Decision No. C03-1442

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 03V-494T

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF VERIZON WIRELESS (VAW) LLC D/B/A VERIZON WIRELESS FOR A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF RULE 4 CCR 723-22-5.

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION

Mailed Date: December 23, 2003 Adopted Date: December 22, 2003

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement of Findings and Fact

1. On November 14, 2003, Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, doing business as Verizon

Wireless (Verizon Wireless) filed an application for a waiver of the Colorado Public Utilities

Commission's requirements found in Rule 4 Code of Colorado Regulations (CCR) 723-22-5.

Verizon Wireless is requesting a temporary waiver until January 5, 2004.

2. The grounds stated within this application are that Verizon Wireless is currently

trying to implement administrative systems in order to comply with the Commission's Rule. The

system that Verizon Wireless developed failed before the October 5, 2003 deadline, and Verizon

Wireless is now going through the process of redesigning its system. In order to comply with

Commission Rule 22-5, which requires in relevant part that wireless telephone service providers

shall provide no later than the fifth day of every calendar quarter, an electronic list to the

Designated Agent that contains any changed, transferred, and disconnected telephone numbers of

wireless service subscribers as of the last day of the previous calendar quarter, Verizon Wireless

would need to manually prepare the list and states that it would be impractical and costly for it to

provide the list at this time. Verizon Wireless has informed the Commission that it is urgently

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working on the administrative systems. Verizon Wireless is asking for the additional time required to implement the systems, and to ensure that the systems are working properly. Verizon Wireless will also provide to the Commission the list of changed, transferred, and discontinued wireless numbers that should have been provided on October 5, 2003.

B. **Discussion**

3. Now being duly advised in the matter, the Commission finds that good cause has been stated and grants in full the application for the requested temporary waiver by Verizon Wireless. A waiver of Rule 4 CCR 723-22-5 shall be granted until January 5, 2004.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

- 1. The waiver application is deemed complete.
- 2. Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, doing business as Verizon Wireless' application for waiver of Rule 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* 723-22-5 is granted, subject to the terms and conditions set forth above in the Discussion portion of this Order.
 - 3. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING December 22, 2003.

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