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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street, 2nd Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: PPL Electric Utilities Corporation v. Buffalo Valley Telephone Company, Windstream Pennsylvania, LLC, Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone, Conestoga Telephone & Telegraph Company, Denver and Ephrata Telephone and Telegraph Company, Verizon North Retain Co., Frontier Communications of Pennsylvania, Inc., Ironton Telephone Company, Lackawaxen Telecommunications Services, Inc., Frontier Communicationa-Lakewood, Inc., TDS Telecom/Mahanoy & Mahantango Telephone Company, Pennsylvania Telephone Company, The North-Eastern Pennsylvania Telephone Company, Palmerton Telephone Company, South Canaan Telephone Company, TDS Telecom/Sugar Valley Telephone Company, The United Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, LLC, and Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.
Docket Nos. C-2009-2124528, C-2009-2125098, C-2009-2124869, C-2009-2124535, C-2009-2125027, C-2009-2125059, C-2009-2125054, C-2009-2125100, C-2009-2124216, C-2009-2124547, C-2009-2125022, C-2009-2124486, C-2009-2125067, C-2009-2125044, C-2009-2125090, C-2009-2124239, C-2009-2124839, C-2009-2124859**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed please find the Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.'s and Verizon North Retain Co.'s Response to PPL's Petition to Withdraw or Terminate Complaint Proceedings, in the above captioned matter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,


Suzan D. Paiva

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Enc.

Via First Class U.S. Mail
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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation	:	
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
Buffalo Valley Telephone Company,	:	Docket Nos. C-2009-2124528
Windstream Pennsylvania, LLC,	:	C-2009-2125098
Frontier Communications Commonwealth	:	
Telephone,	:	C-2009-2124869
Conestoga Telephone & Telegraph	:	
Company,	:	C-2009-2124535
Denver and Ephrata Telephone and	:	
Telegraph Company,	:	C-2009-2125027
Verizon North Retain Co.,	:	C-2009-2125059
Frontier Communications of	:	
Pennsylvania, Inc.,	:	C-2009-2125054
Ironton Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2125100
Lackawaxen Telecommunications	:	
Services, Inc.,	:	C-2009-2124216
Frontier Communicationa-Lakewood, Inc.,	:	C-2009-2124547
TDS Telecom/Mahanoy & Mahantango	:	
Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2125022
Pennsylvania Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2124486
The North-Eastern Pennsylvania	:	
Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2125067
Palmerton Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2125044
South Canaan Telephone Company	:	C-2009-2125090
TDS Telecom/Sugar Valley	:	
Telephone Company,	:	C-2009-2124239
The United Telephone Company	:	
of Pennsylvania, LLC,	:	C-2009-2124839
Verizon Pennsylvania Inc.	:	C-2009-2124859

**VERIZON'S RESPONSE TO PPL'S PETITION TO WITHDRAW
OR TERMINATE COMPLAINT PROCEEDINGS**

Verizon Pennsylvania Inc. and Verizon North Retain Co.¹ ("Verizon"), respondents in the above consolidate formal complaint case, hereby respond to the petition of PPL Electric Utilities Corporation ("PPL") to withdraw its complaints and terminate this proceeding.

¹ Verizon North Retain Co. is the successor to Verizon North Inc.

Verizon does not oppose PPL's petition to withdraw its complaints and terminate this proceeding. This lack of opposition to the relief sought should not be taken as agreement with the characterizations set forth in the numbered paragraphs of PPL's petition. Further, Verizon reserves the right to bring issues relating to this dispute to the Commission or another appropriate forum in the future if agreement is not ultimately reached.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: November 1, 2010

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a copy of the Response of Verizon Pennsylvania Inc. and Verizon North Retain Co. to PPL's Petition to Withdraw or Terminate Complaint Proceedings, upon the participants listed below in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54 (related to service by a participant) and 1.55 (related to service upon attorneys).

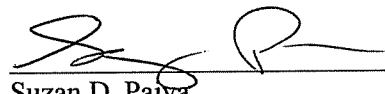
Dated at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, this 1st day of November, 2010.

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