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Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12223

Re: Verizon New York Inc. Access Service Tariff, PSC NY Nos. 8 and 11

Dear Secretary Burgess:

The following schedule is issued by Verizon New York Inc. ("Verizon"), and is transmitted for filing with the Public Service Commission, State of New York, to be effective July 1, 2017.

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This filing is made pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's Report and Order reforming the intercarrier compensation and universal service systems, 26 FCC Rcd 17663 ("FCC Order"), and subsequent orders, and implements the sixth step in the transition of switched access rate reductions.

This filing reduces the terminating switched access and local interconnection end office minute of use charges to bill-and-keep. In addition, terminating switched access and local interconnection tandem usage rates are reduced to \$0.0007 per minute for traffic terminating to Verizon end offices.

The telecommunications industry was informed of these changes via an Industry Letter in May 2017. Therefore, Verizon respectfully requests that the requirements of newspaper publication be waived.

Please contact me if you have any questions about the revised tariffs.

Please forward the acknowledgement receipt for this filing to Jeanette Nunez at <u>jeanette.nunez@verizon.com</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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