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Ex Parte

Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
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RE: Application by Verizon New England Inc., et al., for Authorization To Provide In-Region, InterLATA Services in Massachusetts, Docket No. 00-176

Dear Ms. Salas:

The following information was provided per the request of K. Brown:

The due date assigned to a CLEC request for an unbundled DSL loop is determined by the CLEC. When submitting its request for a DSL loop, the CLEC must enter, among other things, its requested due date on the electronic local service request it sends to Verizon. If the CLEC enters a due date that is either the standard interval or a date later than the standard interval, that requested date becomes the order's assigned due date. If, however, the CLEC enters a requested due date that is shorter than the standard interval, the ordering system will query it back to the CLEC and indicate that the due date entered does not match the service type requested. The CLEC must then enter a due date that comports with the standard interval or some date after that interval.

Please let me know if you have any questions. The twenty-page limit does not apply as set forth in DA 00-2159.

Sincerely,



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