
SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2023 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senator Boudreaux to Re-Reengrossed House Bill No. 653 by Representative Deshotel

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 Delete Senate Committee Amendment Nos. 2 through 4, 6 through 8, and 10 proposed by
3 the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and
4 adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2023

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 In Amendment No. 9 by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and
7 International Affairs (#2556) on page 1, line 19, change "(18)" to "(19)"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 In Amendment No. 12 proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer
10 Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2023 (#2556) on
11 page 2, delete "change "(22)" to "(21) and""

12 AMENDMENT NO. 4

13 In Amendment No. 13 proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer
14 Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2023 (#2556) on
15 page 2, line 6, delete "change "(23)" to "(22) and""

16 AMENDMENT NO. 5

17 In Amendment No. 18 proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer
18 Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2023 (#2556) on
19 page 2, line 21, change "F." to "E."

20 AMENDMENT NO. 6

21 On page 2, delete line 6 and insert "of Commerce (NTIA), including any additional
22 regulations promulgated by or guidance of the assistant secretary may provide."

23 AMENDMENT NO. 7

24 On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

25 "(2) "Assistant secretary" means the assistant secretary of the United States
26 Department of Commerce for Communications and Information."

27 AMENDMENT NO. 8

28 On page 2, line 16, change "(2)" to "(3)"

29 AMENDMENT NO. 9

30 On page 2, line 18, change "(3)" to "(4)"

31 AMENDMENT NO. 10

32 On page 2, line 24, change "(4)" to "(5)"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 3, line 5, change "(5)" to "(6)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 12

4 On page 3, line 11, change "(6)" to "(7)"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 13

6 On page 3, line 14, change "(7)" to "(8)"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 14

8 On page 3, line 16, change "(8)" to "(9)"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 15

10 On page 3, line 18, change "(9)" to "(10)"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 16

12 On page 3, line 23, change "(10)" to "(11)"

13 AMENDMENT NO. 17

14 On page 3, line 24, change "(11)" to "(12)"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 18

16 On page 5, line 10, change "(17)" to "(16)"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 19

18 On page 5, line 19, change "(18)" to "(17)"

19 AMENDMENT NO. 20

20 On page 5, line 20, change "(19)" to "(18)"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 21

22 On page 5, delete lines 22 and 23 in their entirety

23 AMENDMENT NO. 22

24 On page 5, after line 29, add the following:

25 "(21) "Shapefile" means a file format for storing, depicting, and analyzing
26 geospatial data depicting broadband coverage, comprised of several component
27 files."

28 AMENDMENT NO. 23

29 On page 6, delete lines 27 and 28 and on page 7, delete lines 1 and 2

30 AMENDMENT NO. 24

31 On page 7, at the beginning of line 3, change "C." to "B."

1 AMENDMENT NO. 25

2 On page 8, line 9, after "by" and before "the" insert "or guidance of"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 26

4 On page 8, line 10, after "Subpart." delete the remainder of the line and insert "The office
5 shall"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 27

7 On page 9, delete line 9 and insert: "most recent Broadband DATA Map,"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 28

9 On page 9, line 23, after "(5)" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 24 through
10 29 in their entirety and insert:

11 "A grant applicant may define proposed project areas in the application for
12 grant funding, which shall include eligible locations identified by the office.
13 However, the office shall award grants to eligible grant recipients according to the
14 priorities established in federal law, including any additional regulations
15 promulgated by or guidance of the assistant secretary, as provided for in R.S.
16 51:2370.21(A)."

17 AMENDMENT NO. 29

18 On page 10, delete lines 1 through 16 in their entirety

19 AMENDMENT NO. 30

20 On page 10, line 17, change "(8)(a) A" to "(6)(a) A local"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 31

22 On page 10, line 19, after "the" and before "governing" insert "local"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 32

24 On page 10, line 22, after "the" and before "governing" insert "local"

25 AMENDMENT NO. 33

26 On page 10, line 26, change "(9)(a)" to "(7)(a)"

27 AMENDMENT NO. 34

28 On page 11, line 6, after "Scoring" and before the period " ." insert "and grant award"

29 AMENDMENT NO. 35

30 On page 11, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert "promulgate application minimum
31 requirements, scoring rules, and grant awards that are consistent"

32 AMENDMENT NO. 36

33 On page 11, at the end of line 8, delete "BEAD" and insert "including any additional
34 requirements or guidance provided for after enactment of this Act, BEAD"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 37

2 On page 11, delete lines 10 through 12 in their entirety

3 AMENDMENT NO. 38

4 On page 15, line 11, after "Protection" delete the comma ","

5 AMENDMENT NO. 39

6 On page 16, delete lines 7 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

7 "disbursement of state and federal funds received to implement the
8 Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program. All federal grant funds
9 received for this purpose shall be disbursed in accordance with R.S. 51:2370.21(A)."