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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Consolidated Applications of XO Holdings and Verizon Communications Inc. for Consent to Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations*,
WC Docket No. 16-70

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Verizon Communications Inc. (“Verizon”) submits its responses to Requests 26, 27, and 30 of the Wireline Competition Bureau’s (“WCB”) Information and Document request (“Information Request”) dated June 22, 2016 in connection with the above-referenced transaction and in accordance with the Protective Order in this docket.¹ Enclosed please find a CD containing three files in native Excel format designated as Exhibit 26IIA3, Exhibit 26IIA4, and Exhibit 27a, respectively.

- Exhibit 26IIA3 and Exhibit 26IIA4 contain the data responsive to Request 26.
- Exhibit 27a contains the data responsive to Request 27.
- In response to Request 30, Verizon hereby confirms that it relied on the same process and methods to compile the data in response to Requests 26 and 27 as it did in its response to the BDS Mandatory Data Collection for the Special Access Proceeding, WC Docket No. 05-25.

¹ *XO Holdings and Verizon Communications Inc., Consolidated Applications for Consent to Transfer Control of Domestic and International Authorizations Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended*, Protective Order, WC Docket No. 16-70, DA No. 16-567 (rel. May 19, 2016) (“Protective Order”). As discussed with Commission Staff, Verizon will produce additional documents responsive to the Information Request on a rolling basis.

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- Regarding Request 29, Verizon notes that responding to this request requires it to obtain information from third parties. Verizon expects both to provide a response date and to complete this task in the near future.

Because Exhibits 26IIA3, 26IIA4, and 27a contain information that meets the requirements for treatment as “Highly Confidential,”² Verizon is filing these exhibits pursuant to the procedures established in the Protective Order and in the Information Request. Verizon will also file a copy of this cover letter, bearing the appropriate confidentiality legend, in the FCC’s Electronic Comment Filing System.

Verizon has made diligent efforts to ensure that none of the material it is submitting herewith is privileged under the attorney-client privilege or attorney work product doctrine. To the extent that any privileged materials may have been inadvertently produced, such production does not constitute a waiver of any applicable privilege. Verizon requests that any privileged materials inadvertently produced be returned to Verizon as soon as such inadvertent production is discovered by any party, and reserves all rights to seek return of any such documents.

If you have any questions arise concerning this submission, please contact me.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosure

² Consistent with the Protective Order, *id.* at ¶ 3, Verizon obtained written approval from Commission staff, to designate certain material as Highly Confidential.

Exhibits 26IIA3, 26IIA4 and 27a

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