

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Verizon)
North Inc. for Approval of an Alternative)
Form of Regulation of Basic Local Exchange) Case No. 08-989-TP-BLS
Service and Other Tier 1 Services Pursuant)
to Chapter 4901:1-4, Ohio Administrative)
Code.)

ENTRY ON REHEARING

The Commission finds:

- (1) On March 18, 2009, the Commission issued a finding and order in this case that approved the application of Verizon North Inc. (Verizon) for alternative regulation of basic local exchange service in 21 Ohio exchanges.
- (2) Section 4903.10, Revised Code, indicates that any party who has entered an appearance in a Commission proceeding may apply for rehearing with respect to any matters determined by filing an application within 30 days after the entry of the order upon the journal of the Commission.
- (3) On April 17, 2009, the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel (OCC) filed an application for rehearing of the Commission's finding and order.
- (4) On April 27, 2009, Verizon filed a memorandum opposing OCC's application for rehearing.
- (5) On April 24, 2009, OCC filed a motion to reopen or, in the alternative, a motion to abrogate or modify the Commission's finding and order.
- (6) On May 11, 2009, Verizon filed a memorandum contra OCC's motion to reopen.
- (7) The Commission shall grant OCC's application for rehearing to consider further the issues raised by the application for rehearing, Verizon's memorandum contra, OCC's motion to reopen, and Verizon's response to OCC's motion to reopen.

It is, therefore,

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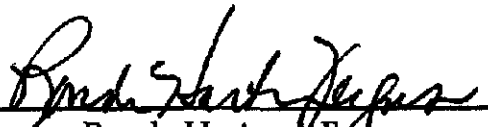
ORDERED, That the application for rehearing filed by OCC is granted to allow consideration of the application for rehearing, OCC's motion to either reopen the proceeding or, alternatively, abrogate or modify the Commission's finding and order, and Verizon's response to OCC's motion. It is, further,

ORDERED, That copies of this entry on rehearing be served upon the parties, their counsel, and upon all interested persons of record.

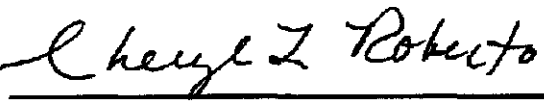
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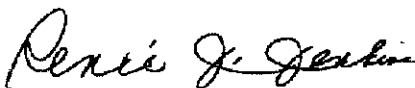

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