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Ms. Carole J. Washburn
Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504

Re: Docket No. UT-070199; Comments on Draft Rule

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Pursuant to the Commission's May 14, 2007 Notice of Opportunity to Submit Written Comments ("Notice"), Verizon¹ provides the following comments on the proposal circulated with the Notice. Verizon fully supports the proposal to delete subsection (8) Emergency calls in WAC 480-120-262 in order to make the rule consistent with current industry conditions.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Kim A. Douglass

¹ As used in these comments, "Verizon" refers collectively to Verizon Northwest Inc., Verizon Select Services Inc., MCI metro Access Transmission Services, LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services, MCI Communications Services Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services LLC, TTI National Inc. and Teleconnect Long Distance Services and Systems Company d/b/a Telecom*USA.