

## **EXHIBIT 2**

**Property No. 8088913-1**



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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8088913-1  
Rafael Sassouni  
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Great Neck, NY 11021-5030

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1408 Madison Av, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1408 Madison Av, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

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Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8090170-1**



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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8090170-1  
Moses Wolf  
Jo & WO Realty Corp.  
4718 18th Avenue, Suite #141  
Brooklyn, NY 11204-1260

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1756 1 Av, New York NY

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Royal Assets Llc  
115 Vermilyea Avenue, #1A  
New York, NY 10034-3233

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If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 2304 Sedgwick Av, Bronx NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 3, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 2, 2014

<p>PUBLIC SERVICE LAW §228. Landlord-tenant relationship</p> <p>1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises except that a landlord may require:</p> <p>(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety functioning and appearance of the premises and the convenience and well being of other tenants</p> <p>(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation operation or removal of such facilities and</p> <p>(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation operation or removal of such facilities.</p> <p>(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant in any form in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall by regulation determine to be reasonable or</p> <p>(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.</p> <p>2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company or do or permit any act that would have the effect directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 – LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</p> <p>§898.1 Prohibition Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p>§898.2 Just Compensation Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p>§898.3 Notice of installation (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation. (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice and the form and content of such notice which shall include but need not be limited to: (i) the name and address of the cable television company (ii) the name and address of the landlord (iii) the approximate date of the installation and (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules. (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.</p> <p>§898.4 Right of Entry (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.</p>	<p>(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:</p> <p>(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord (2) the specific location of the real property (3) the resident address of the landlord if known (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property including the type and method of installation the anticipated costs thereof and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation and (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory however if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.</p> <p>§898.5 Application for just compensation A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities whichever is later.</p> <p>§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include but need not be limited to a showing of: (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation (b) the previous use of such space (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities and (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may upon good cause shown permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.</p> <p>§898.7 Service of Application A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.</p> <p>§898.8 Responses Responses to the application if any shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.</p> <p>§898.9 Hearing and determination (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law. (b) An applicant may within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I Subchapter A of this Title. (c) If after the filing of an application the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.</p>
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**Property No. 8098973-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
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October 2, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8098973-1  
Steven Finkelstein  
Laverdad LLC  
111 Brook Street, 2nd Floor  
Scarsdale, NY 10583-5152

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
2505 Aqueduct Av W, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **2505 Aqueduct Av W, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

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Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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DATED: October 2, 2014

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Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company or do or permit any act that would have the effect directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 – LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</p> <p>§898.1 Prohibition Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p>§898.2 Just Compensation Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p>§898.3 Notice of installation (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation. (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice and the form and content of such notice which shall include but need not be limited to: (i) the name and address of the cable television company (ii) the name and address of the landlord (iii) the approximate date of the installation and (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules. 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The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.</p>	<p>(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:</p> <p>(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord (2) the specific location of the real property (3) the resident address of the landlord if known (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property including the type and method of installation the anticipated costs thereof and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation and (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. 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**Property No. 8099069-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
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October 2, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8099069-1  
Tristate Realty Holdings Llc  
888 7th Avenue, 20th Floor  
New York, NY 10106-2500

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
751 E 187, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **751 E 187, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

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DATED: October 2, 2014

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No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises except that a landlord may require:</p> <p>(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety functioning and appearance of the premises and the convenience and well being of other tenants</p> <p>(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation operation or removal of such facilities and</p> <p>(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation operation or removal of such facilities.</p> <p>(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant in any form in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall by regulation determine to be reasonable or</p> <p>(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.</p> <p>2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company or do or permit any act that would have the effect directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 – LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</p> <p>§898.1 Prohibition Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p>§898.2 Just Compensation Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p>§898.3 Notice of installation (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation. (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice and the form and content of such notice which shall include but need not be limited to: (i) the name and address of the cable television company (ii) the name and address of the landlord (iii) the approximate date of the installation and (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules. (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.</p> <p>§898.4 Right of Entry (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. 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Participation by the landlord is not mandatory however if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.</p> <p>§898.5 Application for just compensation A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities whichever is later.</p> <p>§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. 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The secretary may upon good cause shown permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.</p> <p>§898.7 Service of Application A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.</p> <p>§898.8 Responses Responses to the application if any shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.</p> <p>§898.9 Hearing and determination (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law. 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**Property No. 8099347-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
NYCFiOS@verizon.com

October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8099347-1  
Shoshana Barr David  
Chestnut Holdings of New York Inc  
5676 Riverdale Ave, 307  
Bronx, NY 10471-0403

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1175 Morris Av, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1175 Morris Av, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alyson M. Seigal".

Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 1175 Morris Av, Bronx NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 20, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 20, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8099953-1**





**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8099953-1  
Kenneth Yustman  
Weiss Realty  
3240 East Tremont Avenue  
Bronx, NY 10461-5708

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1820 Loring Pl, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1820 Loring Pl, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

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(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8099987-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8099987-1  
Lorrain Ryan  
Phipps Housing  
902 Broadway, 13th Floor  
New York, NY 10010-6041

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1450 Crotona Place, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1450 Crotona Place, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 1450 Crotona Place, Bronx NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014



**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8100745-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8100745-1  
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RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1235 Grand Conc, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1235 Grand Conc, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

cc (via U.S. mail): Owner: 1235 Llc

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

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DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

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(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8228497-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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October 20, 2014

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1011 Madison Avenue  
New York, NY 10075-0181

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1011 Madison Av, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **1011 Madison Av, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

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However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.



Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

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Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

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(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

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(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

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A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8229971-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8229971-1  
John Fitzgerald  
Eberhart Brothers  
312 East 82nd Street  
New York, NY 10028-4198

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DATED: October 20, 2014

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**Property No. 8234881-1**



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New York, NY 10007  
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October 2, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8234881-1  
Sami Najjar  
Sandra Greer Real Estate Inc.  
201 East 77th Street, Ground Level  
New York, NY 10021

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# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

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PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 244 W 23, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 3, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 2, 2014

<p><b>PUBLIC SERVICE LAW</b>  <b>§228. Landlord-tenant relationship</b></p> <p>1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises except that a landlord may require:</p> <p>(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety functioning and appearance of the premises and the convenience and well being of other tenants</p> <p>(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation operation or removal of such facilities and</p> <p>(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation operation or removal of such facilities.</p> <p>(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant in any form in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall by regulation determine to be reasonable or</p> <p>(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.</p> <p>2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company or do or permit any act that would have the effect directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p><b>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</b></p> <p><b>§898.1 Prohibition</b>  Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p><b>§898.2 Just Compensation</b>  Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p><b>§898.3 Notice of installation</b>  (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.  (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice and the form and content of such notice which shall include but need not be limited to:  (i) the name and address of the cable television company  (ii) the name and address of the landlord  (iii) the approximate date of the installation and  (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.  (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.</p> <p><b>§898.4 Right of Entry</b>  (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.</p>	<p>(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:</p> <p>(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord  (2) the specific location of the real property  (3) the resident address of the landlord if known  (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property including the type and method of installation the anticipated costs thereof and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation  (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation  (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord  (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part  (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation and  (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory however if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.</p> <p><b>§898.5 Application for just compensation</b>  A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities whichever is later.</p> <p><b>§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation</b>  An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include but need not be limited to a showing of:  (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation  (b) the previous use of such space  (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities and  (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may upon good cause shown permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.</p> <p><b>§898.7 Service of Application</b>  A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.</p> <p><b>§898.8 Responses</b>  Responses to the application if any shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.</p> <p><b>§898.9 Hearing and determination</b>  (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.  (b) An applicant may within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I Subchapter A of this Title.  (c) If after the filing of an application the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.</p>
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**Property No. 8235215-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8235215-1  
Richard Ramirez  
Lespmha Inc  
228 East 3rd Street  
New York, NY 10009-7585

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
168 Attorney, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **168 Attorney, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City



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DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8249443-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
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October 2, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8249443-1  
Patrick Martin  
Jack Resnick & Sons Inc  
110 East 59th Street  
New York, NY 10022-1379

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
45 Beekman, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **45 Beekman, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

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No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:</p> <p>(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;</p> <p>(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and</p> <p>(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.</p> <p>(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or</p> <p>(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.</p> <p>2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p><b>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –</b>  <b>LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP</b> (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</p> <p><b>§898.1 Prohibition</b>  Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p><b>§898.2 Just Compensation</b>  Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p><b>§898.3 Notice of installation</b>  (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.  (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:  (i) the name and address of the cable television company;  (ii) the name and address of the landlord;  (iii) the approximate date of the installation; and  (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.  (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.</p> <p><b>§898.4 Right of Entry</b>  (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.</p>	<p>(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:</p> <p>(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;</p> <p>(2) the specific location of the real property;</p> <p>(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;</p> <p>(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;</p> <p>(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;</p> <p>(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;</p> <p>(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;</p> <p>(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and</p> <p>(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.</p> <p><b>§898.5 Application for just compensation</b>  A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.</p> <p><b>§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation</b>  An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:  (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;  (b) the previous use of such space;  (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and  (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.</p> <p><b>§898.7 Service of Application</b>  A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.</p> <p><b>§898.8 Responses</b>  Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.</p> <p><b>§898.9 Hearing and determination</b>  (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.  (b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter 1, Subchapter A of this Title.  (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.</p>
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**Property No. 8255036-1**





**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
NYCFiOS@verizon.com

October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8255036-1  
Selwyn Roberts  
Harlem 124th Street LLC  
13 East 124th Street  
New York, NY 10035-2723

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
13 E 124, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **13 E 124, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 13 E 124, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 20, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 20, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 8255521-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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New York, NY 10007  
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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 8255521-1  
Angela Cronk  
A.J. Clarke R.E. Corp.  
1881 Broadway, 4th Floor  
New York, NY 10023-7035

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
123 E 83, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **123 E 83, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 123 E 83, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 20, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 20, 2014



**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9356645-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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November 4, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9356645-1  
Jonathan Scutari  
Andrews Building Corporation  
666 Broadway , 12 Flr  
New York, NY 10012-2317

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
124 Hudson, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **124 Hudson, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 124 Hudson, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 18, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: November 4, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

- (1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;
- (2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and
- (3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

- (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.
- (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:
  - (i) the name and address of the cable television company;
  - (ii) the name and address of the landlord;
  - (iii) the approximate date of the installation; and
  - (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.
- (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

- (1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;
- (2) the specific location of the real property;
- (3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;
- (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;
- (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;
- (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;
- (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;
- (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and
- (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
- (b) the previous use of such space;
- (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and
- (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
- (b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.
- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9356955-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9356955-1  
Jose Diaz  
Barberry Rose Management  
183-11 Hillside Avenue , 1L  
Jamaica, NY 11432-4842

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
133 Mulberry, 133 Mulberry, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **133 Mulberry, 133 Mulberry, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.



Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 133 Mulberry, 133 Mulberry, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

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A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

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(b) the previous use of such space;

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**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

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(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9359310-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

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David Kalbfeld  
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New York, NY 10065-8193

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
40 W 72, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **40 W 72, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



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Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

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(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.



**Property No. 9360938-1**



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October 20, 2014

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Property ID: 9360938-1  
Virginia Conti  
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New York, NY 10016-5300

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
110 W 86, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

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DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 20, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

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**Property No. 9361924-1**



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Bronx, NY 10462-5415

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Sincerely,



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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City



# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 50 W 131, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9363989-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9363989-1  
Marie Rosado  
Prestige Management  
1200 Zerega Ave  
Bronx, NY 10462-5415

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
170 W 136, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **170 W 136, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

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**Property No. 9364087-1**





**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9364087-1  
Michael Nowlin  
Prc Management Co. LLC  
955 East 163rd Street  
Bronx, NY 10459-4231

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
1990 7 Av, New York NY

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DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

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(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9368526-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
NYCFiOS@verizon.com

October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9368526-1  
Judy Cordero  
Wavecrest Management Team  
87-14 116th Street  
Richmond Hill, NY 11418-2426

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
4646 Park Av, Bronx NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **4646 Park Av, Bronx NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 4646 Park Av, Bronx NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

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DATED: October 14, 2014



**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

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(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

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(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

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**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

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A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9374374-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9374374-1  
Joseph Kanner  
Quantum Property Management  
33 West Main Street, Suite #301  
Elmsford, NY 10523-2413

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
42-25 80, Queens NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **42-25 80, Queens NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 14, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

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- (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

- (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

- (1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;
- (2) the specific location of the real property;
- (3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;
- (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;
- (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;
- (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;
- (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;
- (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and
- (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
- (b) the previous use of such space;
- (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and
- (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
- (b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.
- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9379383-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9379383-1  
Sam Gutman  
Gutman Management  
4907 18th Avenue, Suite # 2  
Brooklyn, NY 11204-1226

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
99-34 67 Rd, Queens NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **99-34 67 Rd, Queens NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.



Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 99-34 67 Rd, Queens NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

- (1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;
- (2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and
- (3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

- (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.
- (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:
  - (i) the name and address of the cable television company;
  - (ii) the name and address of the landlord;
  - (iii) the approximate date of the installation; and
  - (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.
- (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

- (1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;
- (2) the specific location of the real property;
- (3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;
- (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;
- (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;
- (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;
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- (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and
- (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
- (b) the previous use of such space;
- (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and
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**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
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- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9380036-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9380036-1  
Patrick Falci  
P.J. Falci Management Co. Inc  
164-11 Northern Boulevard  
Flushing, NY 11358-2646

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
42-37 155, Queens NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **42-37 155, Queens NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

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Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

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Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

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DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

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(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

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(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

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(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

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Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.



**Property No. 9404726-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
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140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
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October 2, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9404726-1  
Fred Poses  
Andrews Building Corp.  
666 Broadway, 12th Floor  
New York, NY 10012-2317

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
the Hubert, 7 Hubert, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **the Hubert, 7 Hubert, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at the Hubert, 7 Hubert, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 3, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 2, 2014

<p>PUBLIC SERVICE LAW §228. Landlord-tenant relationship</p> <p>1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises except that a landlord may require:</p> <p>(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety functioning and appearance of the premises and the convenience and well being of other tenants</p> <p>(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation operation or removal of such facilities and</p> <p>(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation operation or removal of such facilities.</p> <p>(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant in any form in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall by regulation determine to be reasonable or</p> <p>(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.</p> <p>2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.</p> <p>3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company or do or permit any act that would have the effect directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.</p> <p>NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 – LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))</p> <p>§898.1 Prohibition Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.</p> <p>§898.2 Just Compensation Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.</p> <p>§898.3 Notice of installation (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation. (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice and the form and content of such notice which shall include but need not be limited to: (i) the name and address of the cable television company (ii) the name and address of the landlord (iii) the approximate date of the installation and (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules. (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.</p> <p>§898.4 Right of Entry (a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.</p>	<p>(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:</p> <p>(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord (2) the specific location of the real property (3) the resident address of the landlord if known (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property including the type and method of installation the anticipated costs thereof and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation and (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory however if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.</p> <p>§898.5 Application for just compensation A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities whichever is later.</p> <p>§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include but need not be limited to a showing of: (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation (b) the previous use of such space (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities and (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may upon good cause shown permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.</p> <p>§898.7 Service of Application A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.</p> <p>§898.8 Responses Responses to the application if any shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.</p> <p>§898.9 Hearing and determination (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law. (b) An applicant may within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I Subchapter A of this Title. (c) If after the filing of an application the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.</p>
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**Property No. 9406495-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9406495-1  
Angel Lavergne  
Imani Management  
408 Lenox Avenue  
New York, NY 10037-3517

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
100 W 121, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **100 W 121, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City



# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 100 W 121, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

(a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.

(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

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**Property No. 9406521-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9406521-1  
Veronica Humphries  
Delshah 321 Lenox LLC  
114 East 13th Street, 1st Floor  
New York, NY 10003-5329

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
101 W 126, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **101 W 126, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

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PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 101 W 126, New York NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 14, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

- (1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;
- (2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and
- (3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

- (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.
- (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:
  - (i) the name and address of the cable television company;
  - (ii) the name and address of the landlord;
  - (iii) the approximate date of the installation; and
  - (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.
- (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

- (1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;
- (2) the specific location of the real property;
- (3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;
- (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;
- (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;
- (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;
- (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;
- (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and
- (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
- (b) the previous use of such space;
- (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and
- (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
- (b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.
- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 9406976-1**





**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9406976-1  
Donald Notice  
West Harlem Group Assist  
1652 Amsterdam Avenue  
New York, NY 10031-6133

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
222 W 141, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **222 W 141, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

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Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 14, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

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**Property No. 9407062-1**



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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 9407062-1  
Robert Grant  
Midboro Management  
333 7th Avenue, 5th Floor  
New York, NY 10001-5122

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
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The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

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THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ October 14, 2014 \_\_\_\_\_



**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

- (1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;
- (2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and
- (3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

**§898.3 Notice of installation**

- (a) Every cable television company proposing to install cable television service or facilities upon the property of a landlord shall serve upon said landlord or an authorized agent, written notice of intent thereof at least 15 days prior to the commencement of such installation.
- (b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:
  - (i) the name and address of the cable television company;
  - (ii) the name and address of the landlord;
  - (iii) the approximate date of the installation; and
  - (iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.
- (c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

- (1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;
- (2) the specific location of the real property;
- (3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;
- (4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;
- (5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;
- (6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;
- (7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;
- (8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and
- (9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
- (b) the previous use of such space;
- (c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and
- (d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
- (b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.
- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 11124656-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

140 West Street, Room 1105  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: (888) 364-3467  
NYCFiOS@verizon.com

October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 11124656-1  
Leonard Jacobs  
SLJ Property Management  
144-63 35th Ave, 1 G  
Flushing, NY 11354

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
182-12 Horace Harding Expwy, Queens NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **182-12 Horace Harding Expwy, Queens NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 182-12 Horace Harding Expwy, Queens NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 20, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

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DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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- (2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and
- (3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

Except as provided in section 898.2 of this Part, no landlord shall demand or accept any payment from any cable television company in exchange for permitting cable television service or facilities on or within said landlord's property or premises.

**§898.2 Just Compensation**

Every landlord shall be entitled to the payment of just compensation for property taken by a cable television company for the installation of cable television service or facilities. The amount of just compensation shall be determined by the commission in accordance with section 228 (1)(b) of the Public Service Law upon application by the landlord pursuant to section 898.5 of this Part.

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**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

- (a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;
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A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

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- (a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.
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- (c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 12187500-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
Area Manager  
FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

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New York, NY 10007  
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October 14, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 12187500-1  
Jonathan Warner  
Dalton Management Co LLC  
60 East 42nd Street, Suite 1835  
New York, NY 10165-6217

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
401 2 Av, New York NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **401 2 Av, New York NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

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Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

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DATED: October 14, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

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**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

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**§898.3 Notice of installation**

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(b) The secretary of the commission shall prescribe the procedure for service of such notice, and the form and content of such notice, which shall include, but need not be limited to:

(i) the name and address of the cable television company;

(ii) the name and address of the landlord;

(iii) the approximate date of the installation; and

(iv) a citation of section 228 of the Public Service Law and Part 898 of the commission's rules.

(c) Notice that installation of equipment has been completed may be served at any time on landlords upon whose property cable television service or facilities were placed prior to the effective date of this Part.

**§898.4 Right of Entry**

(a) A cable television company shall have the right to enter property of the landlord for the purpose of making surveys or other investigations preparatory to the installation. Before such entry, the cable television company shall serve notice upon the landlord, or an authorized agent which notice shall contain the date of entry and all other information described in section 893.3(b) of this Part. The cable television company shall be liable to the landlord for any damages caused by such entry but such damages shall not duplicate damages paid by the cable television company pursuant to section 228(1)(a)(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) where the installation of cable television service or facilities is not effected pursuant to a notice served in accordance with section 898.3 of this Part, the cable television company may file with the commission a petition verified by an authorized officer of the cable television company setting forth:

(1) proof of service of a notice of intent to install cable television service upon the landlord;

(2) the specific location of the real property;

(3) the resident address of the landlord, if known;

(4) a description of the facilities and equipment to be installed upon the property, including the type and method of installation, the anticipated costs thereof, and the measures to be taken to minimize the aesthetic impact of the installation;

(5) the name of the individual or officer responsible for the actual installation;

(6) a statement that the cable television company shall indemnify the landlord for any damage caused in connection with the installation, including proof of insurance or other evidence of ability to indemnify the landlord;

(7) a statement that the installation shall be conducted without prejudice to the rights of the landlord to just compensation in accordance with section 898.2 of this Part;

(8) a summary of efforts by the cable television company to effect entry of the property for installation; and

(9) a statement that the landlord is afforded the opportunity to answer the petition within 20 days from the receipt thereof which answer must be responsive to the petition and may set forth any additional matter not contained in the petition. Participation by the landlord is not mandatory, however, if no appearance by the landlord is made in the proceeding or no answer filed within the time permitted, the commission may grant to the petitioning cable television company an order of entry which order shall constitute a ruling that the petitioning cable television company has complied with requirements of section 228 of the Public Service Law and the regulations contained in this Part. If the landlord files a written answer to the petition, the cable television company shall have 10 days within which to reply to said answer. The commission may grant or deny the petition, schedule an administrative hearing on any factual issues presented thereby or direct such other procedures as may be consistent with the installation of cable television service or facilities in accordance with Section 228 of the Public Service Law.

**§898.5 Application for just compensation**

A landlord may file with the commission an application for just compensation within four months following the service by the cable television company of the notice described in section 898.3 of this Part or within four months following the completion of the installation of the cable television facilities, whichever is later.

**§898.6 Contents of application for just compensation**

An application for just compensation shall set forth specific facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts relevant to the determination of just compensation. Such facts should include, but need not be limited to, a showing of:

(a) the location and amount of space occupied by the installation;

(b) the previous use of such space;

(c) the value of the applicant's property before the installation of cable television facilities and the value of the applicant's property subsequent to the installation of cable television facilities; and

(d) the method or methods used to determine such values. The secretary may, upon good cause shown, permit the filing of supplemental information at any time prior to final determination by the commission.

**§898.7 Service of Application**

A copy of the application filed by the landlord for just compensation shall be served upon the cable television company making the installation and upon the chief executive officer of the municipality in which the real property is located.

**§898.8 Responses**

Responses to the application, if any, shall be served on all parties and on the commission within twenty days from the service of the application.

**§898.9 Hearing and determination**

(a) If the commission finds that just compensation for the installation of cable television facilities as described in the application may be in excess of one dollar it shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law.

(b) An applicant may, within 20 days from the release date of the commission order which sets compensation at one dollar or less, file a written request for a hearing. Upon timely receipt of such request, the commission shall conduct a hearing pursuant to section 216(3) of the Public Service Law and Chapter I, Subchapter A of this Title.

(c) If after the filing of an application, the cable television company and the applicant agree upon the amount of just compensation and the commission approves such amount, the commission shall not be required to conduct a hearing on the issue.

**Property No. 13219795-1**



**Alyson M. Seigal**  
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October 20, 2014

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Property ID: 13219795-1  
Crystal Radcliff  
D&F Development Group  
100 Schoolhouse Road  
Levittown, NY 11756-2225

RE: Notice of Intention to Install/Upgrade Cable Television Facilities and Service at:  
333 Beach 67, Queens NY

Dear Property Owner/Manager:

I have been advised by Verizon New York Inc.'s ("Verizon") NYC FiOS Real Estate Department of the difficulty Verizon has encountered in attempting to install and/or attach its FiOS facilities at **333 Beach 67, Queens NY** ("Property"). Our records indicate that you have not responded to our previous correspondence, that you have conditioned Verizon's access on unreasonable terms and conditions or that you have denied Verizon access to the Property. The purpose of this letter is to restate our need to gain access to your Property.

By way of background, Verizon is attempting to gain access to your building because we have received a request for FiOS service(s) from a tenant(s) in your building and/or a resident(s) on your block, and our access to your Property is necessary to provide cable television services to those tenants and/or residents. We are very excited about the opportunity to provide world-class voice, data and video services to you and the area residents using a fiber based network to deliver these services at unprecedented speeds and capacities. Your cooperation in allowing Verizon access to your Property will enable your tenants and/or other residents on your block to receive the services they want in a timely manner.

However, in the event that you do not cooperate in providing Verizon access, you should know that under Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), Verizon has the right to install cable television facilities upon the Property. *Loretto v. Teleprompter Manhattan CATV Corp.*, 53 N.Y. 2d 124 (1981). Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law states that "[n]o landlord shall interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises ...." In addition, Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement with the City of New York requires Verizon to provide cable television service to residents in its franchise area who request it, and Verizon has a limited timeframe in which to do so. Verizon's compliance with these franchise requirements may be compromised by the delay we are experiencing in trying to gain access to and install cable television facilities at your Property.

Verizon's proposed installation will protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and Verizon will bear the cost of the installation of its cable television facilities. Verizon will also indemnify the landlord for damage caused by the installation of Verizon's facilities. Verizon's policy is to work with you to arrange convenient dates for access and to reach agreement on engineering plans / designs for the Property. **Please contact Verizon's NYC FiOS Real Estate Department at (888) 364-3467 within two weeks of receipt of this letter so that we may move forward with the process of bringing FiOS to your Property and/or other properties on your block.**

If you believe that Verizon's installation of cable television facilities constitutes an undue "taking" of your Property, you may file a petition for "just compensation" with the New York State Public Service Commission under the procedures set forth in Section 228 of the New York Public Service Law and Part 898, Title 16 of the NYCRR. Please note, however, that the filing of such a petition does not delay Verizon's right to access your Property. The complete text of Section 228 may be found on the enclosed copy of the notice of Verizon's intention to survey/install/upgrade cable television facilities and service.

If we do not hear from you within two weeks as mentioned above, Verizon's Legal Department may be forced to file a Petition for Order of Entry to the New York State Public Service Commission, after which you will be afforded, per 16 NYCRR 898.4(b)(9), twenty days to answer the Petition and set forth any additional matter not contained in the Petition. The Petition will seek an order granting Verizon the right to survey for and/or install/upgrade cable television facilities and service at your Property. If you have specific legal questions about Verizon's rights under New York law or Verizon's Cable Franchise Agreement, we recommend that you engage an attorney. You may also contact Michael Morano, Assistant General Counsel for Verizon's National Operations, at (908) 559-3332 to discuss legal issues or questions, but please be advised that he represents Verizon and cannot provide you with legal advice.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Alyson M. Seigal  
Manager, FiOS Franchise Assurance – New York City

# **NOTICE OF INTENTION**

## **TO INSTALL/UPGRADE CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES AND SERVICE**

PURSUANT to Public Service Law §228 and 16 NYCRR Part 898, Verizon New York Inc. intends to install/upgrade cable television facilities and service upon your property at 333 Beach 67, Queens NY. Verizon New York Inc. would like to perform this installation/upgrade on or after November 20, 2014. In the event of any damage to your property, Verizon New York Inc. will be responsible. More specifically, Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade plan involves the following:

Generally consist of building pathway from street to building and/or building to building basement(s), core drilling and placing vertical pathway, fiber hubs, terminals, and installing a horizontal molding or flexible duct system as required. Within these pathways fiber optic cable will be placed and spliced. Work will be performed in accordance with the Certificate of Acceptance of Proposed Work.

Verizon New York Inc.'s installation/upgrade conforms with the safety, functioning and appearance of the building in accord with the requirements of the New York State Public Service Commission law and regulations. Should you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the NYC Verizon FiOS Real Estate Department at 888-364-3467 or NYCFiOS@verizon.com.

The installation/upgrade of cable television service will likely enhance the value of your property, and there will be no charge to you for such installation/upgrade. If you believe the value of your property is not enhanced, you may attempt to seek compensation according to the procedures established by the New York State Public Service Commission as delineated on the reverse side of this Notice.

This Notice may be served, among other ways, by certified mail return receipt requested. If you have any questions regarding the New York State Public Service Commission's rules or regulations, you may write or call Verizon New York Inc.'s representative, or write or call the Secretary to the New York State Public Service Commission at [secretary@dps.ny.gov](mailto:secretary@dps.ny.gov) or #3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Tel. No. (518) 474-6530.

THE LANDLORD'S RIGHT TO INITIATE A COMPENSATION PROCEEDING WILL EXPIRE FOUR (4) MONTHS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE OR FROM THE DATE OF INSTALLATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER.

DATED: October 20, 2014

**PUBLIC SERVICE LAW**

**§228. Landlord-tenant relationship**

1. No landlord shall (a) interfere with the installation of cable television facilities upon his property or premises, except that a landlord may require:

(1) that the installation of cable television facilities conform to such reasonable conditions are necessary to protect the safety, functioning and appearance of the premises, and the convenience and well being of other tenants;

(2) that the cable television company or the tenant or a combination thereof bear the entire cost of the installation, operation or removal of such facilities; and

(3) that the cable television company agree to indemnify the landlord for any damage caused by the installation, operation or removal of such facilities.

(b) demand or accept payment from any tenant, in any form, in exchange for permitting cable television service on or within his property or premises, or from any cable television company in exchange therefore in excess of any amount which the Commission shall, by regulation, determine to be reasonable; or

(c) Discriminate in rental charges or otherwise, between tenants who receive cable television service and those who do not.

2. Rental agreements and leases executed prior to January first, nineteen hundred seventy-three may be enforced notwithstanding this section.

3. No cable television company may enter into any agreement with the owners, lessees or persons controlling or managing buildings served by a cable television company, or do or permit any act, that would have the effect, directly or indirectly of diminishing or interfering with existing rights of any tenant or other occupant of such building to use or avail himself of master or individual antenna equipment.

**NEW YORK CODES RULES AND REGULATIONS – PART 898 –  
LANDLORD-TENANT RELATIONSHIP (Statutory authority: Public Service Law §228(1))**

**§898.1 Prohibition**

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