

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 1132

By: Phillips

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to telecommunications; amending 17 O.S. 2011, Section 139.108, which relates to OneNet and the Oklahoma Government Telecommunications Network; deleting certain service requirement restricting Corporation Commission to only use OneNet as provider; deleting definition; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 17 O.S. 2011, Section 139.108, is amended to read as follows:

Section 139.108. A. Except for the provisions of this section, nothing in this act shall be construed as applicable to the telecommunications network known as OneNet or to any other component of the Oklahoma Government Telecommunications Network. Neither OneNet nor any other component of the Oklahoma Government Telecommunications Network shall be assessed any fee or other charge for the support of universal service.

B. No provider of Internet service or any company providing telecommunications services or its affiliate or subsidiary, may

1 price such Internet service in an anticompetitive, discriminatory,
2 or predatory manner or subsidize the price of Internet service with
3 revenues received from other services. No governmental agency or
4 entity using or being eligible to use OneNet facilities may price
5 such Internet services in an anticompetitive or predatory manner.
6 Any governmental agency or entity using OneNet facilities is hereby
7 prohibited from reselling OneNet access directly to the general
8 public at any nonpublic site. Any company or individual damaged
9 from a violation of this subsection by a private company or
10 individual shall be entitled to treble damages. The Attorney
11 General shall be responsible for bringing an action for violation of
12 this section against a private company or individual.

13 ~~C. The Corporation Commission shall not approve, endorse,~~
14 ~~forward or file any application for reimbursement submitted pursuant~~
15 ~~to subsection (h) of Section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934,~~
16 ~~as amended, for transmission services requiring a circuit of T-1 or~~
17 ~~greater capacity unless OneNet is the circuit provider. For~~
18 ~~purposes of this subsection, "T-1" means a digital, one-million-~~
19 ~~five-hundred forty-four thousand bit (1.544 Mbit) circuit with~~
20 ~~capacity sufficient to simultaneously transmit twenty-four (24)~~
21 ~~voice or data channels at sixty-four thousand bits per second (64~~
22 ~~Kbits/sec).~~

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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