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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 677

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STATE MOBILE
COMPUTING AND STORAGE DEVICES."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Any third-party
4 nonprofit community access provider serving six municipalities, one of
5 which has a population of more than one hundred thirty thousand,
6 shall, upon request from any town organization, authority, body or
7 official within its service territory, provide written consent, pursuant
8 to its service provider agreements, for said town organization,
9 authority, body or official to (1) operate education and government
10 public access channels in that town, and (2) engage freely and directly
11 the community antenna television company providing services in that

12 town to use their headend equipment for dissemination of town-
13 specific community access programming on such channels. Said third-
14 party nonprofit community access provider must grant such written
15 consent to said requesting town organization, authority, body or
16 official within three business days. Written consent not provided
17 within three business days shall be deemed granted.

18 (b) If a third-party nonprofit provider fails to provide written
19 consent within three days, pursuant to subsection (a) of this section,
20 the Department of Public Utility and Control shall, upon a request
21 from a town organization, authority, body or official within the service
22 territory of that third-party nonprofit community access provider
23 serving six municipalities, one of which has a population of more than
24 one hundred thirty thousand, (1) terminate, revoke or rescind such
25 third party nonprofit provider's service agreement to provide public
26 access programming within one hundred eighty days, and (2) reopen
27 the application process to secure a community access provider for each
28 of the towns within the affected service territory.

29 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) A community antenna
30 television company, a certified competitive video service provider or a
31 holder of a certificate of cable franchise authority that provides
32 services within a service territory of a third-party nonprofit
33 community access provider that serves six municipalities, one of which
34 has a population of more than one hundred thirty thousand, shall
35 direct the sum of one hundred thousand dollars per year from the
36 funds collected from subscribers in said service territory that it
37 provides to the existing third-party nonprofit community access
38 provider serving six municipalities, one of which has a population of
39 more than one hundred thirty thousand, directly to the service
40 territory's community antenna television advisory council for
41 developing town-specific education and government community
42 access programming.

43 (b) A community antenna television advisory council that receives
44 funds pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall distribute said

45 funds in their entirety to a town organization, authority, body or
 46 official in the service territory of a third-party nonprofit community
 47 access provider serving six municipalities, one of which has a
 48 population of more than one hundred thirty thousand, to support the
 49 development of production and programming capabilities for town-
 50 specific education and government public access programming,
 51 pursuant to grant procedures and processes established by said
 52 council.

53 (c) Any community antenna television advisory council that
 54 receives funds pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall report
 55 annually to the Department of Public Utility Control all completed or
 56 planned disbursements of funds and certify that said funds were spent
 57 in their entirety and used for the public good in the creation of town-
 58 specific education and government public access programming for at
 59 least one of the towns in its service territory.

60 Sec. 3. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2008*) Any certified
 61 telecommunications provider or company utilizing telephone numbers
 62 from the North American Number Planning Administration, except
 63 for Commercial Mobile Radio Service providers, shall provide, on a
 64 nondiscriminatory basis, Subscriber List Information, as defined by the
 65 Federal Communications Commission, of its subscribers, excluding
 66 those subscribers who have specifically requested, pursuant to the
 67 provider or company's terms and conditions, that their information not
 68 be published, in base file extracts and as files comprised of listing
 69 updates to any requesting publisher of a telephone directory. Pricing
 70 of the Subscriber List Information shall be consistent with pricing
 71 established by the Federal Communications Commission and files of
 72 listing updates shall be made available no less frequently than once a
 73 week."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 3	<i>October 1, 2008</i>	New section