARLIN D. HALE, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

The debtors and debtors in possession (collectively hereafter, the “Debtors”)¹ request that a hearing be set on the Debtors' Motion to Authorize Assumption of Nondisclosure Agreement Between Debtors and SBC Telecommunications, Inc. (now known as SBC Operations, Inc.) and Its Subsidiaries and Affiliates for **November 22, 2005 at 1:30 p.m.**, the next regularly scheduled pre-set hearing date in these bankruptcy cases, or at such other time as the Court's docket may accommodate. In the motion to authorize assumption, the Debtors seek authority to assume a nondisclosure agreement, the implementation of which is necessary so that negotiations among

¹ The Debtors in these bankruptcy cases 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.

the Debtors, Comtel and SBC concerning a private commercial agreement with SBC may be concluded as soon as possible, and as far in advance of applicable deadlines as possible.

Dated: November 8, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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