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Department of Public Utilities  
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Shonda D. Green, Secretary  
Department of Telecommunications and Cable  
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***Re: D.P.U. 25-10/D.T.C. 25-1 – Joint Notice of Inquiry by the Department of Public Utilities and the Department of Telecommunications and Cable on their own Motion to explore utility pole attachment, conduit access, double pole, and related considerations applicable to utility work conducted on public rights-of-way in the Commonwealth***

Dear Secretaries Marini and Green:

In response to the May 8, 2025 Memorandum issued in this proceeding, Verizon New England Inc. d/b/a Verizon Massachusetts (“Verizon”) confirms that it plans to draft presentations for each of the agenda topics outlined in the Memorandum. We plan to exchange presentations with each of the investor-owned electric distribution companies about one week before the due date and revise our presentations to eliminate duplication and in some instances possibly have one company (or group of companies) make a single presentation on a topic.

Given the additional time needed for industry coordination, Verizon respectfully requests that the due date for presentations be extended one week to June 16, 2025, which would still give parties one week before the technical sessions to review them.

Respectfully submitted,

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