

**SENATE AMENDMENT 2 TO sb379.**

deleting "and" from line 35 on page 2

AND

by deleting the period at the end of line 2 on page 3 and substituting therefor "; and"

AND

by inserting an additional subsection on line 3 on page 3 to read as follows:

"(14) Basic local exchange service means the service provided to the premises of residential or business customers composed of the following:

(a) voice grade access to the public switched network, with ability to place and receive calls,

(b) touch tone service availability,

(c) flat rate residential local service and business local service,

(d) access to emergency services (911/E911) where provided by local authorities,

(e) access to basic operator services,

(f) a standard white page directory listing,

(g) access to basic local directory assistance,

(h) access to long distance toll service providers, and

(i) the minimum service quality as established and required by the Public Service Commission on the effective date of Act 77."

AND

by inserting an additional subsection on line 28 on page 7 as follows:

"(c) Nothing herein, however, authorizes this Authority or any municipality, county, or state to provide, directly or indirectly, basic local exchange service."

AND

by inserting an additional sentence at the end of line 21 on page 16 as follows:

"However, to the extent any provisions of this act conflict with the provisions of Act 77 of 1997, the provisions of Act 77 shall prevail."