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Via Email: psc@utah.gov

Mr. Gary Widerburg, Commission Secretary
Public Service Commission of Utah
160 East 300 South
Heber M. Wells Building, 4th Floor
Salt Lake City, UT 84145

Re: **Verizon Access Services: Price List No. 4**
Originating Access Rate Reductions Pursuant To Federal Communications Commission
8YY Charge Reform Order (FCC 20-143)

Dear Mr. Widerburg,

Please find attached an original of revisions to MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp. d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services (“Verizon Access”) Access Services Price List No. 4. The effective date of this filing is July 1, 2021, in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission’s 2020 8YY Charge Reform Order (“FCC Order”), WC Docket No. 18-156.


The following pages are being revised:

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In compliance with the FCC Order, Verizon Access makes revisions to the rate structure and various rate reductions to the following switched access services: Direct Connect and Tandem Connect. In addition, definitions for new terms have been added to the Definitions section of the tariff.

If you have any questions in this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at either (202) 515-2592 or edwin.reese@verizon.com.

Respectfully submitted,



Edwin Reese

Enclosure

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CHECK SHEET

The Title Page and Pages 1 - 59 inclusive of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. Original and revised sheets, as named below, comprise all changes from the original tariff in effect on the date indicated.

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1. DEFINITIONS (Cont.)

Meet Point Billing: The arrangement through which multiple Exchange Carriers involved in providing Access Services, divide the ordering, rating, and billing of such services on a proportional basis, so that each Exchange Carrier involved in providing a portion of the Access Service agrees to bill under its respective tariff.

Network: The Company's digital fiber optics-based network located in the Continental United States.

Network Services: The Company's telecommunications Access Services offered on the Company's Network.

Non-Recurring Charges: The one-time initial charges for services or facilities, including but not limited to charges for construction, installation, or special fees, for which the Customer becomes liable at the time the Service Order is executed.

Off-Hook: The active condition of Switched Access or a telephone exchange service line.

On-Hook: The idle condition of Switched Access or a telephone exchange service line.

Originating 8YY Usage: Feature Group D originating usage dialed with the following NPAs: 800, 888, 877, 866, 855, 844, 833,822, or other NPAs as they become available to the industry for the provision of Toll Free services. N
N

Originating Non-8YY Usage: Feature Group B or D originating usage that is not dialed with the following NPAs: 800, 888, 877, 866, 855, 844, 833, 822, or other NPAs as they become available to the industry for the provision of Toll Free services. N
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Out of Band Signaling: An exchange access signaling feature which allows customers to exchange call control and signaling information over a communications path which is separate from the message path.

Point of Presence: Location where the Customer maintains a facility for purposes of interconnecting to the Company's Network.

Premises: The space occupied by a Customer or Authorized User in a building or buildings or on contiguous property (except railroad rights-of-way, etc.).

Presubscription: An arrangement whereby an End User may select and designate to the Company an Interexchange Carrier (IXC) it wishes to access, without an Access Code, for completing interlata calls. The selected IXC is referred to as the End User's Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC). The End User may select any IXC that orders FGD Switched Access Service at the Local Switching Center that serves the End User.

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1. DEFINITIONS (Cont.)

Recurring Charges: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment, which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

Service Commencement Date: For Direct Connect Switched Access Service, the first day following the date on which the Company notifies the Customer that the requested service or facility is available for use, unless extended by the Customer's refusal to accept service which does not conform to standards set forth in the Service Order or this tariff, in which case the Service Commencement Date is the date of the Customer's acceptance of service. The parties may mutually agree on a substitute Service Commencement Date. If the Company does not have an executed Service Order from a Customer, the Service Commencement Date will be the first date on which the service or facility was used by the Customer. For Tandem Connect Customers, the Service Commencement Date will be the first date on which the service or facility was used by the Customer.

Service Order: The written request for Network Services executed by the Customer and the Company in a format devised by the Company; or, in the alternative, the submission of an Access Service Request by the Customer in the manner specified in this tariff. The signing of a Service Order or submission of an ASR by the Customer and acceptance thereof by the Company initiates the respective obligations of the parties as set forth therein and pursuant to this tariff, but the duration of the service is calculated from the Service Commencement Date.

Service(s): The Company's telecommunications Access Services offered on the Company's Network.

Shared Facilities: A facility or equipment system or subsystem which can be used simultaneously by several customers.

Signaling Point of Interface: The Customer designated location where the SS7 signaling information is exchanged between the Company and the Customer.

Signaling System 7 (SS7): The common Channel Out of Band Signaling protocol developed by the Consultative Committee for International Telephone and Telegraph (CCITT) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI).

Signaling Transfer Point Access: Allows the Customer to access a specialized switch which provides SS7 network access and performs SS7 messaging routing and screening.

SONET: Synchronous Optical Network.

Switched Access Service: Access to the switched network of an Exchange Carrier for the purpose of originating or terminating communications.

Toll Free: A service for which the toll charges for completed calls are paid by the toll free subscriber, rather than the calling party.

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Trunk: A communications path connecting two switching systems in a network, used in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

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5. SWITCHED ACCESS RATES (Cont.)

5.4 Rates and Charges

5.4.1 Service Implementation

A. Installation Charge (Per End)

<u>DS-1</u>	<u>DS-3</u>
ICB	ICB

5.4.2 Change Charges (per order)

Per Occurrence

A.	Service Date	\$0.00
B.	Design Changes	\$0.00
C.	Expedite Charge	\$215.00

5.4.3 Cancellation Charges (Per Order) \$0.00

5.4.4 Switched Access

5.4.4.1 Direct Connect Charges:

Per Access Minute of Use

Originating Non-8YY:	\$0.027000	N/C
Originating 8YY:	\$0.002721 (R)	N/C
Terminating:	*	

* For terminating rates, refer to MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp. Tariff FCC No. 1, Section E.4.3.

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5. SWITCHED ACCESS RATES (Cont.)

5.4 Rates and Charges (Cont.)

5.4.4 Switched Access (Cont.)

5.4.4.2 Tandem Connect Charges

Per Access Minute of Use

Originating Non-8YY:

Tandem Connect – Without Tandem Switching: \$0.027654

Tandem Connect – With Tandem Switching: \$0.027654

Originating 8YY:

Tandem Connect – Without Tandem Switching: \$0.002721 (R)

Tandem Connect – With Tandem Switching: \$0.003721 (R)

N/C

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N/C

Terminating:

Tandem Connect – Without Tandem Switching: *

Tandem Connect – With Tandem Switching: *

5.4.5 Chargeable Optional Features

5.4.5.1 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query

Per Query

\$0.003500

5.4.6 Nonchargeable Optional Features

Supervisory Signaling \$0.00

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