

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT)
APPLICATION OF VERIZON DELAWARE)
LLC AND BUSINESS TELECOM, INC FOR)
APPROVAL OF AN INTERCONNECTION) PSC DOCKET NO. 21-0646
AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 252)
(E) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT)
OF 1996)

**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT UNDER THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF
1996**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 24, 2021, Verizon Delaware LLC (“Verizon”) and Business Telecom, Inc. (“Business Telecom” and collectively with Verizon, the “Applicants”) filed a joint application requesting the Public Service Commission (“Commission”) to approve the UNE/Resale Forbearance Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement (“Agreement”).

Any person who wishes to protest or to comment upon this application must do so in a written document filed with the Commission and served upon the Applicants on or before September 30, 2021. Comments should focus on the criteria for review set forth in 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(2)(A) and whether the Agreement is consistent with applicable state law, regulation, or policy. In the absence of any good faith protest, the Commission will allow the Agreement to become effective on November 24, 2021.

The Commission’s mailing address for the filing of any protests or comments is:

Delaware Public Service Commission
861 Silver Lake Boulevard
Cannon Building, Suite 100
Dover, Delaware 19904
Attention: PSC Docket No. 21-0646

The Applicants' mailing addresses are:

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Copies of the application are available for public inspection at the Commission's Dover office at the address given above during the regular business hours of the Commission.

You are invited to review the Applicants' filed application and supporting documents by going to DelaFile (<http://delafile.delaware.gov>), the Commission's docketing and file management system, and by searching for Docket No. 21-0646. If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Donna Nickerson at (302) 736-7500 or by sending an email addressed to donna.nickerson@delaware.gov. You may also review copies of the Applicants' filed application and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at the Carvel State Office Building, 4th Floor, 820 North French Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 or 29 South State Street, Dover, DE 19901. Please call (302) 577-5077 (Wilmington) or (302) 241-2555 (Dover) to arrange for a time to review the documents at either of those locations.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, please submit a Freedom of Information Act Request Form. The link to this form can be found on the Commission's website, <http://depsec.delaware.gov> or by visiting this web address: <https://delafile.delaware.gov/Complaints/FOIA.aspx>. The Commission will respond to your request in accordance with the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del. C. ch. 100.

If you have a disability and wish to participate or to review the materials in this matter, please contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services you might need to help you. You may contact the Commission in person, by writing, by telephone (including text telephone), by Internet e-mail, or other means.

If you have questions about this matter, you may call the Commission at 1-800-282-8574 (toll-free in Delaware) or (302) 736-7500 (voice and text telephone). You may also send questions regarding this matter by Internet e-mail addressed to psc@delaware.gov; include "PSC Docket No. 21-0646" as the subject.