

Gowrappan Kumara Guru  
Form 3  
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# FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting  
Person \*

Â Gowrappan Kumara Guru

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring  
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/01/2018

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC [VZ]

4. Relationship of Reporting  
Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner

☒ Officer \_\_\_\_ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

EVP and CEO - Oath

VERIZON  
COMMUNICATIONS  
INC.,Â 1095 AVENUE OF THE  
AMERICAS

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10036

(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group  
Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting  
Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One  
Reporting Person

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities  
Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership  
Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect  
(I)  
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial  
Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially  
owned directly or indirectly.

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and  
Expiration Date  
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of  
Securities Underlying  
Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

4. Conversion  
or Exercise  
Price of  
Derivative

5. Ownership  
Form of  
Derivative  
Security:

6. Nature of Indirect  
Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Phantom Stock (unitized)	Â (1)	Â (1)	Common Stock	282	\$ (1)	I	By Deferred Compensation Plan
Restricted Stock Units - 2018-2021 Award Cycle	Â (2)	Â (2)	Common Stock	111,264	\$ (2)	D	Â
Special Restricted Stock Units - 2018-2021 Award Cycle	Â (3)	Â (3)	Common Stock	65,450	\$ (3)	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gowrappan Kumara Guru VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC. 1095 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10036	Â	Â	Â EVP and CEO - Oath	Â

## Signatures

William L. Horton, Jr., Attorney-in-fact for Kumara Guru  
Gowrappan

10/09/2018

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of a portion of one share of common stock and is settled in cash. The shares of phantom stock become payable upon events established by the reporting person in accordance with the deferred compensation plan. The number of shares is based upon 989,963 units held as of October 1, 2018.

(2) Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents the right to receive an amount payable in cash equal to the economic equivalent of one share of common stock, plus accrued dividends, on the applicable vesting date. Subject to the terms of the RSU Agreement, the RSUs will vest in three equal annual installments beginning April 9, 2019.

(3) Each Special RSU represents the right to receive one share of common stock, plus accrued dividends, on the payment date with respect to the date the RSU vests. Subject to the terms of the RSU Agreement, the RSUs will vest on April 9, 2021.

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