VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC Form 8-K December 08, 2014

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: December 3, 2014

(Date of earliest event reported)

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-8606 (Commission File Number) 23-2259884 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1095 Avenue of the Americas

New York, New York10036(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 395-1000

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 3, 2014, Verizon determined that, effective at the close of business on December 31, 2014, Randal S. Milch, Verizon s Executive Vice President Public Policy and General Counsel, will no longer be responsible for Verizon s legal and public policy functions. Effective January 1, 2015, Mr. Milch will become strategic policy advisor to Mr. Lowell C. McAdam, Verizon s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, and will oversee strategic policy initiatives.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Verizon Communications Inc. (Registrant)

Date: December 8, 2014

/s/ William L. Horton, Jr. William L. Horton, Jr.

Senior Vice President, Deputy General Counsel

and Corporate Secretary