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April 22, 2008

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Re: DT 08-007, Verizon New Hampshire
Interconnection Agreement with Metropolitan Telecommunications of New Hampshire, Inc.
Amendment No. 1

Dear Mr. Del Vecchio:

On January 23, 2008, Metropolitan Telecommunications of New Hampshire, Inc. (MetTel) and Verizon New Hampshire (Verizon) jointly filed a petition for approval of Amendment No. 1. (Amendment) to the Interconnection Agreement (Agreement) between Verizon and MetTel pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. §252(e).

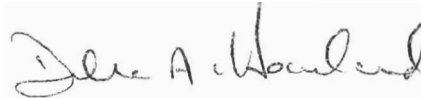
On April 17, 2008, FairPoint Communications (FairPoint) filed a letter informing the Commission of FairPoint's assumption of existing Verizon Agreements following the March 31, 2008 transfer of landline assets and operations from Verizon to FairPoint. According to the FairPoint filing, the Verizon – MetTel Agreement is still pending assignment. Upon receipt of written consent from MetTel, the Agreement, as amended, will become a FairPoint – MetTel Agreement.

The Commission elects to take no action on this petition. Accordingly, pursuant to 47 USC §252(e) (4), the Amendment to the Agreement will take effect by operation of law 90 days after its filing. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any clause in the Agreement or this Amendment found to be in violation of any Commission order is null and void.

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The Commission has updated its records to include the adoption of the Amendment to this Agreement. Docket No. DT 08-007 has been assigned for future reference.

Sincerely,

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