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Ms. Carole Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W. Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Subject: Verizon Northwest Inc. Docket No. UT-040788 Responses to Bench Request No. 5 and Supplemental Response to Bench Request No. B-3

Enclosed are Verizon Northwest Inc.'s Response to Bench Request No. 5 and Supplemental Response to Bench Request No. B-3 in the above-mentioned docket.

If you have any questions, please contact me on 972.718.3504.

Very truly yours,

Gregg E. Diamond

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