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Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
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Dear Ms. Massaro:

We are filing, herewith, for effect November 27, 2004, tariff material consisting of:

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With this filing, Verizon RI introduces Business Traffic Study Service to Rhode Island. Business Traffic Study Service provides an online tool allowing customers to choose from several different types of performance reports that analyze the call volume of traffic on customers' lines. The reports provide information on the number of calls completed and not completed. The customer may then use this information to make decisions regarding line size and capacity.

Verizon certifies that the rates for Business Traffic Study Service are not less than the Long-run Incremental Cost of providing Business Traffic Study Service.

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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Business Traffic Study Service

Verizon Rhode Island

Section 1: Service Description

Business Traffic Study Service provides an online tool (Customer Analysis Reporting System) allowing customers the option to choose from several different types of hunt group & trunk group performance reports. These performance reports analyze the call volume of traffic on customer lines to determine the number of calls completed or not completed. Based on the report received, the customer can make informed decisions on the numbers of lines required to suit their business needs and ensure efficient operation.

Traffic studies may be performed on a non-recurring, as needed basis, or they may be set up on a recurring basis to be provided weekly, semi-monthly or monthly. One non-recurring traffic study may be performed at the customer's request, per exchange, per location at no charge in each calendar year. Any additional non-recurring studies during the calendar year for that customer will be billed according to the rates below.

Studies are performed for Verizon customers only on Verizon provided access lines with local exchange numbers. Studies cannot be performed on toll-free or pay-per-call type numbers; however, the study may be performed on the associated local exchange access line.

Section 2: Rates and Charges

<u>Business Traffic Study Reports</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Charge</u>
Initial one-week non-recurring study report	No charge	N/A
Additional one-week non-recurring study report	\$120	N/A
Recurring Reports - Weekly	\$120	\$80
Recurring Reports - Semi-monthly	\$120	\$60
Recurring Reports - Monthly	\$120	\$40

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12. Other Services
12.17 Business Traffic Study Service

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12.17.1 Description	
A.	Business Traffic Study Service provides performance reports of call capacity for originating and terminating traffic on access lines or hunt groups. The traffic study report enables business customers to determine how many calls terminate successfully as opposed to the number of calls that reach a station-busy condition.

12.17.2 Regulations	
A.	Business Traffic Service is offered only to business customers where available.
B.	Calls must be carried by Verizon Rhode Island (Verizon RI) and billed by or on behalf of Verizon RI to the customer requesting the study.
C.	Traffic studies are performed on Verizon access lines or hunt groups with local exchange numbers. Studies cannot be performed on toll-free or pay-per-call type telephone numbers.
D.	Traffic studies are performed at the customer's request, per exchange, per customer account.
1.	For customers with access lines or hunt groups at more than one location, a non-recurring charge applies for traffic studies at each location with the exception of 12.17.2.E.1.a. below.
E.	Traffic studies are provided on a non-recurring and recurring basis.
1.	Non-recurring traffic study reports are one-week traffic studies performed at the customer's request, per customer location, per access line or hunt group.
a.	No non-recurring charge applies for the initial non-recurring one-week traffic study performed during a calendar year. Additional non-recurring traffic studies performed during the calendar year incur a non-recurring charge for each report.
b.	No monthly charges apply to non-recurring traffic studies.
2.	Recurring traffic study reports are provided on a weekly, semi-monthly or monthly basis.
a.	Non-recurring charges apply for the initial set-up of each recurring traffic study.
b.	Monthly charges apply for each recurring traffic study. The monthly rate is determined by the number of traffic study reports provided within a 4-week billing cycle.
F.	Traffic study report features may vary by Central Office switching system type.

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12. Other Services
12.17 Business Traffic Study Service

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12.17.3 Other									
A.	<p>Traffic study reports may be requested for more than one access line or hunt group at a single customer location. A separate traffic study report is required for each access line or hunt group. Following is a list of possible access lines or hunt groups that would constitute one traffic study report:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">Multiline Hunt Group</td> <td>Intellipath</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Worksmart group</td> <td>ISDN Primary Rate Service</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Business Lines/Trunks</td> <td>ISDN Basic</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Remote Call Forwarding</td> <td>Centrex Plus</td> </tr> </table>	Multiline Hunt Group	Intellipath	Worksmart group	ISDN Primary Rate Service	Business Lines/Trunks	ISDN Basic	Remote Call Forwarding	Centrex Plus
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Remote Call Forwarding	Centrex Plus								

12.17.4 Application of Rates and Charges	
A.	<p>Non-recurring charges apply as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. After the initial requested one-week non-recurring report, non-recurring charges apply to additional one-week non-recurring reports within the same calendar year. 2. A non-recurring charge applies for the initial set-up of recurring reports. 3. A non-recurring charge applies per change to an existing recurring report.
B.	<p>Monthly charges apply for recurring weekly, semi-monthly and monthly reports.</p>

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