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The New York Stock Exchange certifies its approval for listing and registration of the 4.073% Notes due 2024 of **VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.**, under the Exchange Act of 1934.

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