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Application No. 98

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

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The Verizon Telephone Companies (Verizon) hereby apply for Special Permission for a waiver of Sections 61.58 and 61.59 of the Commission's Rules in order to modify material that is not yet in effect on less than statutory notice.

On October 17 2003, Verizon filed Transmittal No. 371, which introduced several new IDSR service options in Access Tariffs Nos. F.C.C. 1 and 11. Verizon now wishes to withdraw the service option of a 7-year Term Plan for IDSR ports in F.C.C. 1. Verizon is unable to provide this service at this time due to delays in implementing modifications to internal operating systems that would support this service. It is desired to have this withdrawal of the proposed service option to become effective concurrently with Transmittal No. 371 on November 1, 2003. Illustrative tariff material is attached with this letter.

A waiver of Section 61.59 is necessary in order to make changes to material not yet in effect and a waiver of Section 61.58 is necessary to file on less than statutory notice.

This application and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS).

Payment in the amount of \$695.00 has been electronically transmitted to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically over ETFS as a proprietary document.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.21(a)(3) of the Commission's Rules, the F.C.C. Registration Number (FRN) for Verizon is 0003-7085-00. Verizon is filing this application on behalf of issuing carriers with the following FRNs:

Tariff F.C.C. No. 1

0002-1092-13

0003-2717-98

0002-1668-25

0003-3166-92

0003-2735-05

0002-0732-03

0002-0112-78

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



Attachment:

Illustrative Tariff Page
Form 159