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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P. O. Box 47250
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RE: *In the Matter of the Joint Application of Verizon Communications, Inc. and Frontier Communications Corp. for an Order Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over, or, in the Alternative, Approving the Indirect Transfer of Control of Verizon Northwest Inc.*
Docket UT-090842

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is an original Notice of Appearance on Behalf of Commission Staff, and Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

SALLY BROWN
Senior Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosures
cc: Parties

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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DOCKET UT-090842

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE ON BEHALF OF COMMISSION STAFF

1 TO: DAVID W. DANNER, Executive Director and Secretary, Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission, P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, Washington, 98504-7250; and

2 TO: PARTIES OF RECORD:

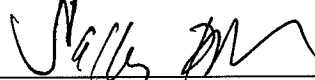
3 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE UNDERSIGNED hereby enter their appearance
as counsel for the Staff of the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in the above-
entitled matter, specifically reserving all rights including those relating to jurisdiction, and
request that all further motions, notices, pleadings, and other papers in this proceeding be served
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Dated this 30th day of March 2010.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Docket UT-090842

I hereby certify that I have this day served the Notice of Appearance on Behalf of Commission Staff on the persons and entities listed on the Service List below by depositing a copy of said document in the United States mail, addressed as shown on said Service List, with first class postage prepaid.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 29th day of March 2010.



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