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Hon. Thomas Dorman Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Blvd. Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

Re: Bell Atlantic Network Data Inc.

Dear Mr. Dorman:

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We wish to notify the Commission that, in connection with the recent merger of GTE Corporation and Bell Atlantic Corporation, the name of Bell Atlantic Network Data Inc. has been changed to Verizon Advanced Data Inc.

We are aware that a name change normally requires an adoption notice for the tariff and the subsequent filing of a complete tariff in the new name. However, Bell Atlantic Network Data Inc. has not yet filed a tariff, so there is none to adopt. As we previously advised the Commission, a tariff will be filed prior to the commencement of service in Kentucky. That tariff will now be filed in the name of Verizon Advanced Data Inc.

If you have any questions about these matters, please let me know.

Sincerely yours,

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