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Dear Ms. Salak:

Verizon Florida LLC hereby files the following amended tariff pages to the Facilities for Intrastate Access effective June 14, 2012.

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These tariff pages reflect the implementation of the of the intercarrier compensation regime for certain VoIP-PSTN traffic. Specifically, this section establishes the method of separating such traffic (referred to in this tariff as "Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic) from the customer's traditional intrastate access traffic, so that such Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic can be billed in accordance with the FCC Order.

If you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

Obligation of the Customer (Continued)

2.3.11 Coordination With Respect to Network Contingencies

The customer shall, in cooperation with the Telephone Company, coordinate in planning the actions to be taken to maintain maximum network capability following natural or man-made disasters which affect telecommunications services.

2.3.12 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic

Scope

- VoIP-PSTN Traffic is defined as traffic exchanged between a Verizon end user and the customer in time division multiplexing ("TDM") format that originates and/or terminates in Internet protocol ("IP") format. This section, 2.3.12., governs the identification of VoIP-PSTN Traffic that is required to be compensated at interstate access rates by the Federal Communications Commission in its Report and Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc., FCC Release No. 11-161 (Nov. 18, 2011) ("Order") as modified by its Second Order on Reconsideration, FCC Release No. 12-47 (Apr. 25, 2012), and as codified in 47 C.F.R. § 51.319 ("Reconsideration Order"), and unless Verizon and the customer have agreed otherwise. Specifically, this section establishes the method of separating such traffic (referred to in this tariff as "Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic") from the customer's traditional intrastate access traffic, so that such Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic can be billed in accordance with the FCC Order.
- This section will be applied to the billing of switched access charges to a customer that is a local exchange carrier only to the extent that the customer has also implemented billing of interstate access charges for Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic in accordance with the FCC Order.

Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic B.

The Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic identified in accordance with this tariff section will be billed at rates equal to Verizon's applicable tariffed interstate switched access rates as provided in Tariff FCC 14. Intrastate access minutes of use not required to be billed at interstate rates pursuant to this section 2.3.12 will be billed in accordance with the other rate provisions of this Tariff (absent an agreement between Verizon and the customer on a different compensation mechanism).

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Calculation and Application of Percent-VoIP-Usage Factor

Verizon will determine the number of Relevant VoIP-PSTN Traffic minutes of use ("MOU") to which interstate rates will be applied under subsection (b), above, through the use of a Percent VolP Usage ("PVU") factor, which in turn will be based on a PVU-C factor and a PVU-V factor. These factors will be derived and applied as set forth below. The PVU-V and PVU-C factors will be based on information such as the number of Verizon's or the customer's retail VoIP subscriptions in the state (e.g., as reported on FCC Form 477), traffic studies, actual call detail, or other relevant and verifiable information.

For the period on and after December 29, 2011 to July 12, 2012, and for the period on and after July 1,

The customer will calculate and furnish to Verizon a PVU-C factor representing the percentage of the total access MOU that the customer exchanges with Verizon in the State, that (a) is sent to Verizon and that originated in IP format; or (b) is received from Verizon and terminated in IP format. A PVU-C factor for the period December 29, 2011 through July 12, 2012 must be submitted by April 15, 2012, in order to apply retroactively to December 29, 2011. A PVU-C factor for the period on and after July 1, 2014 will be submitted by June 1, 2014.

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2.3 Obligation of the Customer (Continued)

2.3.12 <u>Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic</u> (Continued)

- C. <u>Calculation and Application of Percent-VoIP-Usage Factor</u> (Continued)
 - For the period on and after December 29, 2011 to July 12, 2012, and for the period on and after July 1, 2014: (Continued)

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- (b) Verizon will, likewise, calculate PVU-V factors for the two periods representing the percentage of Verizon's total access MOU in the State that Verizon originates or terminates on its network in IP format, and will begin applying those PVU-V factors to the calculation of the PVU factor as of December 29, 2011 and July 1, 2014, respectively.
- (2) For the period from July 13, 2012 through June 30, 2014:
 - (a) The customer will calculate and furnish to Verizon, before July 1, 2012, a PVU-C factor representing the percentage of the total access MOU sent by the customer to Verizon in the State, that the customer originates in IP format. If the customer submitted a PVU-C factor under section 2.3.12(C)(1)(a) and does not furnish a new factor under this section 2.3.12(C)(2)(a), Verizon will use that previously submitted factor as the PVU-C for purposes of this subsection (2).
 - (b) Verizon will, likewise, calculate a PVU-V factor for this period representing the percentage of Verizon's total terminating access MOU in the State that Verizon terminates on its network in IP format, and will begin applying that PVU-V factor to the calculation of the PVU factor as of July 13, 2012.
- (3) The PVU factor will be calculated as the sum of: (A) the PVU-C factor and (B) the PVU-V factor times (100% minus the PVU-C factor).
- (4) For the period on and after December 29, 2011 to July 12, 2012 and for the period on and after July 1, 2014, Verizon will apply the PVU to the total intrastate access MOU exchanged with the customer to determine the number of such minutes that will be billed at the applicable interstate switched access rates. For the period from July 13, 2012 through June 30, 2014, Verizon will apply the PVU factor to the total terminating intrastate access MOU received from the customer, and the resulting number of minutes will be billed at terminating interstate access rates; during this period, originating VoIP-PSTN Traffic will be billed at Verizon's intrastate access rates.

<u>Example 1:</u> For February 2013, the PVU-V is 10% and the PVU-C is 40%. The PVU factor is equal to $40\% + (10\% \times 60\%) = 46\%$. Verizon will bill 46% of the customer's terminating intrastate access MOU at its tariffed interstate terminating switched access rates.

<u>Example 2</u>: For September 2014, the PVU-V is 10% and the PVU-C is 0%. The PVU factor is $0\% + (100\% \times 10\%) = 10\%$. Verizon will bill 10% of the customer's intrastate access MOU at Verizon's tariffed interstate switched access rates (originating or terminating, as applicable).

Example 3: For a period after December 29, 2011 and prior to July 13, 2012, the PVU-C is 100%. No matter what the PVU-V factor is, the PVU is 100%. Verizon will bill 100% of the customer's intrastate access MOU at Verizon's tariffed interstate switched access rates (originating or terminating, as applicable).

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2.3 Obligation of the Customer (Continued)

2.3.12 Identification and Rating of VolP-PSTN Traffic (Continued)

D. Initial PVU Factor and PVU Factor Changes

(1) If the PVU factor for the period from December 29, 2011 to July 12, 2012 is not available and/or cannot be implemented in Verizon's billing systems by December 29, 2011, once that factor is available and can be implemented Verizon will adjust the customer's bills to reflect that PVU retroactively to December 29, 2011. In calculating the initial PVU to be applied from December 29, 2011 to July 12, 2012, Verizon will take the customer-specified PVU-C into account retroactively to December 29, 2011, provided that the customer provided the factor to Verizon no later than April 15, 2012.

(2) The customer may submit an updated factor quarterly using the methodology set forth in subsection (C)(1) or (C)(2), above, as applicable. If the customer chooses to submit such updates, it shall forward to Verizon, no later than 15 days after the first day of January, April, July and/or October of each year, a revised PVU-C factor based on data for the prior three months, ending the last day of December, March, June and September, respectively. Verizon will use the revised PVU-C to calculate a revised PVU. The revised PVU factor will apply prospectively and serve as the basis for billing until superseded by a new PVU.

E. PVU Factor Verification

Not more than twice in any year, Verizon may ask the customer to verify the PVU-C factor furnished to Verizon and customer may ask Verizon to verify the PVU-V factor and the calculation of the PVU factor. The party so requested shall comply, and shall reasonably provide the records and other information used to determine the respective PVU-C and PVU-V factors.