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Mr. Thomas Ahern, Administrator
Division of Public Utilities and Carriers
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

Dear Administrator Ahern:

Verizon New England Inc. is pleased to file herewith its Application for a Cable Television Compliance Order Certificate for Service Area 6, which includes the communities of Coventry, East Greenwich, Exeter, North Kingstown, Warwick, West Warwick, and West Greenwich. Specifically, enclosed are an original and five copies of the following documents:

1. Application of Verizon New England Inc. for a Cable Television Compliance Order Certificate for Service Area 6;
2. Petition by Verizon New England Inc. for A Partial Waiver of Section 14 Of The Rules Governing Community Antenna Television Systems;
3. Petition by Verizon New England Inc. for A Partial Waiver of Section 7.3(A) Of The Rules Governing Community Antenna Television Systems; and
4. Verizon Line Extension Policy for Rhode Island, pursuant to Rule 10.3.

Also enclosed is a check for \$50, payable to the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, to cover the filing fee.

Granting Verizon's request to provide cable television service will allow Verizon to bring competition and all its associated benefits to subscribers in Service Area 6, which is currently served by a single cable operator. Verizon looks forward to working with the Division to place Ocean State residents among the first in the nation to receive the benefits of video choice.

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/Donna C. Cupelo

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Kerbel, Town of North Kingstown
Mr. James Marques, Town of North Kingstown
Mr. Kenneth Findlay, Town of Exeter
Ms. Cheryl Chorney, Town of Exeter
Mr. Wolfgang Bauer, Town of West Warwick
Mr. David Clayton, Town of West Warwick
Mr. William Sequino, Jr., Town of East Greenwich
Ms. Deidre Kettelle, Town of East Greenwich
Mr. Kevin Breene, Town of West Greenwich
Ms. Janet Olsson, Town of West Greenwich
Mr. Scott Avedisian, City of Warwick
Ms. Marie Bennett, City of Warwick
Mr. Richard Sullivan, Town of Coventry
Ms. Cheryl George, Town of Coventry