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Mr. Thomas Ahern, Administrator
Division of Public Utilities and Carriers
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

Dear Administrator Ahern:

Verizon New England Inc. is pleased to file herewith the original and four copies of its Application for a Cable Television Compliance Order Certificate for Service Areas 2, 3 and 8, which include the communities of Providence, North Providence, Cranston, Foster, Scituate, Johnston, Westerly, Hopkinton, Richmond, Charlestown, South Kingstown, and Narragansett.

Also enclosed is a check for \$50, payable to the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, to cover the filing fee.

Granting Verizon's request to provide cable television service will allow Verizon to bring competition and all its associated benefits to subscribers in Service Areas 2, 3 and 8, which are currently served by a single cable operator, and we look forward to working with the Division to secure permission to do so as expeditiously as possible.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Donna C. Cupelo

Enclosures

cc: Mayor David Cicilline, City of Providence
Anna Stetson, Clerk, City of Providence

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Mayor John Sisto, City of North Providence
Mary Ann DeAngelus, Clerk, City of North Providence
Colette Matarese, Town Council President, Town of Foster
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Margaret Long, Clerk, Town of Scituate
Mayor Joseph Polisena, Town of Johnston
Vincent Bacari, Jr., Clerk, Town of Johnston
Mayor Michael Napolitano, City of Cranston
Maria Wall, Clerk, City of Cranston
Joseph Turo, Esq., Town Manager, Town of Westerly
Donna Giordano, Clerk, Town of Westerly
William DiLibero, Town Manager, Town of Hopkinton
Elizabeth Cook-Martin, Clerk, Town of Hopkinton
B. Joe Reddish III, Town Council President, Town of Richmond
Mary Morgan, Clerk, Town of Richmond
Kate Waterman, Town Council President, Town of Charlestown
Jodi LaCroix, Clerk, Town of Charlestown
Stephen Alfred, Town Manager, Town of South Kingstown
Dale Holberton, Clerk, Town of South Kingstown
Jeffrey Ceasrine, Town Manager, Town of Narragansett
Carol Robbins, Clerk, Town of Narragansett
Thomas Chinigo, Chair, Service Area 8 Advisory Committee
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