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Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The enclosed tariffs, issued by the Verizon Telephone Companies and bearing Tariff FCC Nos. 1, 11, and 16, Access Services; Tariff FCC No. 14, Facilities for Interstate Access, and Tariff FCC No. 20, Communications Services, are being sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This material, filed on 15 days' notice and scheduled to become effective October 1, 2013, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

<u>Tariff FCC No.</u>	<u>Check Sheet Revision No.</u>
1	525th Revised Page 1 141st Revised Page 2 75th Revised Page 9
11	463rd Revised Page 1 50th Revised Page 18.5 87th Revised Page 21
14	406th Revised Page 1 126th Revised page 4.1 82nd Revised Page 5

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274th Revised Page 1
69th Revised Page 2
109th Revised Page 6

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206th Revised Page 1

With this filing, Verizon submits tariff pages to make rate changes in its tariffs to reflect the changes in the Telecommunications Relay Service factor¹ and the Regulatory Fee factor² and the associated exogenous costs as a result of FCC Orders and to provide revisions for the Fourth Quarter 2013 Federal Universal Service Fund Charge (FUSF). The FUSF portion of this filing is being made in compliance with the Commissions' rules and underlying orders, including but not necessarily limited to:

Access Charge Reform, Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers, Low-Volume Long Distance Users, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Order, 15 FCC Rcd 12962 (2000);

Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Report and Order and Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 17 FCC Rcd 24952 (2002);

Federal- State Joint Board on Universal Service, Order and Second Order on Reconsideration, Order and Second Order on Reconsideration, 18 FCC Rcd 4818 (2003), as modified by *Federal- State Joint Board on Universal Service*, Order on Reconsideration, 23 FCC Rcd 2567 (2008); and

Connect America Fund, et al., Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 26 FCC Rcd 17663 (2011) ("USF-ICC Transformation Order").

Support material, as specified in Section 61.49 of the Commission's rules, is included for the TRS and Regulatory Fee portion of this filing. Support material as described under Section 61.38 of the Commission's rules and as further required by the above-referenced FUSF orders is provided for the FUSF portion of this filing. A detailed Description and Justification has been included for further clarification.

Verizon today is filing electronically this transmittal letter and associated attachments via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS). Verizon has electronically transmitted payment in the amount of \$845.00 to the U.S. Bank in St. Louis,

¹ In the Matter of Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities, FCC Order DA 13-1483, released July 1, 2013.

² *Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2013*, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, MD Docket No. 13-140, FCC 13-110 (August 12, 2013).

Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures. Verizon is transmitting electronically the Form 159 via ETFS.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.15(a)(4) of the Commission's rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for Verizon is 0003-7085-00. Verizon is making this filing on behalf of issuing carriers with the following FRNs:

<u>Tariff FCC No. 1</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 11</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 14</u>
0002-0732-03	0003-4694-42	0018-8218-50
0002-1092-13	0003-6289-71	0001-5364-24
0002-1668-25		0001-8248-04
0003-2717-98		0001-9625-88
0003-2735-05		0001-6802-63
0003-3166-92		
<u>Tariff FCC No. 16</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 20</u>	0018-8218-50
0018-8218-50	0002-0732-03	0001-5364-24
0001-9625-88	0002-1092-13	0001-8248-04
0001-5364-24	0002-1668-25	0001-9625-88
0001-6802-63	0003-2717-98	0001-6802-63
	0003-2735-05	
	0003-3166-92	
	0003-4694-42	
	0003-6289-71	

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this transmittal should be forwarded to Frederick Moacdieh, Executive Director, Federal Regulatory Affairs, via facsimile on (202) 336-7922, or by hand-delivery to 1300 I Street NW, Suite 400 West, Washington, DC 20005.



Attachments:

- Revised Tariff Pages
- Description and Justification
- Request for Confidential Treatment
- Workpaper Support
- Tariff Review Plan VZTC