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Ms. Luly Massaro, Commission Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, Rhode Island 02888

Dear Ms. Massaro:

We are filing, herewith, for effect August 18, 2007, tariff material consisting of:

PUC RI No. 15

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With this filing, Verizon Rhode Island ("Verizon RI") proposes to add language to the tariff that will enable Verizon to provision ISDN Primary ("ISDN PRI") Service from an alternate serving wire center without an additional charge to the customer. Currently, customers requesting ISDN Primary Service who are served from a Verizon Central Office that is not equipped for ISDN Service are required to subscribe to foreign exchange or foreign central office service. This filing eliminates the requirement to subscribe to foreign exchange or foreign central office service in order to be provisioned with ISDN Primary Service.

Customers taking advantage of this change in provisioning will be required to assume a telephone number associated with the alternate serving Central Office for their ISDN Primary Service and will be bound by the calling area associated with that telephone number as prescribed in the tariff.

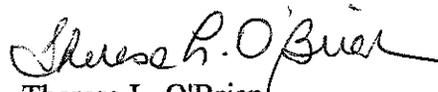
This proposed change will make ISDN Primary Service available to a larger geographic area throughout the state and position Verizon's ISDN Primary Service as a more attractive alternative for customers considering ISDN Primary Service as their local network access solution.

Verizon certifies that the rates for ISDN Primary Service provisioned from an alternate Central Office without foreign exchange or foreign central office service are not less than the Long-run Incremental Cost of providing the 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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Attachment

Verizon New England Inc.

10. Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) Services
10.6 ISDN Primary Service

10.6.1 Definitions	
B Channel	—A 64 kbps digital message path capable of transporting voice and data.
Clear Channel	—Provides for the full utilization of the 64 kbps bandwidth of a B channel. The line code used to provide 64 kbps clear channel capability is bipolar with 8 zero substitution (B8ZS), as specified in TR-NWT-000499.
D Channel	—A 64 kbps digital message path used for signaling and control of the B channels.

10.6.2 Description	
A.	ISDN primary (PRI) provides access to the Telephone Company's voice and circuit switched data transport services via a 1.544 Mbps digital path between ISDN compatible customer premises equipment and an ISDN equipped central office. ISDN primary includes DID which permits incoming dialed calls from the network to reach a specific station line of a Private Branch Exchange (PBX) or other customer premises equipment without the assistance of an attendant.
B.	ISDN primary is offered on a measured local service basis. No local usage allowance is provided.
C.	ISDN Primary Service is provided only from the Company's central office switches with ISDN Primary Service functionality. When a subscriber's normal serving central office switch is not equipped with ISDN Primary Service, the Telephone Company will provide ISDN Primary Service from an alternate serving central office, determined by the Telephone Company, at no additional charge to the customer. If ISDN Primary Service is provided from an alternate serving central office, the customer will accept a telephone number change to a telephone number associated with the alternate central office. The customer will also be subject to the calling areas associated with the alternate serving central office, as established in the Telephone Company's tariffs.
D.	ISDN primary is offered only from suitably equipped central offices, subject to availability of facilities and only within a Rhode Island Local Access and Transport Area (LATA).

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10.6.3 Service Components	
A.	Port — An ISDN primary port provides the termination of the local distribution channel in the central office switch. Each port consists of a D channel for signaling and up to 23 B channels for transmission of voice and circuit switched data calls.
B.	Local Distribution Channel — A 1.544 Mbps two-way transmission path connecting a customer's premises with the port. The framing format for 1.544 Mbps transmission over the ISDN primary service local distribution channel is extended superframe as specified in TR-NWT-000499.
C.	DID Capability is furnished upon the condition that the customer must subscribe to and have adequate facilities to permit the use of service without injurious effect on general telephone service. ISDN primary DID numbers are provided in blocks of 100 numbers (or fraction thereof) at rates specified in Part M, Section 1.12.3.
D.	Customers may utilize alternate high capacity digital facilities that meet the specifications as determined by the Company in lieu of the ISDN Primary Facility specified herein. The applicable rules, regulations and rates from the appropriate Company Tariff will apply for the alternate high capacity digital facilities.
E.	The ISDN Primary Service Local Distribution Channel for the 2- and 3-year VTPP Volume plan and the 2- and 3-year Corporate Rewards plan includes mileage from the local central office to the customer's premise.