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February 16, 2009
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**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building, 1st Floor
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

**RE: Certificate of Authority and Name Change for:
Verizon Long Distance LLC f/k/a Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc. d/b/a
Verizon Long Distance and
Verizon Enterprise Solutions LLC f/k/a NYNEX Long Distance d/b/a Verizon
Enterprise Solutions**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Long Distance and NYNEX Long Distance d/b/a Verizon Enterprise Solutions each filed an Application for Certificate of Authority for a Foreign Limited Liability Company with the South Dakota Office of the Secretary of State on December 18, 2008. The applications have been acknowledged and a Certificate of Authority Limited Liability Company was issued for each entity by the Secretary of State on December 18, 2009.

THW { Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Long Distance will now be known as Verizon Long Distance LLC. NYNEX Long Distance d/b/a Verizon Enterprise Solutions will now be known as Verizon Enterprise Solutions LLC.

Enclosed for your convenience are the forms that have been filed with the South Dakota Office of the Secretary of State.

This name change does not affect the rates, terms or conditions of services currently provided to the Company's customers. The price list posted at www.verizonldregulatory.com has been updated to reflect the Company's new name.

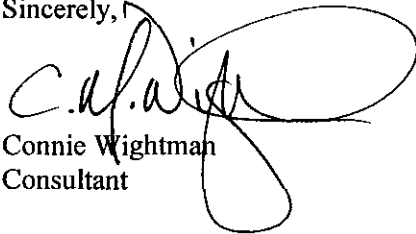
Please acknowledge receipt of this letter by returning, file-stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for this purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this request should be directed to my attention at (407) 740-8575 or via email at cwightman@tminc.com.

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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "C. Wightman", with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

Connie Wightman
Consultant

CW/lw

cc: Cheryl Powers
File VLD-SD & VES-SD – Transmittal Letter and Title Page Only
TMS: SDx0901
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State of South Dakota



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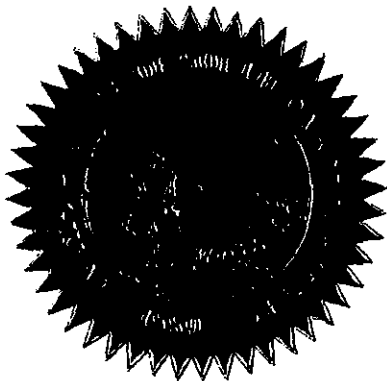
Certificate of Withdrawal

ORGANIZATIONAL ID #: FB018684

I, **Chris Nelson**, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, hereby certify that duplicate of the application for Withdrawal from South Dakota for **NYNEX LONG DISTANCE COMPANY (DE)** duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of the South Dakota Corporation Acts, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I hereby issue this Certificate of Withdrawal and attach hereto a duplicate of the Application for Withdrawal.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, at Pierre, the Capital, this December 18, 2008.



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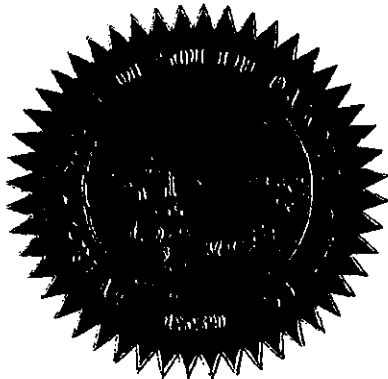
Certificate of Authority Limited Liability Company

ORGANIZATIONAL ID #: FL004353

I, **Chris Nelson**, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, hereby certify that duplicate of the Application for a Certificate of Authority of **VERIZON ENTERPRISE SOLUTIONS LLC (DE)** to transact business in this state duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of the South Dakota Limited Liability Company Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I hereby issue this Certificate of Authority and attach hereto a duplicate of the application for certificate of authority.

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500 E Capitol Ave
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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Please Type or Print Clearly in Ink

Please submit one Original and one Photocopy

FLILING FEE: \$550 payable to SECRETARY OF STATE

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DEC 18 2008
S.D. SEC. OF STATE

Filed this 18th day of Dec, 2008
Chris Nelson
SECRETARY OF STATE

Telephone # _____
FAX # _____

Application must be accompanied by a one page original certificate of existence issued by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of the organizational records in the state or country under whose law it is organized.

1. The name of the company is Verizon Enterprise Solutions LLC

The name must include limited liability company, limited company or the abbreviation L.L.C., LLC, L.C. or LC. Limited may be abbreviated as Ltd. and company may be abbreviated as Co.

2. The name of the state or country under whose laws it is organized is Delaware

3. The period of its duration perpetual

4. The address of its principal office (this is the address of the executive offices of the corporation).

1320 N Court House Rd, 9th Floor	Arlington	VA	22201-2525
Street Address	City	State	ZIP+4

Mailing Address (Optional)	City	State	ZIP+4
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5. The South Dakota Registered Agent name C T Corporation System

319 S. Coteau Street	Pierre	SD	57501
Street Address (Required to be a South Dakota Address)	City	State	ZIP+4

Mailing Address (Optional - Required to be a South Dakota Address)	City	State	ZIP+4
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When listing a Commercial Registered Agent, please state their CRA #. This number can be obtained from the Commercial Registered Agent.	CR000002
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6. Please check one:

- The company is member managed.
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If this company is manager managed, please state the name and address of each manager.

Vincent J. Woodbury	One Verizon Way	Basking Ridge	NJ	07920
Manager	Street Address	City	State	ZIP+4
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7. Whether one or more of the members of the company are to be liable for its debts and obligations under a provision similar to SDCL 47-34A-303 (c)

The application must be signed by a Manager so stated in question number 6 or a Member if the company is member managed.

Dated December 11, 2008

Vincent J. Woodbury
(Signature of an authorized member or manager)

Vincent J. Woodbury
(Printed Name)

Manager.
(Title)

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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "VERIZON ENTERPRISE SOLUTIONS LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 2008.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

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You may verify this certificate online
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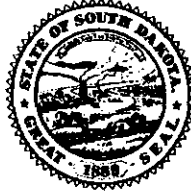
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AUTHENTICATION: 7024456

DATE: 12-15-08

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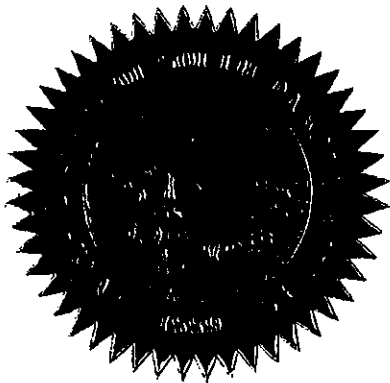
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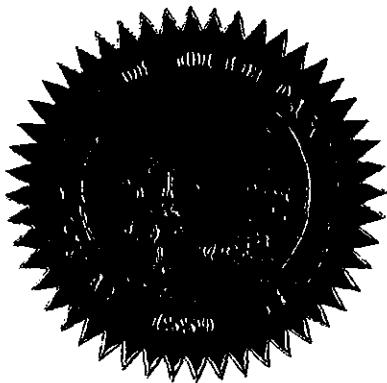
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Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 7024420

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