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**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, ex rel.**

**STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION**

**CASE NO. PUC000035**

**Ex Parte: In the matter of third-party testing of Operation Support Systems for Verizon-Virginia, Inc.**

**Project Leader Ruling For Notice of KPMG’s Final Report**

**April 16, 2002**

On February 17, 2000, the Commission established this proceeding to conduct third-party testing of the operation support systems (“OSS”) for Bell Atlantic-Virginia, Inc., now Verizion-Virginia, Inc. (“Verizon”). Pursuant to the Commission’s directives, KPMG Consulting, Inc. (“KPMG”) was hired to conduct the third-party test in accordance with a Master Test Plan adopted by the Commission’s Project Leader.

On April 15, 2002, KPMG released its final report on its third-party test of Verizon’s OSS. This draft report can be accessed on the Commission’s website at [www.state.va.us/scc/division/puc/osskpmg\\_final.htm](http://www.state.va.us/scc/division/puc/osskpmg_final.htm). Interested parties may request an electronic copy from the Commission’s Project Leader. A paper copy of the draft report will be provided only upon the showing of good cause.

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