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VIA FEDERAL EXRESS

Ms. Renee J. Jenkins
Director of Administration
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

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Re:

Verizon Access Services: Tariff No. 11

Dear Ms. Jenkins,

Please find attached an original and ten (10) copies of revisions to MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("Verizon Access") Local Exchange Services Tariff No. 11. We respectfully request that the proposed revisions become effective on January 1, 2011.

The following pages are being revised:

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2	11th	46	lst
3.1	10th		

With this filing, Lifeline Service will no longer be available to new customers.

If you have any questions in this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at either (972) 718-3442 or griselda.antu@verizon.com.

Respectfully submitted.

Griselda Antu

**Tariff Administrator** 

Verizon

**Enclosures** 

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

TRF Docket No. 90- 9006

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In the Matter of the Application of MCImetro Access  Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access  Transmission Services  Transmission Services  Transmission Services  Double Transmission Services  NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case # or are filling a Contract, leave the "Case No" fields BLANK.  Name of Registrant(s) MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services  DBA(s) of Registrant(s) Verizon Access Transmission Services  Address of Registrant(s) 600 Hidden Ridge, Irving.  Company Web Address www.verizonbusiness.com  Regulatory Contact Person(s) Griselda Antu - HQE02F69  Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address griselda.antu@verizon.com  Contact Person for Annual Report Haleh Davary  Address (if different from above) 201 Spear Street, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94105				<u>s</u> 2-718-4401
Consumer Contact Information Mike Riddle		uncisco, C/1 74105	Phone 3	<u>19-861-5367</u>
Address (if different from above) 500 2 <sup>nd</sup> Av		52401	1 none <u>5</u>	17 001 3301
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Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case?		: Waivers may toll an	v automatic timeframe	2.1
Section I – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:11-6 OAC – 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 <a href="https://www.puco.ohio.gov">www.puco.ohio.gov</a> 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)	☐ ILEC		□ стѕ	AOS/IOS
Tier 1 Regulatory Treatment				
Change Rates within approved Range	☐ TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
New Service, expanded local calling	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
area, correction of textual error	∐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)		
Change Terms and Conditions,	ATA 1-6-04(B)	ATA 1-6-04(B))		
Introduce non-recurring service charges	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or	ATA 1-6-04(B)	ATA 1-6-04(B)	_	
Returned Check Charge	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Business Contract	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)		
Withdrawal	☐ ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)		
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	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>		☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	
Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	
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Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	
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Residential & Business Toll Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	

#### Section I - Part II - Certificate Status and Procedural

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Abandon all Services - Without Customers		ABN 1-6-11(A) (Auto 30 days)	ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)	ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)
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\*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). CAN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see <a href="mailto:the-14-filing Requirements on the-20mmission">the-20mmission</a>'s Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Exhibit	Description:
Α	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.
С	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, <u>MCImetro Access Transmission</u>, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services

(Name)

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 t	hat the foregoing is true a	and correct.	
Executed on (Date)	at (Location)	205 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL 60	601
		*(Signature and Title)(Tariff Manage	(Date)
<ul> <li>This affidavit is required for applicant.</li> </ul>	every tariff-affecting filing.	It may be signed by counsel or an officer of th	ne applicant, or an authorized agent of the
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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

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

#### 1) LETTER NOTICE (TO BE SENT MID-NOVEMBER):

"As of January 1, 2011, MCI will no longer offer Lifeline service to new customers in your state. You will continue to receive your LL benefit this year until your anniversary month. Your anniversary month is XXXXXX, 2011. You will no longer receive a discount or benefit on your current calling plan in the billing cycle following your anniversary month. You may also be charged certain surcharges on your bill from which you were previously exempt.

"You do not need to take any action but you can call CS to determine if another plan will suit you better. Please call CS.

"Call CS with questions 1-888-624-5622."

#### 2) INVOICE MESSAGE NOTICE (TO BE INCLUDED IN DECEMBER INVOICES):

As of January 1, 2011, MCI will no longer offer Lifeline Service in your state. You will receive the Lifeline benefit through your anniversary month. In the next bill cycle you will receive the full plan rate for your calling plan. You may also be charged certain surcharges from which you were previously exempt. You should have received a letter regarding your Lifeline benefit changes. Please call Customer Service at 1-888-624-5622 with any questions.

CHECK SHEET

Pages 1 - 84 inclusive of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. Original and revised pages, as named below, comprise all changes from the original tariff in effect on the date indicated.

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<sup>\*</sup> New or Revised Sheet

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# Consumer Local Exchange Service-Facility Based (Cont'd)

### 4.4 Lifeline Service<sup>1</sup>

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4.4.1 Description

Lifeline Service is discounted service offered for qualifying low-income customers who qualify for this in accordance with the following Regulations. Beginning October 1, 2003, in order to be eligible for the Lifeline Service, a residential customer must be enrolled in one of the following programs: Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medicaid, Federal Public Housing, Food Stamps, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Plan (LIHEAP).

4.4.2 Rules

1) Regulations specified elsewhere in the Company's tariffs which apply to all service plans apply to Lifeline Service; 2) Presentation of appropriate supporting documentation and a completed Lifeline application shall constitute proof of income eligibility; 3) Toll Blocking is free to Lifeline customers; 4) No service deposit is required in order to initiate Lifeline service, if the qualifying low-income consumer voluntarily elects toll blocking, where available. If toll blocking is unavailable, the carrier may charge a service deposit; 5) Lifeline service may not be disconnected for non-payment of toll charges; 6) Additional lines are not eligible for the Lifeline Service, but will be provided upon request at applicable tariffed rates.

4.4.3 Monthly Rates and Discounts

Lifeline Service provides a monthly discount of \$1.75 once eligibility has been determined. The Interstate line charge (as described in MCImetro Access Transmission Services Inc. F.C.C No 1) is also waived with additional credits applied to the end user's basic local exchange service. At no time shall the total Lifeline credit exceed the sum of the end-user common line charge and the basic local exchange rate. Lifeline Service is subject to all applicable state, local, and federal taxes and surcharges, and to all applicable tariff rates, charges, surcharges and regulations.

4.5 Link-Up

Link-Up is a federal program that reduces the cost of new line installation for customers based on need. At this time, MCI does not offer new lines and subsequently, no new line installation charges apply. MCI will offer Link-Up discounts when new lines are technically feasible.

Discount: Participants shall receive a reduction off of the line connection fee for a single residence line at the customer's principal residence.

Link Up Assistance is available to residential customers who are currently participating in one of the following assistance programs:

Medical Assistance under Chapter 5111 of the Ohio Revised Code (Medicaid) Food Stamps
Supplemental Security Income (SSI) under Title XVI of the Social Security Act Federal public housing assistance, or Section 8
Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program

A reduction of the Telephone Company's applicable service connection charges equal to one-half of such service connection charges, or \$30.00, whichever is less.

The discount only applies to a single telephone line at the principle place of residence the discount may only be used once unless the customer changes residence.

Effective January 1, 2011, this service will no longer be available to new customers.

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