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

Wholesale Hosted IP Communications (HIPC)

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Type of Change:

Wholesale Hosted IP Communications (HIPC) is a hosted telephony service that functions on industry-standard protocols and provides routing information, call signaling, protocol conversion, and other functions to enable full on-net calling to and from any IP telephony user and off-net calling to the Public Switched Telephone Network. Users will receive IP telephony based on the signaling Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) and media exchange that is based on the Real-time Transport Protocol (RTP). These protocols were previously disclosed in Verizon’s Hosted VoIP Service Notice of Network Change dated April 5, 2005.

The signaling protocol disclosed for this service is the Client Application Protocol (CAP), an XML-based BroadSoft application protocol that exchanges messages as XML documents. This protocol provides a standard messaging interface between external applications and BroadWorks, enabling an open, non-proprietary mechanism for any third-party application to perform call control actions via BroadWorks.

Technical References:

The following technical reference and subsequent versions shall apply as an interface requirement between the Verizon network and third-party applications providers.

Standard BroadWorks System Specification:

BroadWorks Client Application Protocol Interface Specification Release 11.1
Client Application Protocol Overview Bulletin 01-2003
BroadSoft, Inc., 220 Perry Parkway, Gaithersburg, MD 20877
Tel: 301.977.9440 Fax: 301.977.8846 Website: http://www.broadsoft.com
Date Changes are to Occur:

Verizon plans to offer Hosted IP Communications service beginning on November 28, 2005.

Location Changes are to Occur:

The services described in this disclosure will be available throughout the Verizon region where suitable facilities and capacities are available. To confirm availability at your location, contact the Product Manager listed below.

Reasonable Foreseeable Impact of Change:

This change essentially provides additional information that may be used for signaling and media exchange to provide Hosted IP Communications telephony. Third-party applications providers must meet these interface requirements to take advantage of this service. All previously disclosed interfaces required to provide this service will remain available.

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