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STEVEN TOURJE
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Re: 2007 Biennial NMP Implementation Update Reports for all PA Rural
Telecommunications Carriers and Verizon North Inc. due March 31, 2007

Dear Mr. Tourje,

Commission Staff has reviewed the 2007 Biennial Network Modernization Plan ("NMP") filing requirements for Pennsylvania telephone companies in accordance with 66 Pa. C.S. 3014(f), 3015(e), and 3015(f).

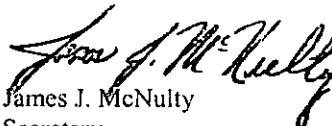
You are required to report your company's progress in meeting its NMP commitments in the areas of DSL deployment, broadband deployment status, broadband investment status, and in compliance with "The 13 Guidelines" at M-00930441 entered on May 17, 1999. A report template and blank status sheets are available to aid your company in reporting its NMP progress.

These blank documents are in the format that was agreed upon by Commission Staff and Pennsylvania Telephone Association (PTA) representatives and are available for download from the PUC Web Site at www.puc.state.pa.us/general/onlineforms.aspx.

When your 2007 Biennial NMP Implementation Update Report is complete, file one proprietary copy, plus one non-proprietary (public) official copy, with the Secretary's Bureau. In addition, file a courtesy proprietary copy with the Telco Group, Bureau of Fixed Utility Services, along with electronic proprietary copies of all files in the report – either on a 3-1/2" floppy or on a CD-ROM disk. Filing due date is March 31, 2007.

If you have any questions in this matter, please contact either Lou Samsel, Telco Group, Bureau of Fixed Utility Services, at (717) 787-5164 or lsamsel@state.pa.us; or Ed Berzonsky, Telco Group, Bureau of Fixed Utility Services, at (717) 787-3665 or cberzonsky@state.pa.us.

Sincerely,


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Secretary

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