S.B. 209

TELECOMMUNICATIONS AMENDMENTS

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

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Senator Curtis S. Bramble proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 1, Lines 9 through 17:
 - 9 This bill provides that the existing surcharge on residential and business lines, for the
 - provision of telecommunications devices to hearing and speech impaired persons, shall
 - apply to { residential, business, and mobile telephone numbers } each access line for residential and business telephone service and each telephone number for mobile telephone service.
 - 12 Highlighted Provisions:
 - This bill:
 - provides that the existing surcharge on residential and business lines, for the
 - 15 provision of telecommunications devices to hearing and speech impaired persons,
 - shall apply to { residential, business, and mobile telephone numbers } each access line for residential and business telephone service and each telephone number for mobile telephone service;
 - 17 reduces the maximum surcharge from 25 cents to 20 cents; and
- 2. *Page 3, Lines 65 through 75:*
 - 65 (4) (a) The commission shall impose a surcharge on each { residence and business
 - 66 access line of each customer to the local exchange of any telephone corporation providing such
 - 67 lines in this state] telephone number of each residential and business customer in this

 state
 } residential and business access line of each customer of local-exchange telephone service in this

 state, and each residential and business telephone number of each customer of mobile telephone service in
 this state
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 - 68 which shall be collected by the telecommunications corporation providing public
 - 69 telecommunications service to the customer, to cover the costs of:
 - 70 (i) the program described in Subsection (2); and
 - 71 (ii) payments made under Subsection (5).
 - 72 (b) The commission shall establish by rule the amount to be charged under this section,
 - 73 [which may] provided that:
 - 74 (i) the surcharge does not exceed [25] 20 cents per [residence] month for each
 - 75 <u>residential</u> and business { <u>faccess line.</u>] <u>telephone number</u>} <u>access line for local-exchange telephone</u> <u>service, and for each residential and business telephone number for mobile telephone service</u> ; and