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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.,	§ §	CASE NO. 04-81694-HDH-11
DEBTORS.	§ §	(Chapter 11)
	§	(Jointly Administered)

NOTICE OF HEARING

A hearing on the Motion to Approve Settlement of Claims of Independent Representatives and Procedures Relating Thereto [Docket No. 2070] has been set for November 22, 2005 at 1:30 p.m. (the "Hearing") before the Honorable Harlin D. Hale, United States Bankruptcy Judge, 1100 Commerce Street, 14th Floor, Dallas, Texas 75242. At this hearing, the Debtors seek approval of certain procedures relating to the proposed comprehensive compromise and settlement (the "Global IR Settlement") of all claims held by independent representatives of Excel Telecommunications, Inc. and/or Excel Communications Marketing, Inc. who were active as of November 1, 2004 (collectively, the "Eligible IRs"). Specifically, at this Hearing, the Debtors will request that the Court (i) enter an Order approving the following: (A) notice and service procedures relating to the Global IR Settlement, including (I) an initial notice of the proposed Global IR Settlement and of the hearing on the Settlement Motion to be served on all Eligible IRs prior to the Settlement Hearing, and (II) a second notice of the Page 1 of 3

approval, and opportunity to opt out, of the Global IR Settlement, to be served on all

Eligible IRs, but only if and after the Court approves the Global IR Settlement; (B) the

setting of the deadline for filing objections to the Settlement Motion; (C) the setting of a

hearing to consider the approval of the Settlement Motion and Settlement Agreement;

(E) the setting of the deadline by which the Debtors must receive any notice of any

Eligible IR's intent to opt out of the Global IR Settlement, if approved by the Court; and

(F) the setting of the deadline for filing proofs of claim for all Eligible IRs who timely

exercise their right to opt out of the Global IR Settlement, and for all other IRs who are

not identified on the IR Schedule. The relief to be considered at the Hearing involves

procedural and non-substantive issues.

Dated: November 18, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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