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October 18, 2011

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
P.O. Box 3265  
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Re:

Verizon Pennsylvania Inc., Verizon North Inc., Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Long Distance, Verizon Select Services Inc., Verizon Global Networks, Inc., MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services, and MCI Communications Services Inc.

v.

Choice One Communications of Pennsylvania, Inc., CTC Communications Corp., and FiberNet Telecommunications of Pennsylvania, LLC  
**Docket Nos. C-20077672, C-20077674 and C-20077676**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

In accordance with the February 25, 2011 Secretarial Letter issued in this matter, please accept this letter as the fourth Joint Status Report of the Parties.

At the time that the last status report was submitted on August 22, 2011, the parties expected the final revision and approval of the settlement documents would be completed within 45 days. The parties have exchanged proposed revisions and have had follow-up discussions; however, the parties were not able to finalize the documents within the estimated 45 days.

The parties are continuing with the review, revision, and finalization of the settlement documents. The parties expect that the settlement will be concluded by December 31, 2011.

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When the settlement is finalized, the Parties will make the appropriate filing(s) to terminate the litigation in this matter.

If the settlement agreement is not finalized by December 31, 2011, the Parties will provide a further Status Report as directed by the Secretarial Letter.

In the meantime, should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me and/or Suzan Paiva. Thank you.

Best Regards,

STEVENS & LEE

  
Michael A. Grum

cc: Suzan Paiva, counsel for Verizon  
Robert Marinko, Deputy Director, Office of Special Assistants

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