

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Commerce to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 80 by Senator Mizell

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete line 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

3 "To amend and reenact R.S. 51:2370.13, 2370.32(B), and 2370.41 and to repeal R.S.
4 51:2370.51, relative"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 On page 1, delete line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

7 "Section 1. R.S. 51:2370.13, 2370.32(B), and 2370.41 are hereby"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, line 11, after "GUMBO" and before "program" insert "1.0"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, line 13, after "GUMBO" and before "program" insert "1.0"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 1, delete line 17

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 10

16 AMENDMENT NO. 7

17 On page 2, line 13, after "B." insert "(1)"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 8

19 On page 2, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

20 "(2)(a) The office may withhold any disbursement, reimbursement,
21 retainage, or final payment to a provider if the office determines that the
22 provider, contractor, subcontractor, or agent acting on behalf of the provider
23 caused damage to underground utilities or facilities and was at fault for such
24 damage, including failure to comply with the Louisiana Underground Utilities
25 and Facilities Damage Prevention Law, R.S. 40:1749.11 et seq.

26 (b) The office may require documentation of repairs, reimbursement of
27 damages, corrective action plans, utility coordination records, locate requests,
28 or other compliance measures prior to the release of withheld funds."

29 AMENDMENT NO. 9

30 On page 2, line 29, after "office" and before "shall" insert "of broadband development and
31 connectivity, which shall be referred to in this Subpart as office,"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 10

2 On page 3, line 16, change "Administration" to "Administration, or NTIA,"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 11

4 On page 3, line 20, change "rules" to "rules, after the NTIA releases non-deployment
5 guidance,"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 12

7 On page 3, delete lines 23 through 29 and inset in lieu thereof the following:

8 "Section 2. R.S. 2370.51 is hereby repealed in its entirety."

9 AMENDMENT NO. 13

10 On page 4, delete lines 1 through 12