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Ex Parte

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th H Street, SW, Portals
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Application by Verizon for Authorization To Provide In-Region, InterLATA Services in State of Virginia, WC Docket No. 02-214

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Friday, September 6th, Clint Odom, Leslie Owsley, Jonathan Smith, Scott Angstreich and the undersigned represented Verizon in a conference call with Brent Olson, Ian Dillner and Uzoma Onyeije of the Wireline Competition Bureau. The purpose of the call was to discuss billing issues in the above application to be addressed in the reply comments. Please let me know if you have any questions. The twenty-page limit does not apply as set forth in DA 02-1857.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ann D. Berkowitz".

cc: U. Onyeije
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