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Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Section 63.71 Application of Verizon to Discontinue Wholesale Video Transport Service

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Verizon submits the enclosed Application for authority under Section 214(a) of the Communications Act and Section 63.71 of the Commission's rules to discontinue Wholesale Video Transport Service in California and Florida. As indicated in Verizon's application, subject to the Commission's authorization, Verizon will discontinue Wholesale Video Transport Service on or after March 31, 2010. There currently are no customers for this service.

If you have any questions regarding this Application, please contact me at (202) 515-2539.

Sincerely,



Ann Berkowitz

Attachments

cc: Secretary of Defense, Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications
Public Utilities Commission of Each Impacted State
Governor of Each Impacted State

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**Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of Section 63.71 Application of Verizon California Inc. and Verizon Florida LLC)	
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For Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, To Discontinue the Provision of Service)	
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**SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION OF VERIZON CALIFORNIA INC. AND
VERIZON FLORIDA LLC**

Verizon California Inc. and Verizon Florida LLC (collectively "Verizon") hereby submit this Application for authority under Section 214(a) of the Communications Act and Section 63.71 of the Commission's rules to discontinue Wholesale Video Transport Service.

As required by Sections 63.71(a) and (b) of the Commission's rules, Verizon provides the following information:

1. Name and Address of Carriers (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71 (a)(1), (b)(2)):

Verizon California Inc.
112 Lakeview Canyon Road
Thousand Oaks, CA 91362

Verizon Florida LLC
201 North Franklin Street
One Tampa City Center
Tampa, FL 33602

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2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(2), (b)(2)):

Subject to the Commission's authorization to discontinue service pursuant to Section 63.71(c) of the Commission's rules, on or after March 31, 2010, Verizon will discontinue Wholesale Video Transport Service. Verizon currently has no customers for this service.

3. Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(3), b(2)):

Verizon offers Wholesale Video Transport Service in California and Florida. Subject to the Commission's authorization, Verizon will discontinue this service in those jurisdictions.

4. Brief Description of Type of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(4), b(2)):

Wholesale Video Transport Service allows customers to transport broadcast and off-air video and audio signals one-way via analog from a cable television operator's headend location to another headend location or from a headend location to a remote receiver site.

The public convenience and necessity will not be impaired by this proposed service discontinuance. First, there are no customers for this service. Second, Verizon and other providers offer comparable alternative services.

5. Brief Description of the Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers (47 C.F.R. § 63.71 (b)(3)):

Currently, there are no customers for this service. Accordingly, there are no customers to notify about this proposed discontinuance.

As required by Section 63.71(a) of the Commission's rules, copies of this Application are being sent via first class U.S. Mail to the governor and public utilities commission for Florida and California, and also to the Special Assistant for Telecommunications to the Secretary of Defense.

6. Regulatory Classification of Carrier (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(b)(4)):

Verizon is considered dominant with respect to the service to be discontinued.

CONCLUSION

Verizon respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Application.

Respectfully submitted



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Of Counsel

January 4, 2010

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 4th day of January 2010, I served a copy of the foregoing Section 63.71 Application by U.S. Mail postage prepaid to the following on the attached list:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rashann Duvall", is written above a horizontal line.

Rashann Duvall

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