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VIA DHL

Mr. David Danner
Executive Director & Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504

***Re: In the Matter of the Application of Verizon Northwest Inc. Regarding Transfer
and Sale of Property***

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed are the original and 12 copies of the Application of Verizon Northwest Inc. ("Verizon") Regarding Transfer and Sale of Property ("Application"). Attachment 1 to the Application is designated as "Confidential Pursuant to WAC 480-07-160" because it provides market value estimates that, if known, could prejudice Verizon's position in offering the properties for sale. Attachment 2 to the Application is also designated as "Confidential Pursuant to WAC 480-07-160" because it is the draft sales agreement that, if known, could prejudice Verizon's position in offering to Bellevue property for sale. Accordingly, these Attachments are provided on canary yellow paper in separate, sealed envelopes.

If you have any questions, please give Milt Doumit a call at 360-236-9727.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gregory M. Romano".

Gregory M. Romano

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Enclosures