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Ms. Patty VanGerpen
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South Dakota Public Service Commission
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**RE: Verizon Access Transmission Services: Tariff No. 2
Intercarrier Compensation Regime for Certain VoIP-PSTN Traffic, as
Modified by FCC Second Reconsideration Order**

Dear Ms. VanGerpen

MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("Verizon Access") is filing revisions to its South Dakota Tariff No. 2 via the South Dakota Public Service Commission's E-Filing system.

The revised tariff pages in this filing reflect Verizon Access' implementation of the intercarrier compensation regime for certain VoIP-PSTN traffic, as modified by the FCC's Second Reconsideration Order ("Reconsideration Order"), released on April 25, 2012. In accordance with the effective date of that decision, the tariff revisions will take effect July 13, 2012.

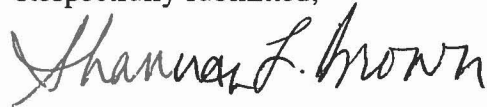
On December 9, 2011, Verizon Access filed revisions to its intrastate switched access tariff to reflect implementation of the VoIP-PSTN intercarrier compensation regime that the FCC established in its Report and Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, et al., 26 FCC Rcd 17633 (Nov. 18, 2011) ("Order"). Those revisions implemented a methodology for separating VoIP-PSTN traffic from access traffic in order to bill VoIP-PSTN traffic minutes of use ("MOU") that originate and/or terminate in Internet protocol format at Verizon's tariffed interstate switched access rates. The Reconsideration Order modified the regime established in the November 18 Order in that it permits carriers to charge intrastate (rather than interstate) switched access rates for **originating** VoIP-PSTN access MOU from July 13, 2012 until July 1, 2014.

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Consistent with the FCC Second Reconsideration Order, this tariff amendment updates the methodology for separating relevant VoIP-PSTN traffic from access traffic that Verizon Access will bill at applicable intrastate switched access rates. Specifically, Verizon Access will determine the number of relevant VoIP-PSTN traffic MOU to which it will apply interstate rates by applying a Percent VoIP Usage ("PVU") factor to the total **terminating** intrastate access MOU exchanged between a Verizon Access end user and the customer. The PVU factor will be based upon a customer-provided VoIP percentage factor (the PVU-C) and a Verizon Access-calculated VoIP percentage factor (the PVU-V).

If you have any questions, please call me at (312) 260-3245 or send me an email at shannon.brown@verizon.com.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shannon L. Brown". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Enclosure