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Ex Parte

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of the Reporting Requirements for U.S. Providers of
International Telecommunications Services, IB Docket No. 04-112**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 10, 2005, Leslie Owsley, Jennifer Ullman and I of Verizon met with Jim Ball, Linda Blake, John Copes, Joanne Ekblad, Claudia Fox, Cathy Hsu, David Krech, Susan O'Connell, Mark Uretsky, and Peggy Reitzel of the Federal Communications Commission's International Bureau, to discuss follow up questions provided to Verizon by the FCC in the above-referenced proceeding.

The FCC's additional questions related to international traffic, revenue and circuit reporting. Verizon explained that ten different entities file international reports. For purposes of this meeting, Verizon focused on Verizon Global Solutions Inc. (VGSI) and Verizon Long Distance (VLD).

Verizon noted that, in preparation for this meeting, it was struck once again by the complexity of the reporting requirements and rules, the difficulty in collecting accurate information in view of the wide range of commercial international services arrangements, and the amount of time required to deal with these reporting issues.

Verizon accordingly again encouraged the Commission to further streamline the annual and quarterly reports, if not eliminate them in their entirety.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jacquelynn Ruff

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cc: Linda Blake
John Copes
Joanne Ekblad
Claudia Fox
Cathy Hsu
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