

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC  
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**VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

**\$2,250,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 2016**

**\$1,750,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 2018**

**\$4,250,000,000 2.50% Notes due 2016**

**\$4,750,000,000 3.65% Notes due 2018**

**\$4,000,000,000 4.50% Notes due 2020**

**\$11,000,000,000 5.15% Notes due 2023**

**\$6,000,000,000 6.40% Notes due 2033**

**\$15,000,000,000 6.55% Notes due 2043**

**Issuer:** Verizon Communications Inc. (the Company )

**Title of Securities:** Floating Rate Notes due 2016

Floating Rate Notes due 2018

2.50% Notes due 2016 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2016 )

3.65% Notes due 2018 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2018 )

4.50% Notes due 2020 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2020 )

5.15% Notes due 2023 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2023 )

6.40% Notes due 2033 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2033 )

6.55% Notes due 2043 (the Fixed Rate Notes due 2043 and, collectively with the Floating Rate Notes due 2016, the Floating Rate Notes due 2018, the Fixed Rate Notes due 2016, the Fixed Rate Notes due 2018, the Fixed Rate Notes due 2020, the Fixed Rate Notes due 2023 and the

Fixed Rate due 2033, the Notes )

**Trade Date:** September 11, 2013

**Settlement Date (T+5):** September 18, 2013

Under Rule 15c6-1 under the Exchange Act, trades in the secondary market are required to settle in three business days, unless the parties to any such trade expressly agree otherwise. Accordingly, purchasers who wish to trade the Notes prior to the third business day before the settlement date will be required, by virtue of the fact that the Notes initially settle in T+5, to specify an alternate settlement arrangement at the time of any such trade to prevent a failed settlement. Purchasers of the Notes who wish to trade the Notes on the date of pricing or the next business day should consult their advisors

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| <b>Maturity Date:</b> | Floating Rate Notes due 2016: | September 15, 2016 |
|                       | Floating Rate Notes due 2018: | September 14, 2018 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2016:    | September 15, 2016 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2018:    | September 14, 2018 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2020:    | September 15, 2020 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2023:    | September 15, 2023 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2033:    | September 15, 2033 |
|                       | Fixed Rate Notes due 2043:    | September 15, 2043 |

**Aggregate Principal Amount Offered:** Floating Rate Notes Due 2016: \$2,250,000,000

Floating Rate Notes Due 2018: \$1,750,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: \$4,250,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: \$4,750,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: \$4,000,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: \$11,000,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: \$6,000,000,000  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: \$15,000,000,000

**Price to Public (Issue Price):**

Floating Rate Notes due 2016: 100.000% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Floating Rate Notes due 2018: 100.000% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: 99.923% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: 99.996% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: 99.870% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: 99.676% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: 99.900% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: 99.883% plus accrued interest, if any, from

September 18, 2013

**Gross Spread:**

Floating Rate Notes due 2016: 0.30%  
 Floating Rate Notes due 2018: 0.35%  
 Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: 0.30%

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| Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: | 0.35% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: | 0.40% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: | 0.45% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: | 0.75% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: | 0.75% |

**Price to Verizon:**

|                               |         |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Floating Rate Notes due 2016: | 99.700% |
| Floating Rate Notes due 2018: | 99.650% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2016:    | 99.623% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2018:    | 99.646% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2020:    | 99.470% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2023:    | 99.226% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2033:    | 99.150% |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2043:    | 99.133% |

**Interest Rate:**

|                               |   |
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| Floating Rate Notes due 2016: | Three-month LIBOR plus 1.53%, to be reset quarterly as described in the Prospectus Supplement |
| Floating Rate Notes due 2018: | Three-month LIBOR plus 1.75%, to be reset quarterly as described in the Prospectus Supplement |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2016:    | 2.50% per annum   |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2018:    | 3.65% per annum   |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2020:    | 4.50% per annum   |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2023:    | 5.15% per annum   |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2033:    | 6.40% per annum   |
| Fixed Rate Notes due 2043:    | 6.55% per annum   |

**Interest Payment Dates:**

Floating Rate Notes due 2016: Quarterly on each March 15, June 15, September 15, and December 15, commencing December 15, 2013

Floating Rate Notes due 2018: Quarterly on each March 14, June 14, September 14, and December 14, commencing December 14, 2013

Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: Semiannually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2014

Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: Semiannually on each March 14 and September 14, commencing March 14, 2014

Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: Semiannually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2014

Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: Semiannually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2014

Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: Semiannually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2014

Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: Semiannually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2014

**Denominations:** Minimum of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess of \$2,000

**Optional Redemption:**

Floating Rate Notes due 2016: Not redeemable prior to maturity, except as described below

Floating Rate Notes due 2018: Not redeemable prior to maturity, except as described below

Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: Make-whole call at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2016 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 30 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: Make-whole call at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2018 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 35 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: Make-whole call at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2020 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 35 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2023 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 40 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2033 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 40 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2043 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 45 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest

**Special Mandatory Redemption:**

Floating Rate Notes due 2016: In the event that the Acquisition (defined below) has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Floating Rate Notes due 2016, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement (defined below)

Floating Rate Notes due 2018: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Floating Rate Notes due 2018, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2016: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2016, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2018: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2018, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2020: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2020, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2023: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2023, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2033: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2033, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

Fixed Rate Notes due 2043: In the event that the Acquisition has not occurred on or before September 2, 2014 or the Acquisition Agreement (defined below) is terminated on or at any time prior thereto, the Company must redeem at 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the Fixed Rate Notes due 2043, plus accrued and unpaid interest from September 18, 2013 up until the earlier of (i) October 2, 2014, if the Acquisition has not been completed on or prior to September 2, 2014 or (ii) the twentieth business day following the termination of the Acquisition Agreement

**Use of Proceeds:**

On September 2, 2013, the Company entered into a stock purchase agreement (the Acquisition Agreement) with Vodafone Group Plc and Vodafone 4 Limited, pursuant to which the Company agreed to acquire Vodafone's 45% indirect ownership interest in Cellco Partnership d/b/a/ Verizon Wireless for consideration totaling approximately \$130 billion (the Acquisition)

The Company intends to use the net proceeds from the sale of the Notes, together with other indebtedness and available cash, to finance the Acquisition, including the payment of related fees and expenses

**Acquisition Agreement:**

On September 11, 2013, Vodafone consented under Section 5.9(c) of the Acquisition Agreement to the reduction of the aggregate amount of all unfunded commitments in respect of the Company's financing for the Acquisition to an amount not less than \$12 billion as a result of the issuance of the Notes offered hereby

**Representatives:**

Barclays Capital Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC

**Relationships with Purchasers:**

On September 9, 2013, affiliates of Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc., Mizuho Securities USA Inc., RBC Capital Markets, LLC, RBS



Securities Inc., Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. and Santander Investment Securities Inc., each of which is acting as an underwriter for this offering, became lenders under the Credit Agreement (as defined in the Prospectus Supplement)

|  | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Floating</u><br><u>Rate</u><br>Notes due 2016 | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Floating Rate</u><br>Notes due 2018 | Principal Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate</u><br><u>Notes</u><br>due 2016 | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate</u><br><u>Notes</u><br>due 2018 |
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| <b>Allocation:</b>                       |  |  |  |   |
| Barclays Capital Inc.                    | \$ 353,250,000   | \$ 274,750,000   | \$ 667,250,000   | \$ 745,750,000  |
| J.P. Morgan Securities LLC               | 353,250,000  | 274,750,000  | 667,250,000  | 745,750,000   |
| Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner &<br>Smith |  |  |  |   |
| Incorporated                             | 353,250,000  | 274,750,000  | 667,250,000  | 745,750,000   |
| Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC                 | 353,250,000  | 274,750,000  | 667,250,000  | 745,750,000   |
| Citigroup Global Markets Inc.            | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| Credit Suisse Securities (USA)<br>LLC    | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA),<br>Inc. | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| Mizuho Securities USA Inc.               | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| RBC Capital Markets, LLC                 | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| RBS Securities Inc.                      | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| Wells Fargo Securities, LLC              | 108,000,000  | 84,000,000   | 204,000,000  | 228,000,000   |
| Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.            | 40,500,000   | 31,500,000   | 76,500,000   | 85,500,000  |
| Santander Investment Securities<br>Inc.  | 40,500,000   | 31,500,000   | 76,500,000   | 85,500,000  |
|  | \$ 2,250,000,000   | \$ 1,750,000,000   | \$ 4,250,000,000   | \$ 4,750,000,000  |

|  | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate</u><br>Notes due 2020 | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate</u><br>Notes<br>due 2023 | Principal Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate Notes</u><br>due 2033 | Principal<br>Amount<br>of <u>Fixed Rate</u><br><u>Notes</u><br>due 2043 |
|--|---|--|--|---|
| <b>Allocation:</b>                       |   |  |  |   |
| Barclays Capital Inc.                    | \$ 628,000,000  | \$ 1,727,000,000   | \$ 942,000,000   | \$ 2,355,000,000  |
| J.P. Morgan Securities LLC               | 628,000,000   | 1,727,000,000  | 942,000,000  | 2,355,000,000   |
| Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner &<br>Smith |   |  |  |   |
| Incorporated                             | 628,000,000   | 1,727,000,000  | 942,000,000  | 2,355,000,000   |
| Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC                 | 628,000,000   | 1,727,000,000  | 942,000,000  | 2,355,000,000   |
| Citigroup Global Markets Inc.            | 192,000,000   | 528,000,000  | 288,000,000  | 720,000,000   |
| Credit Suisse Securities (USA)<br>LLC    | 192,000,000   | 528,000,000  | 288,000,000  | 720,000,000   |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA),<br>Inc. | 192,000,000   | 528,000,000  | 288,000,000  | 720,000,000   |
| Mizuho Securities USA Inc.               | 192,000,000   | 528,000,000  | 288,000,000  | 720,000,000   |

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| RBC Capital Markets, LLC             | 192,000,000      | 528,000,000       | 288,000,000      | 720,000,000       |
| RBS Securities Inc.                  | 192,000,000      | 528,000,000       | 288,000,000      | 720,000,000       |
| Wells Fargo Securities, LLC          | 192,000,000      | 528,000,000       | 288,000,000      | 720,000,000       |
| Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.        | 72,000,000       | 198,000,000       | 108,000,000      | 270,000,000       |
| Santander Investment Securities Inc. | 72,000,000       | 198,000,000       | 108,000,000      | 270,000,000       |
|                                      | \$ 4,000,000,000 | \$ 11,000,000,000 | \$ 6,000,000,000 | \$ 15,000,000,000 |

**Reference Document:**

Prospectus Supplement, subject to completion, dated September 9, 2013;  
Prospectus dated September 3, 2013.

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