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Ms. Beth W. Salak, Director  
Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Salak:

Attached are new tariff pages filed to become part of the Verizon Florida LLC General Services Tariff. Also included in this filing is the Executive Summary Update for the Withdrawal of Conference Connections Service (CCS).

The purpose of this filing is to withdraw Conference Connections® Service – Reservation-Less System (CCS) from the General Services Tariff. Verizon Business has a newer, more robust conferencing service that is available to customers. Verizon is withdrawing the existing service effective July 6, 2007, and will waive termination liability where applicable.

If you require additional information, please call Carlton Ball at (813) 483-2529.

Sincerely,

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Attachment A

A118. OBSOLETE LONG DISTANCE MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

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**Withdrawal of Conference Connections Service (CCS)  
Florida - Executive Summary Update  
July 2007**

**Description of Service**

Verizon Florida LLC (Verizon) currently provides Conference Connections® Service (CCS). This service provides audio conferencing capabilities among three or more callers on one connection at the same time. This service is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit. Reservation-less service allows the customer to contact Verizon to establish an account. Customers may access CCS through a toll or local dial-in number. A leader passcode and subscriber passcode are established and are available for customer use on a 24 hours-per-day and 7 days-per-week basis.

**Reasons for Withdrawing Service**

Verizon Business has a newer, more robust conferencing service available. Verizon is withdrawing the existing service effective July 6, 2007. Verizon will waive termination liability where applicable.

**Customers Currently in Service**

As of January 15, 2007, 1358 customers have the CCS service.

**Customer Notification / Description of Alternate Services**

Existing customers were notified via email in May 2007 of Verizon's intent to withdraw CCS service. (These customers were also notified in February 2007 of Verizon's intent to grandfather CCS service.) Customers currently being served by Verizon for their audio conferencing needs have many alternatives to choose from, including an audio conferencing service provided by its affiliate, Verizon Business. Verizon Business provides an audio conferencing service with the same basic CCS features; however, additional levels of service including Premier, Standard, Unattended and Instant Meeting Service are available. Service levels may be designated on a conference call-by-conference call basis. Optional features include Conference Recording, Conference Transcription, Instant Replay Plus, Participant List, Pre-Notification and Web RSVP.

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A118.2 Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Service-Reservation System

.1 DID Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Lease

Obsolete: The provision of DID Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Lease, as specified in Section 118, will be continued for existing customers only. Service is not offered for new installation, moves, changes, or additions.

.1 General

- a. DID Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Lease allows a customer to Lease Verizon Florida's Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Service facilities on a per month, 24 hours per day, 7 days a week basis. Verizon Florida will not provide enhanced services or operator assistance during the lease period.
- b. DID Conference Connections<sup>®</sup> Lease is a straight lease of ports based on minutes of use. The minimum port reservation is 3 ports. These dedicated ports will be placed in reserve for the duration of the lease period (minimum period of 1 month; maximum period of 12 months).

.2 Rates and Charges

	Monthly Rate Per Port (Minimum of 3 Ports)
6 – 3,000 minutes	\$240.00
3,001 – 6,000 minutes	360.00
6,001 – 9,000 minutes	454.00
9,000+ minutes	480.00

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A118.2 Conference Connection® Service-Reservation System

.1 DID Conference Connections® Lease

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.1 General

- a. DID Conference Connections® Lease allows a customer to Lease Verizon Florida's Conference Connections® Service facilities on a per month, 24 hours per day, 7 days a week basis. Verizon Florida will not provide enhanced services or operator assistance during the lease period.
- b. DID Conference Connections® Lease is a straight lease of ports based on minutes of use. The minimum port reservation is 3 ports. These dedicated ports will be placed in reserve for the duration of the lease period (minimum period of 1 month; maximum period of 12 months).

.2 Rates and Charges

	Monthly Rate Per Port (Minimum of 3 Ports)
6 – 3,000 minutes	\$240.00
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9,000+ minutes	480.00

~~A118.3 Conference Connections® Service-Reservation Less System~~

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~~.1 General~~

- ~~a. Conference Connections® Service is the furnishing of telecommunications between three or more points on one connection at the same time.~~
- ~~b. Service is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit.~~
- ~~c. Local and Long Distance Message Toll Service (LDMTS) usage between each station and the conference bridge may apply in addition to the appropriate Conference Connections® rates and charges.~~

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~~A118.3 Conference Connections® Service – Reservation-Less System (Continued)~~~~(D)<sup>1</sup>~~~~.2 Service Description~~

- ~~a. Reservation less service allows the customer to contact the Company to establish an account. A toll or local dial in number, pass code and subscriber password will be established. These numbers will then be available for customer use on a 24 hours per day and 7 days per week basis.~~
- ~~b. Reservation less service provides an additional feature of Branding/Private Label. This feature, available with an additional per occurrence charge, will provide the customer's customized greeting file and moderator screen.~~

~~.3 Application of Rates and Charges~~

- ~~a. The Bridge Port Usage Charge applies for each bridge port minute of use. If bridge ports are subsequently added to the conference, a Bridge Port Usage Charge will apply for the time that each additional bridge port is connected.~~
- ~~b. Customer must contact the Company 24 hours prior to the conference scheduled date to have their number of assigned ports increased for a special situation.~~
- ~~c. Chargeable time for Conference Connections® Services begins when a participant is connected to the bridge port.~~
- ~~d. Chargeable time ends for a bridge port when the user of that port hangs up.~~
- ~~e. All charges incurred for the Conference Connections® Services are billed to the Account Owner. Customers without Company telephone accounts are required to provide billing and credit information at the time the conference reservation is made.~~
- ~~f. The Term Plan requires a minimum of 5,000 minutes of usage (MOU) per month. If actual usage is less than 5,000 MOU then the customer will be billed for the full 5,000 MOU.~~
- ~~g. Any customer who chooses to terminate their contract prior to the completion of the one year commitment will be billed an early termination charge. This early termination charge is based on the 5,000 minutes of usage (MOU) per month minimum for the remainder of the months under the contract. This early termination charge amount is due at the time of termination.~~
- ~~h. No operator assisted calls are available on the reservation less platform.~~
- ~~i. Collect Calls are not permitted on the conference bridge.~~

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~~A118.3 Conference Connections® Service – Reservation-Less System (Continued)~~

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~~.4 Rates and Charges~~

	<del>Rate</del>	<del>NRC</del>
	<del>(per port minute of use)</del>	

~~a. Reservation-less CCS~~

<del>Flat Rate Plan (per port minute of use)</del>	<del>\$.18</del>
<del>One Year Term Plan<sup>1</sup> (minute of use, per month)</del>	
<del>5,000 – 10,000 minutes</del>	<del>.14</del>
<del>10,001 – 25,000 minutes</del>	<del>.13</del>
<del>25,001 – 100,000 minutes</del>	<del>.11</del>
<del>100,001 + minutes</del>	<del>.09</del>

~~Additional feature(s):~~

<del>Branding/Private Label (per occurrence)</del>	<del>\$1,500.00</del>
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~~Note 1: A minimum of 5,000 minutes of use is applicable per month. If service is discontinued prior to completion of the one-year term commitment, the early termination charge is applicable.~~

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