Short Term Public Notice of Network Change
Under Rule 51.333(a)

Verizon

Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) Cell Relay
Interim Inter-switch Signaling Protocol

October 8, 2002

Type of Change:
Bell Atlantic previously filed a network disclosure for an ATM Interim Inter-switch Signaling Protocol (IISP) interface (in July 1996).

The IISP port is intended for carriers wishing to connect to the Verizon ATM Cell Relay network. Previously, carriers used User to Network Interfaces (UNI) to connect to the Verizon network. Carriers may still use UNIs for connecting to the Verizon network with Permanent Virtual Connections (PVC). However, if the carrier wishes to use Switched Virtual Connections (SVC), then an IISP interface is recommended.

The IISP is available in all the same interface speeds as the UNI: DS-1, DS-3, OC3-c, and OC12-c and will now be available throughout the Verizon footprint, both in the former Bell Atlantic territory and in the former GTE territory.

This service will conform to the following technical references:

ATM Forum:
— Interim Inter-Switch Signaling Protocol Specification, Version 1.0, December, 1994, af-pnni-0026.000

ATM Forum approved specifications may be downloaded from the web site:
http://www.atmforum.com

Dates/Location changes are to occur:
IISPs are already available in the former Bell Atlantic territory (Verizon-East) and will be made available in the former GTE territory (Verizon-West) beginning in 4Q2002, subject to change.
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Impact of change:
This will standardize the service offering available across the Verizon footprint.

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