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Senators Gooch of the 51st, Payne of the 54th, Brass of the 28th, Burke of the 11th, Miller of the 49th and others offered the following amendment:

1 *Amend HB 244 (LC 36 4386S) by replacing line 8 with the following:*

2 provide for definitions; to require certain reports; to provide for automatic repeal; to provide
3 for a short title; to provide for an effective date; to provide for related matters; to repeal

4 *By replacing lines 23 and 24 with the following:*

5 (2) 'Broadband services' shall have the same meaning as provided in Code
6 Section 50-40-1.

7 *By redesignating paragraph (4) as paragraph (5) on line 29 and adding between lines 28*
8 *and 29 the following:*

9 (4) 'Unserved area' shall have the same meaning as provided in Code Section 50-40-1.

10 *By adding between "commercially reasonable" and the period on line 37 the following:*

11 , including but not limited to, whether the attachments will directly result in the
12 communications service provider deploying new broadband services in unserved areas

13 *By adding after the period on line 41 the following:*

14 On the second Monday of every January, each communications service provider and
15 electric membership corporation that has entered into a pole attachment agreement for
16 attachments in this state shall provide to the Department of Community Affairs and to the
17 commission a report detailing how it is promoting the deployment of broadband services
18 in unserved areas and the progress that it has made toward such deployment during the
19 prior year.

20 *By deleting the quotation mark at the end of line 54 and adding between lines 54 and 55 the*
21 *following:*

22 (f) This Code section shall be repealed in its entirety on January 1, 2026, unless extended
23 by an Act of the General Assembly."

24 *By adding between lines 55 and 56 the following:*

25 This Act shall become effective on October 1, 2020.

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SECTION 4.