UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

IN RE: VERIZON INTERNET SERVICES, INC., Subpoena Enforcement Matter,	)	
RECORDING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA,	)	**Civil Action No. 03-MS-0040 (JDB)**
Plaintiff,	)	
5.	)	
VERIZON INTERNET SERVICES, Inc.	)	
Defendant.	)	

ORDER

This miscellaneous action has been assigned to the undersigned judge as a related case. Pursuant to the parties' submissions relating to a proposed briefing schedule for consideration of Verizon Internet Service's Motion to Quash the February 4, 2003 Subpoena served by Recording Industry Association of America ("RIAA"), it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

1. Verizon's opening brief on its motion to quash (limited to 35 pages) shall be filed and hand-served by not later than March 17, 2003.

2. RIAA's opposition to Verizon's opening brief (limited to 35 pages) shall be filed and hand-served by not later than March 27, 2003.

3. Verizon's reply, if any, to RIAA's opposition (limited to 5 pages and to newly-raised issues) shall be filed and hand-served by not later than 12:00 noon on March 31, 2003.

4. A hearing on Verizon's motion to quash is scheduled for April 1, 2003, at 2:00 p.m. in Courtroom 21.

5. The parties' briefing shall include, but is not limited to, discussion of: (1) the validity

and enforcement of RIAA's February 4, 2003 subpoena, and in particular issues relating to First Amendment and Article III challenges -- and standing to raise these challenges -- as well as collateral estoppel questions relating to this Court's January 21, 2003, decision in Civil Action No. 02-MS-0323 (JDB); (2) the effect of the Court's merits decision in this action on the question whether to enter a stay pending appeal in Civil Action No. 02-MS-0323 (JDB); and (3) the possible issue of a stay pending appeal in this action.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that Verizon, as it has proposed to do, will notify, in writing, the subscribers whose conduct is at issue in each subpoena action: (1) of the commencement and the current status of these actions; (2) of the nature of RIAA's allegations of possible infringing activity; and (3) of RIAA's demand that they cease any and all copyright infringement pending resolution of these matters. Verizon shall confirm in writing to RIAA that such notification has been made.

Signed this 7th day of March, 2003.

/s/ John D. Bates
JOHN D. BATES
United States District Judge

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