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Mr. David Danner
Secretary and Executive Director
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: *UT-090842 -- Joint Application of Verizon Communications Inc. and Frontier Communications Corporation for an Order Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over, or, in the Alternative, Approving the Indirect Transfer of Control of Verizon Northwest Inc.*

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing by the Joint Applicants in the above-referenced docket are an original and twelve (12) copies of: (i) the Direct Testimony of Timothy McCallion on behalf of Verizon Communications Inc. and (ii) the Direct Testimony of Daniel McCarthy on behalf of Frontier Communications Corporation.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gregory M. Romano".

Gregory M. Romano

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cc: Charles L. Best
Kevin L. Saville

Enclosures