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Jeff R. Derouren Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615 Via electronic filing

> Re: Case No. 2016-00059

Dear Mr. Derouen,

I hereby submit the "Read 1st" cover letter for the filing of Verizon's Initial Testimony of Kathy Buckley.

I certify, on behalf of Verizon, that the electronically filed document is a true representation of the original document to be filed with the Commission. There are no materials being filed in the paper medium that are not also included in the electronic submission.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions, and thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

/s/ Luke Morgan

Luke Morgan Counsel for Verizon