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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 July 20, 2008, tariff material consisting of:

PUC RI No. 15

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A/5	10.1 and 11	N/A

With this filing, Verizon Rhode Island (“Verizon RI”) is introducing a waiver of non-recurring charges associated with installation of a network access line when, in conjunction with the installation of the network access line, the customer also subscribes to the 24-month Commitment for Business Measured Exchange Service.

Verizon certifies that the rates for the 24-month Commitment for Business Measured Exchange Service with the waiver of the non-recurring charges for the installation of a network access line are not less than the Long-run Incremental Costs 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,

Theresa L. O'Brien

Attachment

Verizon New England Inc.

5. Exchange Service
5.2 Application of Rates and Charges

5.2.1 Basic Exchange Services	
C.	<p>(Cont'd)</p> <p>3. 24-month commitment. Terms and conditions below are offered to new or renewing customers effective June 29, 2006.</p> <p>a. Termination Liability. In the event the service is terminated by the customer prior to completion of the current term commitment period, the customer shall be liable for an early termination charge, except as noted in Section 5.2.1C.3.c. below. The amount of the early termination charge will be 25% of the monthly recurring charge(s) (MRC) for the remainder of the term. For example:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">$25\% \times \text{MRC} \times \text{\# of Lines} \times \text{Remainder of Term} = \text{Termination Charge}$</p> <p>b. End of Term Options. Prior to the end of the term commitment period, the customer may select one of the following options to be effective at the end of the term:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renew their term commitment, • Arrange for termination of the service, • Convert to month-to-month service. <p>In the event the customer does not select one of the above options, the customer will be converted to month-to-month service.</p> <p>c. Early termination charges will not be assessed under the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the rate for the service is increased during the term period, exclusive of any increase due to local, state or federal fees, taxes or surcharges; • The customer moves existing service to either a new location within the same address and/or same building (inside move) or to a new location at a different address and/or different building (outside move) and maintains that service for the remainder of the term; • The customer attempts to move the existing service to a new location within Company's service area, but the service is unavailable; • The customer renegotiates a new term commitment plan for the same service before the current term commitment expires and the value of the new term commitment is equal to or greater than the remaining value of the current term commitment; or, • The customer changes to another service or upgrades service to a higher speed or capacity under a term commitment, provided the value of the new term commitment is equal to or greater than the remaining value of the current term commitment, and the Company provides the new service via tariff or a Customer Specific Pricing Contract (CSP) or a Large System-Specific Pricing Plan (LSPP), and the order to discontinue the existing service and the order for the new or upgraded service are received by the Company at the same time.
D.	<p>Rates for the aforementioned services include touch tone calling and are in addition to S&E charges, and premises work charges. Business customers who sign up for the 24-month commitment for Business Measured Exchange service in connection with the installation of a network access line will receive a waiver of the S&E charges associated with the installation of a network access line. Installation charges for DID service, S&E charges for moving and premises work charges are not included in the waiver for installing a network access line.</p>

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5.2.1 Basic Exchange Services	
D.	(Cont'd)
	The full S&E charges will be charged back if the customer leaves Verizon or cancels any term line within 12 months after signing up for the 24-month commitment. In addition, customers will be subject to termination liability of the 24-month commitment for Business Measured Exchange service.

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5.2.2 Trunk Lines	
A.	Trunk lines are furnished on a measured or an unlimited service basis in accordance with the service offerings for main telephone exchange service in each exchange.
1.	For trunk lines provided on an unlimited business service basis, monthly rates equate to 150% of the monthly one-party line unlimited service monthly exchange rate applying in the particular exchange or zone involved.
2.	For trunk lines provided on an unlimited residence service basis, monthly rates equate to the one-party line unlimited service monthly exchange rate applying in the particular exchange or zone involved.
3.	For trunk lines provided on a business and residence measured service basis, monthly rates equate to the one-party measured business or residence service monthly exchange rate.
a.	For trunk lines provided on a business measured service basis, local usage is the same as with business one-party line measured service.
b.	For trunk lines provided on a residence measured service basis, local usage is the same as with residence one-party line measured service.

5.2.3 Municipal Calling Service	
A.	Municipal Calling service is a service arrangement provided on a non-optional basis to municipalities served by more than one exchange or zone where MTS charges would normally apply to calls between the exchanges or localities serving the same municipality. Dial station-to-station service, as defined in Section 9, within a municipality is not chargeable as MTS except for calls made to or from foreign exchange or foreign zone lines unless dial tone for the foreign exchange or foreign zone line is provided from a central office serving some portion of the municipality in which the foreign exchange line service address is located.
B.	Municipalities, serving exchanges and/or localities where municipal calling service applies are shown in Exhibit 5.2.3-1. Exchange classification is in accordance with regulations contained in Section 5.