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Ms. Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk
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Dear Ms. Massaro:

We are filing, herewith, for effect July 16, 2004, tariff material consisting of:

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Verizon is introducing a new service package known as *Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm*. *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* provides residential customers with a combination of unlimited local usage, unlimited regional toll usage, and up to three value added services for a flat monthly rate of \$35.00.

Verizon certifies that the rate for the *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* is not less than the Long-run Incremental Cost of providing the package.

Please note that although the proposed tariff effective date for *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* is July 16, 2004, Verizon will commence sales of the service on August 21, 2004.

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Introduction of
Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm

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Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm

1. Description of Filing

This filing introduces a new service package, *Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm*. *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* provides residential customers with a combination of local, toll, and optional services for a flat monthly rate of \$35.00. It includes the dial tone line, unlimited local usage, unlimited regional toll usage and a choice of up to three Value Added Services.

The following is the list of features from which *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* subscribers can choose:

Caller ID	Distinctive Ring Service Package I
Call Waiting ID with Name	Distinctive Ring Service Package II
Call Waiting ID Deluxe	Busy Redial
Call Waiting	*69
Call Forwarding	Speed Dialing 8 Codes
Call Forwarding Busy Line Don't Answer	Speed Dialing 30 Codes
Call Forwarding Busy Line	Three-Way Calling
Call Forwarding Don't Answer	

Service Installation and Line Connection Non-Recurring Charges (NRCs) are not applicable to customers who subscribe to *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited*.

Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is available to customers who subscribe to Residence One Party Flat Rate Unlimited Service at a single location.

Verizon certifies that the rate for *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* is not less than the Long-run Incremental Cost of providing the service.

2. Target Market

The target market for *Verizon Regional Package Unlimited* includes customers who desire:

- a variety of services and features
- unlimited local and regional toll calling
- a known fixed monthly rate for their telecommunications service

3. Rationale for Filing

A basic awareness of the marketplace reveals that many of Verizon's competitors are now offering customers packages of services that include unlimited local and toll usage. While customers continue to look for value in their telecommunications service, increased competition continues to place significant revenue at risk. Market research indicates many customers want a consistent monthly rate for all their telecommunications services.

Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm is designed to complement Verizon's overall strategy to attract new customers, while retaining existing customers, by offering innovative plans to meet their lifestyle and calling needs. Verizon expects this offering to prevent short-term loss of customers and increase long-term customer loyalty.

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15. Service Packages

15.11 Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm

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15.11.1	Description
A.	Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is a billing arrangement, which provides residence customers with a combination of a dial-tone access line, local usage, intraLATA toll usage and an optional feature package for a single monthly rate.
B.	<p>Verizon Regional Package Unlimited includes one-party unlimited local exchange service and unlimited intraLATA toll usage. In addition, customers can select any three of the following value added services:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Caller ID or Call Waiting ID with Name or Call Waiting ID Deluxe 2. Call Waiting 3. Call Forwarding 4. Call Forwarding Busy Line Don't Answer or Call Forwarding Busy Line or Call Forwarding Don't Answer 5. Distinctive Ring—Service Package I 6. Distinctive Ring—Service Package II 7. Busy Redial 8. *69 9. Speed Dialing 8 Codes 10. Speed Dialing 30 Codes 11. Three-Way Calling
C.	<p>Availability</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is available only to one-party residence customers whose basic exchange service and intraLATA toll service are provided over Verizon Telephone Company access lines. 2. Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is not available to customers receiving a lifeline reduction in monthly basic exchange service rates. Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is also not available to customers with ISDN, Centrex, or Student Centrex services. 3. Verizon Regional Package Unlimited is not available in conjunction with other local or intraLATA toll calling plans or packages.
D.	Verizon Regional Package Unlimited does not qualify for other discount plans offered elsewhere in this tariff.

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15. Service Packages

15.11 Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm

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15.11.2 Application of Rates and Charges	
A.	Monthly Rates - The Verizon Regional Package Unlimited rate applies in lieu of the monthly rates that would otherwise apply for the individual services included in the Verizon Regional Package Unlimited service offer.
B.	The Verizon Regional Package Unlimited rate applies to customer dialed station-to-station sent-paid calls and to operator dialed station-to-station sent-paid calls if facilities are not available for customer dial completion. The rate also applies to operator dialed station-to-station sent-paid calls for handicapped persons unable to dial calls because of their handicap.
C.	Service charges for installation of a network access line or for changing the class or grade of service do not apply when a customer is also subscribing to the Verizon Regional Package Unlimited plan. Service charges do not apply to add or change a feature. A total of three features (listed above) may be included in the service package at any time.

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1. Exchange and Network Services
1.15 Service Packages

1.15.9 Verizon Regional Package Extra sm				
ID	Service Category	Rate Element	Rate	USOC
	Verizon Regional Package Extra sm	Monthly – Per line equipped	44.95	PG03A

1.15.10 Verizon Regional Package sm				
ID	Service Category	Rate Element	Rate	USOC
	Verizon Regional Package sm	Monthly – Per line equipped	39.95	PG03E

1.15.11 Verizon Regional Package Unlimited sm				
ID	Service Category	Rate Element	Rate	USOC
	Verizon Regional Package Unlimited sm	Monthly - Per line equipped	35.00	PGO4R

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If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Frances O'Neill-Cunha of my staff at 401 525-3560.

Enclosed are an original and nine copies of the tariff material. Please return a copy of this letter with your stamp of receipt.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments