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Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Subject: Results from the FCC Carrier-to-Carrier Performance Plan

This letter is to advise you of the availability of the results from the Carrier-to-Carrier Performance Assurance Plan as described in the FCC's Order approving the Bell Atlantic/GTE merger (Memorandum Opinion and Order, CC Docket No. 98-184, released June 16, 2000).

As I mentioned in the November submission, you were now able to access data for the GTE Service Areas using Internet website access. These performance results will be made available on a monthly basis by the 25th day of the month following the completion of a calendar month until the relevant FCC merger condition sunsets.

Instructions for obtaining website access to the performance results are also attached. Please note that if you have not already done so, the application and certification process for obtaining secured website access can take up to ten business days.

If you have any questions, you may contact me on 813/483-2514.

Sincerely,

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**INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE BY STATE PUC/PSC STAFFS
TO OBTAIN ACCESS TO VERIZON RESULTS
FROM THE FEDERAL CARRIER-TO-CARRIER PERFORMANCE ASSURANCE PLANS**

Start by getting access to the Wholesale Internet Service Engine (WISE) Performance Measures site.

Go to: <http://www.gte.com/wise> on the Internet in either Netscape version 4.5 or above, or Internet Explorer 5.0 or above.

Click on the applicable state on the U.S. map.

A screen will appear with a WISE drop down box. Click on WISE and select CLEC Performance Measures. This will take you to the Performance Measures Homepage. Scroll down to "Where to Begin," which will give you instructions on how to request access for Performance Measures following Steps 1, 2 and 3. You will start by selecting the State Regulatory access request form, filling it out and submitting it. The request for access must be submitted electronically in this manner.

An on-line tutorial is also available. In addition, the "General Questions" e-mail form located on the left side of the Homepage can be used, or you may call Diane Ottinger at 972.718.8784 or Leola Kemp at 972.718.3133 for help in obtaining access to WISE.

Timeline for Federal Carrier-to-Carrier Performance Assurance Plan Applicable to Verizon States and Jurisdictions

Initial Reporting of C2C Results (Prior to Voluntary Payments)

October 25, 2000	Reports (Sept. data) made available to FCC, state PUCs, CLECs
November 25, 2000	GTE reports (Oct. data) made available to FCC, state PUCs and CLECs via web access
November 27, 2000	BA reports (Oct. data) made available to 13 state PUCs via letter filing
December 25, 2000	Both BA and GTE reports (Nov. data) made available to FCC, PUCs, CLECs via web BA reports will no longer provided by letter

Collocation Performance and Payments – Relevant GTE Service Areas

January 1, 2001	Performance results for two collocation provisioning submeasures (NP-2-01 and NP-2-05) in relevant GTE Service Areas begin counting toward potential voluntary Payments to the U.S. Treasury under the Federal Carrier-to-Carrier Performance Assurance Plan, depending on actual performance
April 25, 2001	File first monthly report from which any voluntary payments would be computed based on three months of collocation provisioning performance (NP-2-01 and NP-2-05)
May 25, 2001	Make first voluntary payment to U.S. Treasury associated with the two collocation submeasures for GTE Service Areas (if required by actual collocation provisioning performance)

Overall C2C Performance and Payments – Relevant BA and GTE Service Areas

April 1, 2001	Performance results for all other performance metrics in plan in relevant BA and GTE Service Areas begin counting toward potential voluntary payments to the U.S. Treasur under the Federal Carrier-to-carrier Performance Plans, depending on actual performance
July 25, 2001	File first monthly report from which any voluntary payments would be computed based on three months of actual performance results --- BA and GTE Service Areas.
August 24, 2001	First voluntary payments made to U.S. Treasury associated with the all other metrics for BA and GTE Service Areas (if required by actual performance)