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**BY FEDERAL EXPRESS AND FACSIMILE (202-942-9651)**

Mr. Jonathan G. Katz  
Secretary  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
450 Fifth Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20549-0609

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Dear Mr. Katz:

Enclosed are sworn statements of SBC Communication Inc.'s Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer, as required by File No. 4-460: Order Requiring the Filing of Sworn Statements Pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Enclosures

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**Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings**

I, Edward E. Whitacre Jr., Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, SBC Communications Inc., state and attest that:

(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of SBC Communications Inc. and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

- no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
- no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).

(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the SBC Communications Inc. Audit Committee of the Board of Directors.

(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":

- 2001 Annual Report on Form 10-K of SBC Communications Inc. filed with the Commission;
- all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of SBC Communications Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.

*Edward E. Whitacre Jr.*  
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Subscribed and sworn to  
 before me this 12<sup>TH</sup> day of  
AUGUST 2002.  
*Marilyn S. Taylor*  
 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6-19-2004

