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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, SW, 8th floor
Washington, DC 20554

RE: CC Docket No. 00-170; and DA 00-2155

Dear Ms. Salas:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the steps that Verizon and OnePoint are taking to ensure that the combined companies comply with section 271 of the Telecommunications Act after the merger is consummated.

Long Distance Service. OnePoint provided long distance services, on a resold basis, to approximately 8100 subscribers in Maryland, Virginia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, and Washington, D.C. OnePoint was not providing long distance services to customers in any other former Bell Atlantic state. Effective October 31, 2000, OnePoint's long distance customers were transitioned to Talk.com after the FCC waived carrier change verification requirements. OnePoint will not provide prohibited long distance services in any state in the former Bell Atlantic territory prior to when Verizon receives authorization to provide originating, interLATA services from that state.

Prepaid Calling Card Service. OnePoint provides prepaid long distance services in states outside of the former Bell Atlantic region. Purchasers of these prepaid calling cards may use such services when traveling to originate long distance services in former Bell Atlantic in-region states. No later than one week prior to the closing, OnePoint will block origination of long distance prepaid

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services in all former Bell Atlantic in-region states where Verizon does not currently have authority to provide originating, interLATA services.

Internet Access Service. OnePoint provides Internet access services to customers in Virginia. OnePoint does not provide any IP voice services. Upon closure, OnePoint will cease providing the interLATA service component of Internet access service in Virginia and will not provide such service in any other former Bell Atlantic in-region state where Verizon lacks authority under section 271 of the Act. Instead, OnePoint Internet access customers will obtain such interLATA services from a non-affiliated global service provider ("GSP") consistent with the *Qwest/US West Merger Order*. The GSP will have its own contractual relationship with the customer, and the GSP will determine the rates, terms, and conditions for the services that it provides. In addition, OnePoint intends to offer billing and collection services to the GSP. The GSP will be responsible for handling the interLATA traffic from the point at which the traffic is handed off to it in the originating LATA. OnePoint will not have the interLATA traffic returned to it, or any other Verizon affiliated entity, at a node or other location for interLATA transport outside of Verizon's in-region states.

Feel free to call me at the above number if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William J. Wallace".

cc: Ms. C. Pabo (Federal Communications Commission)
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