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Ms. Daisy Crockron
Chief of Docketing
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street – 10th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

RE: PUCO Case No. 01-2565-TP-PEX

Dear Ms. Crockron:

By Finding And Order dated October 31, 2002, the PUCO ordered Verizon North Inc. to review the results of the balloting conducted in the New Burlington exchange to determine the willingness of the New Burlington subscribers to agree to pay increased rates per the above EAS case, and to notify the PUCO as to the Company's position on the final tally.

Verizon North Inc.'s review of the balloting reflects the following results:

For	Against	Invalid	Total lines
449	14	20	483

Thus, Verizon North Inc. finds that of the New Burlington subscribers casting ballots, 93% agree with the increase in rates. Verizon North Inc. further states that it does not desire a hearing on this matter.

Sincerely,

Cassandra Cole

Cassandra Cole
Manager

c: Betty Miller

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