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# The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS (Effective: 01/18/2008)

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In the Matter of the Application of Verizon North Inc. to Increase the renewal discount for the Residential Voice Discount Plan	- ) ) )	TRF Docket No. 90-5023-TP-TRF  Case No TP  NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case # or are filing a Contract, leave the "Case No" fields BLANK.
Name of Registrant(s) Verizon North Inc.		
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) Verizon North Inc.		
Address of Registrant(s) 1300 Columbus-Sandusky Rd. N.	Marion, C	DH 43302

Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>Cassandra.cole@verizon.com</u>

Contact Person for Annual Report Cassandra Cole\_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Consumer Contact Information Cassandra Cole Phone 740-383-0490

Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone 740-383-0490

Motion for protective order included with filing? Yes X No

Company Web Address <u>www.verizon.com</u> Regulatory Contact Person(s) <u>Cassandra Cole</u>

# Section I – Pursuant to Chapter <u>4901:11-6 OAC</u> – Part I – Please indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below. *CMRS providers: Please see the bottom of Section II*.

NOTES: (1) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.

(2) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at www.puco.ohio.gov under the docketing information system section, by calling the docketing division at 614-466-4095, or by visiting the docketing division at the offices of the Commission.

Carrier Type  Other (explain below)	X ILEC	CLEC	☐ CTS	AOS/IOS
Tier 1 Regulatory Treatment				
Change Rates within approved Range	TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)	TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)		F3 T0
New Service, expanded local calling area, correction of textual error	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)	TA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)		PECEIVE 2003 AP
Change Terms and Conditions, Introduce non-recurring service charges	ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	0	
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or Returned Check Charge	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	(*)	7 - 6
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Withdrawal	☐ ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	☐ ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)		sand C
Raise the Ceiling of a Rate	Not Applicable	☐ SLF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)		
Tier 2 Regulatory Treatment				
Residential - Introduce non-recurring service charges	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)		
Residential - Introduce New Tariffed Tier 2 Service(s)	TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Residential - Change Rates, Terms and Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	X TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Residential - Tier 2 Service Contracts	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	
Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	
Business Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
Residential & Business Toll Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	

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Abandon :	all Services - With Customers	ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Auto 90 day)	ABN <u>1-6-11(8)</u> (Auto 14 day)	☐ ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)
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Change of	Official Name (See below)	ACN <u>1-6-14(8)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACN <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)
Change in	Ownership (See below)	ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice) (
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amendmer	nt to an approved agreement	(Auto 90 day)	(Auto 90 day)	<u> </u>	
Request fo	r Arbitration	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)	ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)		
	or change c-t-c service tariffs,	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)		
pursuant to	or change access service 0 07-464-TP-COI	ATA (Auto 30 day)			<u> </u>
	ral carrier exemption, rural ension or modifiction	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) <u>1-7-05</u>	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) 1-7-05		
	ment changes in terms and	UNC 1-7-23(B)	UNC 1-7-05		
conditions	and price changes.	(Non-Auto)	(Non-Auto)	LI	
CMRS Pro	viders See <u>4901:1-6-15</u>	RCC [Registration & Change in Operations] (0 day)  NAG [Interconnection Agreement or Amendment] (Auto 90 days)			
Other* (explain) to increase rates for Residential and Business Remote Call Forwarding					
*NOTE: During the interim period between the effective date of the rules and an Applicant's Detariffing Filing, changes to existing					
business Tier 2 and all toll services, including the addition of new business Tier 2 and all new toll services, will be processed as 0-day					
TRF filings, and briefly described in the "Other" section above.					
All Section I and II applications that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a					
minimum, the following exhibits. Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN,					
ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see the 4901:1-6-14 Filing Requirements on the					
Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.					
Exhibit Description:					
A The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)					
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A	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
В	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in
	the right margin.
C	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according
	to the applicable rule(s).

Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

## **AFFIDAVIT**

## Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Verizon North, Inc.

, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-5 OAC for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the	foregoing is true and correct.	
Executed on (Date) 4 3 09	at (Location) Marion, Ohio	<b>)</b> :
	*(Signature and Title) Coll Disc.	(Date) 1/2/0°
<ul> <li>This affidavit is required for every tapplicant.</li> </ul>	ariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an a	uthorized agent of the

## <u>VERIFICATION</u>

I, <u>Cassandra Cole</u>, verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Routine Proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\*(Signature and Title) assarda ble DR

(Date) 4/3/09

\*Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.

Send your completed Application Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attention: Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Or

Make such filing electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR

EXHIBIT A

# CURRENT TARIFF SHEETS

Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 7 Section 10 Sheet No. 3rd Revised Sheet No. 21

## **GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF**

P.U.C.O. No. 7

Verizon North Inc.

SECTION 10 3rd Revised Sheet No. 21 Cancels 2nd Revised Sheet No. 21

## PACKAGED SERVICES

## VOICE DISCOUNT PLAN

#### 8.01. **GENERAL**

Residence customers who call to disconnect their primary line, customers who change their local service from another provider to Verizon, or customers who have changed their local service from another provider to Verizon and have initiated local service with Verizon within the past 30 days and specifically request these rates in response to direct mailings, advertising or other Verizon marketing activities will be eligible for the Voice Discount Plan.

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#### 8.02. CONDITIONS

The applicable discount will expire twelve (12) months from the date it is implemented on a customer's account unless extended in response to competition as determined by Verizon. Discontinuance of any one of the services listed in 8.03, below will result in immediate termination of the discount.

Qualifying unlimited long distance calling plans must be consistent with the Plan O Service - Unlimited as found in the Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc. d/b/a/ Verizon Long Distance Posted Rates, Terms and Conditions.

#### 8.03. RATES

Regional Value <sup>3</sup>	\$ 9.05
Regional Essentials 1,3	14.05
Regional Value 2, 3	5.00
Regional Essentials 2,3	10.00

Customers who subscribed to the Voice Discount Plan or the promotional offer titled Regional Value/Essentials Discount Offer may receive an additional 12-month discount as listed below upon expiration of their initial 12-month discount.

### Monthly Renewal Discount

Monthly Discount

Regional Essentials 1	\$ 4.05
Regional Value <sup>2</sup>	2.00
Regional Essentials 2	7.00

Bundled with a qualifying unlimited long distance calling plan.

Issued: October 30, 2008

Effective: November 1, 2008

Purchased with additional line.

<sup>3</sup> As of September 14, 2008, discounts will no longer be provided on additional lines except on those additional lines of customers subscribed to the Voice Discount Plan on or before September 13, 2008, and only until the expiration of their renewal periods.

## EXHIBIT B

## PROPOSED TARIFF SHEETS

<u>Tariff</u> P.U.C.O. No. 7

Section 10

Sheet No. 4th Revised Sheet No. 21

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The applicable initial discount will expire twelve (12) months from the date it is implemented on a customer's account. Discontinuance of any one of the services listed in 8.03, below will result in immediate termination of the discount,

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Customers who subscribed to the Voice Discount Plan or the promotional offer titled Regional Value/Essentials Discount Offer may receive renewal discounts on a month to month basis as listed below upon expiration of their initial 12-month discount.

Monthly Renewal Discount (through April 1, 2009) (C)

Regional Essentials 1	\$4.05
Regional Value <sup>2</sup>	2.00
Regional Essentials <sup>2</sup>	7.00

	Monthly Renewal Discount (on or after April 2, 2009)	(Ņ)
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Regional Value	\$ 9.05
Regional Essentials 1	14.05
Regional Value 2	5.00
Regional Essentials 2	10.00

Purchased with additional line.

<sup>2</sup> Bundled with a qualifying unlimited long distance calling plan.

Issued: April 2, 2009

Effective: April 2, 2009

<sup>3</sup> As of September 14, 2008, discounts will no longer be provided on additional lines except on those additional lines of customers subscribed to the Voice Discount Plan on or before September 13, 2008, and only until the expiration of their renewal periods.

## EXHIBIT C

## RATIONALE FOR CHANGE

Verizon North Inc. proposes to revise its General Exchange Tariff, P.U.C.O. No. 7, to increase the renewal discount for the residential Voice Discount Plan effective April 2, 2009. Prior customer notice not required since this is not an increase.