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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

RE: Joint Petition of
Verizon North LLC (f/k/a Verizon North Retain Co., f/k/a Verizon North Inc.)
and Comcast Business Communications, LLC
(f/k/a Comcast Business Communications, Inc.)
of Adoption of an Interconnection Agreement
[Reference Docket No. A-310190 F7001]
Dkt. No. _____

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed please find Amendment No. 1 to the Interconnection Agreement between Verizon North LLC (f/k/a Verizon North Retain Co., f/k/a Verizon North Inc.) and Comcast Business Communications, LLC (f/k/a Comcast Business Communications, Inc.), which Agreement was approved by the Commission by Order entered March 23, 2007 in Docket No. A-310190 F7001. This Amendment should be attached to and made part of the 2007 filed Agreement. The Amendment is deemed to be effective as of October 1, 2011 and was signed by the second of the two parties' signers on February 9, 2012. Thus, this Joint Filing is being made within 30 days of the day that the Amendment was signed, as required by ordering Paragraph 5 of the Commission's May 3, 2004 Final Order in Docket No. M-00960799. As evidenced by the cc: below, notice of this filing is being provided to Comcast Business Communications, LLC.

Very truly yours,


Suzan D. Paiva

SDP/slb
Enclosure

cc: Brian Rankin, Esquire, Assistant General Counsel – Comcast
Ms. Beth Choroser, Senior Director of Regulatory Compliance – Comcast
Attached Certificate of Service

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AMENDMENT NO. 1
TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN

VERIZON NORTH LLC
f/k/a VERIZON NORTH RETAIN CO.

AND

COMCAST BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
d/b/a COMCAST LONG DISTANCE

This Amendment No. 1 (this "Amendment") shall be deemed effective on October 1, 2011 (the "Amendment Effective Date") by and between Verizon North LLC, f/k/a Verizon North Retain Co. ("Verizon"), a Delaware limited liability company with offices at 600 Hidden Ridge, HQE03H09, Irving TX 75038, and Comcast Business Communications, LLC d/b/a Comcast Long Distance ("Comcast"), a Delaware limited liability company with offices at One Comcast Center, Philadelphia, PA 19103 (Verizon and Comcast may be hereinafter referred to individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties"). This Amendment only covers the services addressed herein that Verizon provides in its operating territory in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (the "State").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, pursuant to an adoption letter dated December 12, 2006 (the "Adoption Letter"), Comcast adopted in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the terms of the interconnection agreement between Tristate Bell of PA d/b/a Connectel and Verizon that was approved by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (such Adoption Letter and underlying adopted interconnection agreement referred to herein, together with any amendment(s) thereto, collectively being the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, Comcast has requested that the Parties amend the Agreement to address the matters set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises contained herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Amendment to Agreement. The Agreement is amended to incorporate the terms and conditions set forth in this Amendment (including, without limitation, Exhibit A attached hereto), all of which shall apply to and be a part of the Agreement (hereinafter referred to as the "Amended Agreement") notwithstanding any other term or condition of the Amended Agreement, a Verizon Tariff or a Verizon Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions ("SGAT").

1.1 Directory Listings

- 1.1.1 For the avoidance of any doubt, Comcast shall pay Verizon the nonrecurring charges set forth in the Amended Agreement for each stand alone service order to establish a directory listing and for each service order to change a directory listing. For the further avoidance of any doubt, Exhibit A to this Amendment sets forth the nonrecurring charges for each order to establish a directory listing and for each stand alone order to change a directory listing. A stand alone service order is a service order containing information only related to a directory listing and does not order (or change) any other service.

- 1.1.2 Comcast's submission of listings information to Verizon pursuant to this Amendment or Agreement is solely at Comcast's discretion. For avoidance of any doubt, Comcast is not obligated to provide to Verizon any listing information pursuant to this Amendment or the Agreement.
- 1.2 For the avoidance of any doubt, Comcast shall pay Verizon's Tariffed charges for primary (if applicable), additional, foreign, and other listings products as set forth in Verizon's local Tariff.
- 1.3 If the Agreement is replaced by a successor interconnection agreement prior to October 1, 2016, the Parties shall incorporate the rates, terms and conditions contained herein into any successor interconnection agreement so that the rates, terms and conditions set forth herein shall remain continuously in effect through at least October 1, 2016.

2. Miscellaneous Provisions.

- 2.1 Conflict Between this Amendment and the Agreement. This Amendment shall be deemed to revise the terms and conditions of the Agreement to the extent necessary to give effect to the terms and conditions of this Amendment. In the event of a conflict between the terms and conditions of this Amendment and the terms and conditions of the Agreement, this Amendment shall govern; provided, however, that the fact that a term or condition appears in this Amendment but not in the Agreement, or in the Agreement but not in this Amendment, shall not be interpreted as, or deemed grounds for finding, a conflict for purposes of this Section 2.
- 2.2 Capitalization. Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings set forth in the Amended Agreement.
- 2.3 Counterparts. This Amendment may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original and all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- 2.4 Captions. The Parties acknowledge that the captions in this Amendment have been inserted solely for convenience of reference and in no way define or limit the scope or substance of any term or condition of this Amendment.
- 2.5 Scope of Amendment. This Amendment shall amend, modify and revise the Agreement only to the extent set forth expressly in this Amendment and, except to the extent expressly set forth in this Amendment, the terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect after the Amendment Effective Date.
- 2.6 Joint Work Product. The Parties acknowledge that this Amendment is the joint work product of the Parties, that, for convenience, this Amendment has been drafted in final form by Verizon and that, accordingly, in the event of ambiguities in this Amendment, no inferences shall be drawn for or against either Party on the basis of authorship of this Amendment.
- 2.7 Amendments. No amendments or modifications shall be made to this Amendment unless in writing and signed by appropriate representatives of the Parties.
- 2.8 Waivers. A failure or delay of either Party to enforce any of the provisions of this Amendment, or any right or remedy available under this Amendment, or at law or in equity, or to require performance of any of the provisions of this Amendment, or to exercise any option that is provided under this Amendment, shall in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provisions, rights, remedies or options.

2.9 Definitions. Notwithstanding any other provision in the Agreement, this Amendment or any Verizon Tariff or SGAT, the following terms, as used in this Amendment, shall have the meanings set forth below:

2.9.1 Tariff.

2.9.1.1 Any applicable Federal or state tariff of a Party, as amended from time to time, or successor document.

The term "Tariff" does not include any Verizon Statement of Generally Available Terms (SGAT) which has been approved or is pending approval by the Commission pursuant to Section 252(f) of the Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed as of the Amendment Effective Date.

COMCAST BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
d/b/a COMCAST LONG DISTANCE

VERIZON NORTH LLC

By: W. J. Clancy

Printed: MICHAEL CLANCY

Title: VP CARRIER MGT.

Date: 2/2/2012

By: Jennifer Ross

Printed: Jennifer Ross

Title: Director - Interconnection

Date: Feb 9, 2012

EXHIBIT A

Directory Listing Non-Recurring Charges

Per each stand alone service order to
establish or change a directory listing

\$5.00 per service order