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## VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Ms. Jeannette McArthur Tariff Administrator New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, New Hampshire 03301-2429



RE: <u>Verizon Access Transmission Services: New Hampshire Rate Schedule</u>
Reduce Access Rates Pursuant to Federal Communications Commission
Order # FCC 11-161

Dear Ms. McArthur:

MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("Verizon Access") is filing with your office an original of revisions to its New Hampshire Rate Schedule. The effective date of this filing is July 1, 2012, in accordance with the FCC Order.

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In compliance with the November 18, 2011, Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Report and Order FCC 11-161, Verizon Access proposes the following:

- Revise Subsections A and B of Section 4.6.2 (Recurring Charges) to the rate categories of Direct Connect Charges and Tandem Connect Charges. The originating Direct Connect and Tandem Connect rates are the sum of the current Local Switching and Switched Transport Termination rate elements.
- 2) Reduce the Direct Connect and Tandem Connect terminating minute of use charges in accordance with 47 CFR §51.911.

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The supporting documentation is being filed under separate cover, marked as confidential and proprietary information, demonstrating how these proposed rates comply with the FCC's order. The support documentation includes the following:

- 1) MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services New Hampshire Compliance Worksheet (Confidential and Proprietary);
- 2) MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services New Hampshire Compliance Worksheet (**Redacted** version); and
- 3) MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC Tariff FCC No. 1 interstate tariff rate pages supporting the rates used in the calculations set forth in the confidential and proprietary spreadsheet.

Please date stamp and return the extra copy of this cover letter in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope, indicating receipt. If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact me either at (888) 215-5680 or sandy.chandler@verizon.com.

Respectively submitted

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Enclosure