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Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
400 North Street – Keystone Building
Harrisburg, PA 17120

RE: P-2014-2446303
P-2014-2446304

Dear Commissioners,

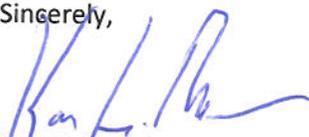
I'm very concerned that I read that Verizon is asking the PUC to remove many of the regulations affecting my home phone service. I'm not even a Verizon customer, but unlike a lot of people, I understand that my phone company does need to lease the copper line that provides the service to my house from Verizon.

Several of my friends and neighbors receive their home phone service in this manner, and I am very concerned that Verizon's intended actions will remove this option. There is only one cable company where I live, but I know of several providers who compete in my market by leasing lines from Verizon. When Verizon no longer is regulated by the State, I'm very concerned these services will cease to be offered.

Resale via Verizon needs to be protected. Seniors like myself have helped Verizon build and pay for their network over my lifetime spent in Pennsylvania. I need assurances that competition, which has benefited my friends and family, is being protected by Harrisburg and will remain available.

For these reasons, I'm asking that you do not grant Verizon's petition without making sure the competitive safeguards that require Verizon to offer resale and wholesale options all remain in place and fully enforced.

Sincerely,



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