

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 2928

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9 An Act relating to rural broadband; requiring  
10 broadband service providers submit certain annual  
11 reports; authorizing the promulgation of rules;  
12 requiring OneNet to provide certain information;  
13 requiring Internet service providers to disclose  
14 information on properties served and speeds of  
15 service; stating that certain information remain  
16 confidential; requiring Council to determine data  
17 submission format; requiring use of third party to  
18 collect data; requiring data be delivered by certain  
19 process; providing for codification; and declaring an  
20 emergency.

21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

22 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
23 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 139.203 of Title 17, unless  
24 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

25 A. Broadband service providers operating in this state shall  
26 submit a report containing a broadband network area coverage map to  
27 the Oklahoma Department of Commerce and the Rural Broadband  
28 Expansion Council no later than October 31, 2021. On or before

1 October 31 of each year, the report shall be updated through a  
2 supplemental report that reflects changes in area coverage from the  
3 preceding year. The Department is authorized to promulgate rules  
4 for the collection of the broadband network area coverage map  
5 reports.

6 B. OneNet shall provide the Department and the Rural Broadband  
7 Expansion Council mapping of all assets and network coverage.

8 C. Internet service providers doing business in this state  
9 shall disclose to the Department and the Rural Broadband Expansion  
10 Council the properties they serve and the average minimum download  
11 and upload speeds at which they provide residential and business  
12 services to those properties.

13 D. The reports and information required to be disclosed in this  
14 section shall remain confidential pursuant to Section 24A.10 of  
15 Title 51 of the Oklahoma Statutes. The Council shall determine the  
16 required submission format of the data submitted under the  
17 provisions of this act. The Department shall use a third party to  
18 collect the data submitted under the provisions of this act. The  
19 third party shall deliver data to the Department following a white  
20 label process to remove information identifying specific providers.

21 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
22 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
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1 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
2 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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