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Dear Ms. Salak:

Verizon Florida LLC hereby files the following amended tariff pages to the Facilities for Intrastate Access effective December 19, 2013.

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These tariff pages reflect the withdrawal of certain services that are not being provided to any customers.

If you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowance (Continued)

2.4.4 Credit Allowance for FIA Interruptions (Continued)

(A) General (Continued)

A credit allowance for any FIA service will apply for the period specified as follows:

- (1) For Dedicated Access services other than Switched Access Entrance Facilities, Direct-Trunked Transport and Multiplexing (C) services a credit allowance will be made for an interruption period of 30 minutes or more. The allowance will be calculated at the rate of 1/1440 of the monthly charge for the portion of the FIA affected, for each 30 minutes or major fraction thereof that the interruption continues. A major fraction is considered to be sixteen minutes or more beyond the 30 minute period.
- (2) For Switched Access service, billed using assumed minutes of use, a credit allowance will be made for an interruption of 24 hours or more. The credit allowance will be calculated at 1/30 of the assumed minutes of use charge for each 24 hours or major fraction thereof that the interruption continues. A major fraction is considered to be 13 hours. No credit will be given where Switched Access billing is based on actual usage.
- (3) Switched Access Service Entrance Facilities, Direct-Trunked Transport and Multiplexing will be eligible for a credit allowance for each occurrence of a service interruption period greater than 30 minutes. The maximum credit allowance will be \$200.00 for each out of service condition within the Telephone Company's facilities. The credit allowance will not exceed the monthly charge for the interrupted service and will not be applied more than once per calendar month. This credit allowance is applicable in all jurisdictions. A credit allowance will not be extended in accordance with conditions in 2.1.3(H) and 2.4.4(B) for repair of Telephone Company owned facilities.

(B) When Credit Allowance Does Not Apply

No credit allowance will be made for:

- (1) Interruptions caused by the negligence of the customer.
- (2) Interruptions of a FIA due to the failure of equipment or systems provided by the customer or others.
- (3) Interruptions of a FIA during any period in which the Telephone Company is not afforded access to the premises where the FIA is terminated.
- (4) Interruptions of a FIA during an agreed upon period when the customer has released a FIA to the Telephone Company for maintenance purposes, to make rearrangements, or for the implementation of an ASR for a change in the FIA. Should the maintenance, rearrangement, or ASR implementation interruption period extend beyond the agreed upon period, credit allowance will apply.
- (5) Interruptions of a FIA which continue because of the failure of the customer to authorize replacement of any element of Special Construction, as set forth in Section 10 following. The period for which no credit allowance is made begins on the seventh day after the Telephone Company's written notification to the customer of the need for such replacement and ends on the day after receipt of the customer's written authorization for such replacement.
- (6) Periods when the customer elects not to release the FIA for testing and/or repair and continues to use it on an impaired
- (7) Periods when the Telephone Company must temporarily interrupt an EIS, as defined in Section 17, in order to prevent damage or disruption of the Telephone Company's network due to the customer's equipment.
- (8) An interruption or a group of interruptions, resulting from a common cause, for amounts less than one dollar.
- (9) For EIS elements specified in Section 17, no credit allowance will be made.
- (C) Use of an Alternative Service Provided by the Telephone Company

Should the customer elect to use an alternative service provided by the Telephone Company during the period that a FIA is interrupted, the customer must pay the tariffed rates and charges for the alternative service used.

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7.1.6 Ordering Conditions (Continued)

(B) Dedicated Access Jurisdictional Verification

If a billing dispute arises or a regulatory commission questions the customer's certification of the jurisdiction of the line the Telephone Company will ask the customer to provide the data used to determine the jurisdiction. The customer shall supply the data within 30 days of the Telephone Company's request. The customer shall keep records of system design and functions from which the jurisdiction can be ascertained and upon request of the Telephone Company make the records available for inspection as reasonably necessary for purposes of verification of the jurisdiction of the service.

7.2 <u>Description of Dedicated Access</u>

The generic types of Dedicated Access offerings are:

- -Voiceband
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- -Videoband
- -High Capacity Digital
- -Digital Data Service

Each type has its own characteristics, and are subdivided by one or more of the following:

- -Transmission specifications
- -Bandwidth
- -Speed (i.e., bit rate)
- -Spectrum

The Dedicated Access offerings described below are comprised of a combination of the rate elements described in 7.1.1. The following descriptions indicate the most effective use for each facility. Customer use for purposes other than those indicated is limited only to the extent that such use must not harm the network. Further, the Telephone Company does not guarantee transmission performance beyond the parameters identified in the descriptions.

The transmission performance characteristics of each Dedicated Access offering are stated in Section 7000 of the Verizon Technical Interface Reference Manual. The Telephone Company will maintain existing transmission specifications on services installed prior to the effective date of this tariff, except that existing services with performance specifications exceeding the standards in the Verizon Technical Interface Reference Manual will be maintained at the performance level specified in the manual. Where transmission performance characteristics are required other than those as stated in Section 7000 of the Verizon Technical Interface Reference Manual, the Telephone Company will review, and where technically feasible, will develop rates and charges for the additional costs associated with provisioning the parameters. These rates and charges will be filed on an individual case basis and will apply in addition to all other applicable rates and charges.

The customer also has the option of ordering Voiceband and analog and digital high capacity facilities to a Telephone Company Hub for multiplexing to individual channels of a lower capacity or bandwidth. Descriptions of the types of multiplexing available at the Hubs, as well as the number of individual channels which may be derived from each type of facility, are set forth in 7.5. Additionally, the customer may specify supplemental features for the individual channels derived from the facility to further tailor the channel to meet specific communications requirements. Descriptions of the supplemental features available are set forth in 7.4.

For example, a customer may order a 3.152 Mbps facility from a CDL to a Telephone Company Hub for multiplexing to two 1.544 Mbps channels. The 1.544 Mbps channels may be further multiplexed at the same or a different Hub to Voiceband channels or may be extended to other CDLs. Optional features may be added to either the 1.544 Mbps or the Voiceband Channels.

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7.1 General (Continued)

7.1.5 Acceptance Testing

At the time of installation, the following test parameters apply:

(A) For Voiceband services, acceptance testing will include tests for loss, 3-tone slope, DC continuity, operational signaling, C-notched noise, and C-message noise.

When the Interface Arrangement provides a four-wire voice transmission facility and the point of termination provides two-wire voice transmission (i.e., there is a four-wire to two-wire conversion at the point of termination) balance tests are also included in acceptance testing. When performing installation and acceptance testing, the Telephone Company will test the access service within the LATA.

On four-wire and effective four-wire circuits where the Network Channel Terminating Equipment (NCTE) has the capability of being remotely aligned, the Telephone Company may perform acceptance testing without a Telephone Company technician at the customer's premise. Should the customer request a technician be present at the customer's premise, additional charges will apply as set forth in Section 13.2(C). The applicable rates are in Section 13.2(G).

If the NCTE at the customer's premise does not have the capability of being aligned remotely, the additional charges will not apply. The Telephone Company will determine the type of NCTE placed at a customer's premise.

(B) For other analog services (i.e. video) and for digital services (i.e., Digital Data Services and High Capacity Digital (C) Services), acceptance testing will include tests for the parameters applicable to the service as set forth in Section 7000 of the Verizon Technical Interface Reference Manual for each of these services.

When the customer requests the performance of additional cooperative tests which are not required to meet these specified performance parameters, charges as set forth in 13.6(B) following will apply. All test results will be made available to the customer upon request.

If acceptance tests are not started within 15 minutes after pre-service tests have been completed and the customer has been notified by the Telephone Company, additional charges may apply, as set forth in 13.2 following, unless the delay is caused by the Telephone Company.

7.1.6 Ordering Conditions

Ordering conditions are set forth in detail in Section 5 preceding. Also included in that section, are other charges which may be associated with ordering Dedicated Access (e.g., Service Date Charges, Cancellation Charges, etc.).

(A) Determination of Jurisdiction of Mixed Use Local Channels

When mixed interstate and intrastate Dedicated Access Service is ordered, the jurisdiction will be determined as follows:

- (1) If the customer's estimate of the interstate traffic on the physically intrastate line involved constitutes 10% or less of the total traffic on that line, the line will be ordered and provided in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of this tariff.
- (2) If the customer's estimate of the interstate traffic on the physically intrastate line involved constitutes more than 10% of the total traffic on that line, the line will be ordered and provided in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of the Verizon Telephone Companies Tariff FCC No. 14, Facilities for Interstate Access.

7.2 <u>Description of Dedicated Access</u> (Continued)

7.2.1 Voiceband

(A) Two-Wire Voiceband Facility (USOC - XDV++)

These facilities are unconditioned and are capable of transmitting voice or data signals within the frequency spectrum of approximately 300 Hz to 3000 Hz. These facilities are furnished on a two-point or multipoint basis and may be terminated two-wire or four-wire at the point of termination. They permit the simultaneous transmission of information in both directions over a circuit, but it is not possible to ensure independent information transmission in both directions. Supplemental features may be added, at applicable charges, to enhance the operational capabilities of these facilities.

(B) Four-Wire Voiceband Facility (USOC - XDV++)

These facilities are unconditioned and are capable of transmitting voice or data signals within the frequency spectrum of approximately 300 Hz to 3000 Hz. The facilities are furnished on a two-point or multipoint basis and may be terminated two-wire or four-wire at the point of termination. When terminated four-wire, they permit simultaneous independent transmission of information in both directions over a circuit. However, when terminated two-wire, simultaneous independent transmission cannot be supported. Supplemental features may be added, at applicable charges, to enhance the operational capabilities of these facilities.

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7.2.4 Videoband

These facilities are arranged and provided for the transmission of television to be broadcast or used in connection with viewing or recording.

Facilities to be used in connection with broadcast video service must be ordered from the appropriate interstate tariff.

7.2.5 (Reserved for Future Use)

7.2.6 (Reserved for Future Use)

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7.6 Rate Regulations (Continued)

7.6.1 Type of Rates and Charges (Continued)

(D) Nonrecurring Charges

Nonrecurring charges are one-time charges that apply for specific work activity, (i.e., installation of service or change to an existing service). The types of nonrecurring charges that apply for Dedicated Access Service are those listed below.

(1) <u>Dedicated Access Ordering Charges</u>

Dedicated Access Ordering Charges are associated with the work performed by the Telephone Company in connection with the receiving, recording and processing of customer service requests. There are two types of service ordering charges.

(a) Initial Ordering Charge - Dedicated Access (USOC - SESCL) (IOSC - Interexchange 11350; Local 47010)

This charge applies on a per Access Service Request (ASR) basis, including those requests to add additional termination to an existing service.

(b) <u>Subsequent Ordering Charge - Dedicated Access</u> (USOC - SESBX) (IOSC - Interexchange 11351; Local 47011)

This charge applies on a per ASR basis for modifications to an existing service. This would include activities such as:

- Additions of supplemental features and multiplexing arrangements.

 Changes in the type of transport rate option from Switched Transport to Interoffice Channel for FGA and FGB Switched Access Service as described in 6.1 preceding.

(2) Installation Charge

(a) The Service Installation Charge is associated with the work performed by the Telephone Company in connection with the physical installation activities involving central office and/or outside plant facilities. This charge applies on a per Local Channel basis for the installation of service, and for additional terminations to existing service.

This charge does not apply to installations involving DS1 Service. The installation charge for this service is set forth in 7.6.1(D)(5).

(b) The nonrecurring charge for the Interoffice Channel mileage will be applied each time the Interoffice Channel rate element is applicable.

The nonrecurring charges for the installation of Services are set forth in 7.7 following as nonrecurring charges for the Local Channel Rate Element and the Interoffice Channel Rate Element.

(3) Design Change Charge (USOC - H28)(IOSC - Interexchange 11352; Local 47009)

The customer may request a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to a pending ASR for Dedicated Access Service which requires engineering review. Design changes include such things as the addition or deletion of supplemental features or changes in the terminating options. Design changes do not include a change of IC CDL or end user premises when its serving wire center changes or Dedicated Access service type (e.g., 2-wire to 4-wire Voiceband). Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new ASR and the cancellation of the original ASR. The cancellation charges apply as set forth in 5.2.6 preceding.

The Telephone Company will review the requested change, notify the customer whether the change can be accommodated and specify if a new service date is required. If the customer authorizes the Telephone Company to proceed with the design change, a Design Change Charge will apply.

The Design Change Charge, as set forth in 7.7.1 following, will apply on a per ASR per occurrence basis, for each ASR requiring a design change.

If a change of service date is required, the Service Date Change Charge as set forth in Section 5 preceding will also apply.

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7.6 Rate Regulations (Continued)

7.6.5 Rates and Charges on an Individual Case Basis

- (A) The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for the following service offerings will be developed on an Individual Case Basis:
 - (D)(T)
 - Full-time Videoband Facilities
- (B) (Reserved For Future Use)
- (C) The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for the following Supplemental Features will be developed on an Individual Case Basis:

Dataphone Select-a-Station Bridging Common Equipment - Addressable.

Dataphone Select-a-station Bridging - Each Four-Wire Port.

7.6.6 Hub Wire Centers

A Hub Wire Center is a Telephone Company designated serving wire center at which bridging or multiplexing arrangements are provided. Bridging is used to connect three or more CDLs in a multipoint arrangement. The multiplexing arrangements channelize analog or digital facilities to individual services requiring a lower capacity or bandwidth.

Although Hub Wire Centers are defined as serving wire centers at which bridging or multiplexing arrangements are performed, they are not limited to providing these functions and may provide any other types of Dedicated Access services offered in this tariff.

The Telephone Company will designate the Hub Wire Center locations. Different locations may be designated as Hub Wire Centers for different functions, such as bridging or multiplexing arrangements, for different facility capacities (e.g., multiplexing from digital to digital may occur at one wire center while multiplexing from digital to analog may occur at a different wire center). The location of Hub Wire Centers and the types of hubbing functions offered at that location are identified in the ECA Tariff FCC No. 4.

Some of the types of multiplexing provided include the following:

- from higher to lower bit rate,
- from higher to lower bandwidth,
- from digital to voice grade service.

The transmission performance for the end to end Dedicated Access provided from CDLs will be that of the lower capacity or bit rate. For example, when a DS1 Dedicated Access is multiplexed to voice frequency circuits, the transmission performance will be Voiceband, not High Capacity.

The Telephone Company will commence billing the monthly rate for the Local Channel and the Interoffice Channel or Dedicated Access Cross Connect charge for EIS arrangements for the High Capacity facility to the Hub Wire Center as of the service date, even though individual services utilizing those facilities may not be installed until a later date. If the customer has designated the type of multiplexing to be provided with the High Capacity facility, the nonrecurring charge for the Multiplexing Arrangement will be billed to the same customer at that same time, and the billing for the monthly rate will begin.

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107. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - DEDICATED ACCESS SERVICES

107.1 General

Service offerings listed herein are classified as discontinued and will apply to existing customers only, unless stated otherwise.

Unless otherwise specified in this Section 107, discontinued services are furnished subject to all the rules and regulations of the tariff the same as would be applicable if the service offering were not discontinued.

107.2 Supplemental Features

107.2.1 Alarm Distribution Bridging (USOC - BCNTA)

Provides polling type bridging capabilities, band splitting filters and conversion of four-wire common terminations up to a capacity of 40 two-wire terminations. This function is offered as two tariff elements. The first element provides all shelving and common equipment for a capacity of 40 two-wire terminations. The second element provides a two-wire port. One common equipment rate element will apply to accommodate up to 40 two-wire terminations. One two-wire port charge will apply to each two-wire Dedicated Access Line terminated in the bridge.



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107.3 Rates and Charges

107.3.1 Voiceband Facilities

(A) Optional Arrangements

(1.) Bridging - Alarm Distribution Bridging-Split Band Active Bridging

	a.	Central Office Common Equipment	IOSC	Monthly	Nonrecurring	LICOC		
		Bridging Shelf, capacity of 48 two-wire connections	Interexchange Z2950	Rate 66.00	<u>Charge</u> 160.00	USOC DXQC1		
	b. Channel Connection, per Channel Connected							
		Remote station channel connection	61198	1.50	40.00	DXQRX		
		Mid-link channel connection, first channel (deleted)	-	6.00	50.00	DXQM1		
(2.)	Supplemental Features - Dataphone Select-a-Station Bridging							
	a.	Each Two-Wire Port		13.00	60.00	DQ2		
	b.	Each Four-Wire Port		26.00	60.00	DQ4		

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