SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
2024 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 490 by Senator Cathey

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 40:1749.21(B)" insert "and to enact R.S. 40:1749.19(C)" and after "relative to" delete the remainder of the line and insert "regional notification centers;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete line 3, and insert " to provide for distribution of information from regional notification centers; to authorize certain municipal or parish governments which own or operate a drainage system, sewer system, or water or water system to become a member of, participate in, or share the cost of a regional notification center; and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 40:1749.19(C) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

"§1749.19. Voluntary participation by incorporated municipalities and parish governments

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C. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, each municipality or parish government which owns or operates in its own right, or through a special district or districts created pursuant to law, a drainage system, a sewer system, water, or a water system within its local jurisdiction and has any location of its underground utilities or facilities or equipment identified or mapped in connection with the deployment of the broadband projects throughout the state utilizing the funding pursuant to R.S. 51:2370.1, et seq., the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund, the Enhanced Alternative Connect America Model, the Rural Development Broadband ReConnect Program, or any other similar program included in the Broadband Equity Access and Deployment program shall become a member of, participate in, and share the cost of a regional notification center pursuant to R.S. 40:1749.14.

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