

AMENDMENT TO DISCUSSION DRAFT
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Page 82, after line 14, insert the following:

1 (5) 9-1-1, E9-1-1 AND NEXT GENERATION 9-
2 1-1 IMPLEMENTATION GRANTS.—\$250,000,000 shall
3 be available to the Assistant Secretary and the Ad-
4 ministrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety
5 Administration to carry out the grant program
6 under section 158 of the National Telecommuni-
7 cations and Information Administration Organiza-
8 tion Act, as amended by section 265 of this Act.

Page 83, after line 9, insert the following (and con-
form the table of contents accordingly):

9 **Subtitle D—Next Generation 9-1-1**
10 **Advancement Act of 2011**

11 **SEC. 261. SHORT TITLE.**

12 This subtitle may be cited as the “Next Generation
13 9-1-1 Advancement Act of 2011”.

14 **SEC. 262. FINDINGS.**

15 Congress finds that—

1 (1) for the sake of the public safety of our Na-
2 tion, a universal emergency service number (9-1-1)
3 that is enhanced with the most modern and state-of-
4 the-art telecommunications capabilities possible, in-
5 cluding voice, data, and video communications,
6 should be available to all citizens wherever they live,
7 work, and travel;

8 (2) a successful migration to Next Generation
9 9-1-1 service communications systems will require
10 greater Federal, State, and local government re-
11 sources and coordination;

12 (3) any funds that are collected from fees im-
13 posed on consumer bills for the purposes of funding
14 9-1-1 services, enhanced 9-1-1 services, or Next
15 Generation 9-1-1 services should only be used for
16 the purposes for which the funds are collected;

17 (4) it is a national priority to foster the migra-
18 tion from analog, voice-centric 9-1-1 and current
19 generation emergency communications systems to a
20 21st century, Next Generation, IP-based emergency
21 services model that embraces a wide range of voice,
22 video, and data applications;

23 (5) ensuring 9-1-1 access for all citizens in-
24 cludes improving access to 9-1-1 systems for the
25 deaf, hard of hearing, deaf-blind, and individuals

1 with speech disabilities, who increasingly commu-
2 nicate with non-traditional text, video, and instant-
3 messaging communications services, and who expect
4 those services to be able to connect directly to 9-1-
5 1 systems;

6 (6) a coordinated public educational effort on
7 current and emerging 9-1-1 system capabilities and
8 proper use of the 9-1-1 system is essential to the
9 operation of effective 9-1-1 systems;

10 (7) Federal policies and funding should enable
11 the transition to Internet Protocol-based (IP-based)
12 Next Generation 9-1-1 systems and Federal 9-1-1
13 and emergency communications laws and regulations
14 must keep pace with rapidly changing technology to
15 ensure an open and competitive 9-1-1 environment
16 based on the most advanced technology available;
17 and

18 (8) Federal policies and grant programs should
19 reflect the growing convergence and integration of
20 emergency communications technology, such that
21 State interoperability plans and Federal funding in
22 support of such plans is made available for all as-
23 pects of Next Generation 9-1-1 service and emer-
24 gency communications systems.

1 **SEC. 263. PURPOSES.**

2 The purposes of this subtitle are—

3 (1) to focus Federal policies and funding pro-
4 grams to ensure a successful migration from voice-
5 centric 9-1-1 systems to IP-enabled, Next Genera-
6 tion 9-1-1 emergency response systems that use
7 voice, data, and video services to greatly enhance the
8 capability of 9-1-1 and emergency response services;

9 (2) to ensure that technologically advanced 9-
10 1-1 and emergency communications systems are
11 universally available and adequately funded to serve
12 all Americans; and

13 (3) to ensure that all 9-1-1 and emergency re-
14 sponse organizations have access to—

15 (A) high-speed broadband networks;

16 (B) interconnected IP backbones; and

17 (C) innovative services and applications.

18 **SEC. 264. DEFINITIONS.**

19 In this subtitle, the following definitions shall apply:

20 (1) 9-1-1 SERVICES AND E9-1-1 SERVICES.—

21 The terms “9-1-1 services” and “E9-1-1 services”
22 shall have the meaning given those terms in section
23 158 of the National Telecommunications and Infor-
24 mation Administration Organization Act (47 U.S.C.
25 942), as amended by this subtitle.

1 “(1) ESTABLISHMENT AND CONTINUATION.—

2 The Assistant Secretary and the Administrator of
3 the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
4 shall—

5 “(A) establish and further a program to
6 facilitate coordination and communication be-
7 tween Federal, State, and local emergency com-
8 munications systems, emergency personnel,
9 public safety organizations, telecommunications
10 carriers, and telecommunications equipment
11 manufacturers and vendors involved in the im-
12 plementation of 9–1–1 services; and

13 “(B) establish a 9–1–1 Implementation
14 Coordination Office to implement the provisions
15 of this section.

16 “(2) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—

17 “(A) DEVELOPMENT.—The Assistant Sec-
18 retary and the Administrator shall develop a
19 management plan for the grant program estab-
20 lished under this section, including by devel-
21 oping—

22 “(i) plans related to the organiza-
23 tional structure of such program; and

24 “(ii) funding profiles for each fiscal
25 year of the duration of such program.

1 “(B) SUBMISSION TO CONGRESS.—Not
2 later than 90 days after the date of enactment
3 of the Next Generation 9–1–1 Advancement Act
4 of 2011, the Assistant Secretary and the Ad-
5 ministrator shall submit the management plan
6 developed under subparagraph (A) to—

7 “(i) the Committees on Commerce,
8 Science, and Transportation and Appro-
9 priations of the Senate; and

10 “(ii) the Committees on Energy and
11 Commerce and Appropriations of the
12 House of Representatives.

13 “(3) PURPOSE OF OFFICE.—The Office shall—

14 “(A) take actions, in concert with coordi-
15 nators designated in accordance with subsection
16 (b)(3)(A)(ii), to improve coordination and com-
17 munication with respect to the implementation
18 of 9–1–1 services, E9–1–1 services, and Next
19 Generation 9–1–1 services;

20 “(B) develop, collect, and disseminate in-
21 formation concerning practices, procedures, and
22 technology used in the implementation of 9–1–
23 1 services, E9–1–1 services, and Next Genera-
24 tion 9–1–1 services;

1 “(C) advise and assist eligible entities in
2 the preparation of implementation plans re-
3 quired under subsection (b)(3)(A)(iii);

4 “(D) receive, review, and recommend the
5 approval or disapproval of applications for
6 grants under subsection (b); and

7 “(E) oversee the use of funds provided by
8 such grants in fulfilling such implementation
9 plans.

10 “(4) REPORTS.—The Assistant Secretary and
11 the Administrator shall provide an annual report to
12 Congress by the first day of October of each year on
13 the activities of the Office to improve coordination
14 and communication with respect to the implementa-
15 tion of 9–1–1 services, E9–1–1 services, and Next
16 Generation 9–1–1 services.

17 “(b) 9–1–1, E9–1–1 AND NEXT GENERATION 9–1–
18 1 IMPLEMENTATION GRANTS.—

19 “(1) MATCHING GRANTS.—The Assistant Sec-
20 retary and the Administrator, acting through the Of-
21 fice, shall provide grants to eligible entities for—

22 “(A) the implementation and operation of
23 9–1–1 services, E9–1–1 services, migration to
24 an IP-enabled emergency network, and adoption

1 and operation of Next Generation 9-1-1 serv-
2 ices and applications;

3 “(B) the implementation of IP-enabled
4 emergency services and applications enabled by
5 Next Generation 9-1-1 services, including the
6 establishment of IP backbone networks and the
7 application layer software infrastructure needed
8 to interconnect the multitude of emergency re-
9 sponse organizations; and

10 “(C) training public safety personnel, in-
11 cluding call-takers, first responders, and other
12 individuals and organizations who are part of
13 the emergency response chain in 9-1-1 serv-
14 ices.

15 “(2) MATCHING REQUIREMENT.—The Federal
16 share of the cost of a project eligible for a grant
17 under this section shall not exceed 80 percent. The
18 non-Federal share of the cost shall be provided from
19 non-Federal sources unless waived by the Assistant
20 Secretary and the Administrator.

21 “(3) COORDINATION REQUIRED.—In providing
22 grants under paragraph (1), the Assistant Secretary
23 and the Administrator shall require an eligible entity
24 to certify in its application that—

1 “(A) in the case of an eligible entity that
2 is a State government, the entity—

3 “(i) has coordinated its application
4 with the public safety answering points lo-
5 cated within the jurisdiction of such entity;

6 “(ii) has designated a single officer or
7 governmental body of the entity to serve as
8 the coordinator of implementation of 9-1-
9 1 services, except that such designation
10 need not vest such coordinator with direct
11 legal authority to implement 9-1-1 serv-
12 ices, E9-1-1 services, or Next Generation
13 9-1-1 services or to manage emergency
14 communications operations;

15 “(iii) has established a plan for the
16 coordination and implementation of 9-1-1
17 services, E9-1-1 services, and Next Gen-
18 eration 9-1-1 services; and

19 “(iv) has integrated telecommuni-
20 cations services involved in the implemen-
21 tation and delivery of 9-1-1 services, E9-
22 1-1 services, and Next Generation 9-1-1
23 services; or

24 “(B) in the case of an eligible entity that
25 is not a State, the entity has complied with

1 clauses (i), (iii), and (iv) of subparagraph (A),
2 and the State in which it is located has com-
3 plied with clause (ii) of such subparagraph.

4 “(4) CRITERIA.—Not later than 120 days after
5 the date of enactment of the Next Generation 9–1–
6 1 Advancement Act of 2011, the Assistant Secretary
7 and the Administrator shall issue regulations, after
8 providing the public with notice and an opportunity
9 to comment, prescribing the criteria for selection for
10 grants under this section. The criteria shall include
11 performance requirements and a timeline for comple-
12 tion of any project to be financed by a grant under
13 this section. The Assistant Secretary and the Ad-
14 ministrator shall update such regulations as nec-
15 essary.

16 “(c) DIVERSION OF 9–1–1 CHARGES.—

17 “(1) DESIGNATED 9–1–1 CHARGES.—For the
18 purposes of this subsection, the term ‘designated 9–
19 1–1 charges’ means any taxes, fees, or other charges
20 imposed by a State or other taxing jurisdiction that
21 are designated or presented as dedicated to deliver
22 or improve 9–1–1 services, E9–1–1 services, or Next
23 Generation 9–1–1 services.

24 “(2) CERTIFICATION.—Each applicant for a
25 matching grant under this section shall certify to the

1 Assistant Secretary and the Administrator at the
2 time of application, and each applicant that receives
3 such a grant shall certify to the Assistant Secretary
4 and the Administrator annually thereafter during
5 any period of time during which the funds from the
6 grant are available to the applicant, that no portion
7 of any designated 9-1-1 charges imposed by a State
8 or other taxing jurisdiction within which the appli-
9 cant is located are being obligated or expended for
10 any purpose other than the purposes for which such
11 charges are designated or presented during the pe-
12 riod beginning 180 days immediately preceding the
13 date of the application and continuing through the
14 period of time during which the funds from the
15 grant are available to the applicant.

16 “(3) CONDITION OF GRANT.—Each applicant
17 for a grant under this section shall agree, as a con-
18 dition of receipt of the grant, that if the State or
19 other taxing jurisdiction within which the applicant
20 is located, during any period of time during which
21 the funds from the grant are available to the appli-
22 cant, obligates or expends designated 9-1-1 charges
23 for any purpose other than the purposes for which
24 such charges are designated or presented, eliminates
25 such charges, or redesignates such charges for pur-

1 poses other than the implementation or operation of
2 9-1-1 services, E9-1-1 services, or Next Generation
3 9-1-1 services, all of the funds from such grant
4 shall be returned to the Office.

5 “(4) PENALTY FOR PROVIDING FALSE INFOR-
6 MATION.—Any applicant that provides a certification
7 under paragraph (1) knowing that the information
8 provided in the certification was false shall—

9 “(A) not be eligible to receive the grant
10 under subsection (b);

11 “(B) return any grant awarded under sub-
12 section (b) during the time that the certification
13 was not valid; and

14 “(C) not be eligible to receive any subse-
15 quent grants under subsection (b).

16 “(d) FUNDING AND TERMINATION.—

17 “(1) IN GENERAL.—From the amounts made
18 available to the Secretary under section 241(b)(5) of
19 the Jumpstarting Opportunity with Broadband
20 Spectrum Act of 2011, the Secretary of Commerce
21 is authorized to provide grants under this section
22 through the end of fiscal year 2021. Not more than
23 5 percent of such amounts may be obligated or ex-
24 pended to cover the administrative costs of carrying
25 out this section.

1 “(2) TERMINATION.—Effective on October 1,
2 2021, the authority provided by this section termi-
3 nates and this section shall have no effect.

4 “(e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the following
5 definitions shall apply:

6 “(1) 9-1-1 SERVICES.—The term ‘9-1-1 serv-
7 ices’ includes both E9-1-1 services and Next Gen-
8 eration 9-1-1 services.

9 “(2) E9-1-1 SERVICES.—The term ‘E9-1-1
10 services’ means both phase I and phase II enhanced
11 9-1-1 services, as described in section 20.18 of the
12 Commission’s regulations (47 C.F.R. 20.18), as in
13 effect on the date of enactment of the Next Genera-
14 tion 9-1-1 Advancement Act of 2011, or as subse-
15 quently revised by the Commission.

16 “(3) ELIGIBLE ENTITY.—

17 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘eligible en-
18 tity’ means a State or local government or a
19 tribal organization (as defined in section 4(l) of
20 the Indian Self-Determination and Education
21 Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450b(l))).

22 “(B) INSTRUMENTALITIES.—The term ‘eli-
23 gible entity’ includes public authorities, boards,
24 commissions, and similar bodies created by 1 or
25 more eligible entities described in subparagraph

1 (A) to provide 9-1-1 service, E9-1-1 services,
2 or Next Generation 9-1-1 services.

3 “(C) EXCEPTION.—The term ‘eligible enti-
4 ty’ does not include any entity that has failed
5 to submit the most recently required certifi-
6 cation under subsection (c) within 30 days after
7 the date on which such certification is due.

8 “(4) EMERGENCY CALL.—The term ‘emergency
9 call’ refers to any real-time communication with a
10 public safety answering point or other emergency
11 management or response agency, including—

12 “(A) through voice, text, or video and re-
13 lated data; and

14 “(B) nonhuman-initiated automatic event
15 alerts, such as alarms, telematics, or sensor
16 data, which may also include real-time voice,
17 text, or video communications.

18 “(5) NEXT GENERATION 9-1-1 SERVICES.—The
19 term ‘Next Generation 9-1-1 services’ means an IP-
20 based system comprised of hardware, software, data,
21 and operational policies and procedures that—

22 “(A) provides standardized interfaces from
23 emergency call and message services to support
24 emergency communications;

1 “(B) processes all types of emergency calls,
2 including voice, data, and multimedia informa-
3 tion;

4 “(C) acquires and integrates additional
5 emergency call data useful to call routing and
6 handling;

7 “(D) delivers the emergency calls, mes-
8 sages, and data to the appropriate public safety
9 answering point and other appropriate emer-
10 gency entities;

11 “(E) supports data or video communica-
12 tions needs for coordinated incident response
13 and management; and

14 “(F) provides broadband service to public
15 safety answering points or other first responder
16 entities.

17 “(6) OFFICE.—The term ‘Office’ means the 9–
18 1–1 Implementation Coordination Office.

19 “(7) PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINT.—The
20 term ‘public safety answering point’ has the meaning
21 given the term in section 222 of the Communica-
22 tions Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 222).

23 “(8) STATE.—The term ‘State’ means any
24 State of the United States, the District of Columbia,
25 Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Guam, the United

1 States Virgin Islands, the Northern Mariana Is-
2 lands, and any other territory or possession of the
3 United States.”.

4 **SEC. 266. REQUIREMENTS FOR MULTI-LINE TELEPHONE**
5 **SYSTEMS.**

6 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 270 days after the
7 date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of Gen-
8 eral Services, in conjunction with the Office, shall issue
9 a report to Congress identifying the 9–1–1 capabilities of
10 the multi-line telephone system in use by all Federal agen-
11 cies in all Federal buildings and properties.

12 (b) **COMMISSION ACTION.**—

13 (1) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 90 days after
14 the date of enactment of this Act, the Commission
15 shall issue a public notice seeking comment on the
16 feasibility of requiring MLTS manufacturers to in-
17 clude within all such systems manufactured or sold
18 after a date certain, to be determined by the Com-
19 mission, one or more mechanisms to provide a suffi-
20 ciently precise indication of a 9–1–1 caller’s location,
21 while avoiding the imposition of undue burdens on
22 MLTS manufacturers, providers, and operators.

23 (2) **SPECIFIC REQUIREMENT.**—The public no-
24 tice under paragraph (1) shall seek comment on the
25 National Emergency Number Association’s “Tech-

1 nical Requirements Document On Model Legislation
2 E9-1-1 for Multi-Line Telephone Systems” (NENA
3 06-750, Version 2).

4 **SEC. 267. GAO STUDY OF STATE AND LOCAL USE OF 9-1-1**
5 **SERVICE CHARGES.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 60 days after the
7 date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General
8 of the United States shall initiate a study of—

9 (1) the imposition of taxes, fees, or other
10 charges imposed by States or political subdivisions
11 of States that are designated or presented as dedi-
12 cated to improve emergency communications serv-
13 ices, including 9-1-1 services or enhanced 9-1-1
14 services, or related to emergency communications
15 services operations or improvements; and

16 (2) the use of revenues derived from such taxes,
17 fees, or charges.

18 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 18 months after initi-
19 ating the study required by subsection (a), the Comp-
20 troller General shall prepare and submit a report on the
21 results of the study to the Committee on Commerce,
22 Science, and Transportation of the Senate and the Com-
23 mittee on Energy and Commerce of the House of Rep-
24 resentatives setting forth the findings, conclusions, and
25 recommendations, if any, of the study, including—

1 (1) the identity of each State or political sub-
2 division that imposes such taxes, fees, or other
3 charges; and

4 (2) the amount of revenues obligated or ex-
5 pended by that State or political subdivision for any
6 purpose other than the purposes for which such
7 taxes, fees, or charges were designated or presented.

8 **SEC. 268. PARITY OF PROTECTION FOR PROVISION OR USE**
9 **OF NEXT GENERATION 9-1-1 SERVICE.**

10 (a) IMMUNITY.—A provider or user of Next Genera-
11 tion 9-1-1 services, a public safety answering point, and
12 the officers, directors, employees, vendors, agents, and au-
13 thorizing government entity (if any) of such provider, user,
14 or public safety answering point, shall have immunity and
15 protection from liability under Federal and State law to
16 the extent provided in subsection (b) with respect to—

17 (1) the release of subscriber information related
18 to emergency calls or emergency services;

19 (2) the use or provision of 9-1-1 services, E9-
20 1-1 services, or Next Generation 9-1-1 services;
21 and

22 (3) other matters related to 9-1-1 services,
23 E9-1-1 services, or Next Generation 9-1-1 services.

24 (b) SCOPE OF IMMUNITY AND PROTECTION FROM LI-
25 ABILITY.—The scope and extent of the immunity and pro-

1 tection from liability afforded under subsection (a) shall
2 be the same as that provided under section 4 of the Wire-
3 less Communications and Public Safety Act of 1999 (47
4 U.S.C. 615a) to wireless carriers, public safety answering
5 points, and users of wireless 9–1–1 service (as defined in
6 paragraphs (4), (3), and (6), respectively, of section 6 of
7 that Act (47 U.S.C. 615b)) with respect to such release,
8 use, and other matters.

9 **SEC. 269. COMMISSION PROCEEDING ON AUTODIALING.**

10 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 90 days after the
11 date of enactment of this Act, the Commission shall ini-
12 tiate a proceeding to create a specialized Do-Not-Call reg-
13 istry for public safety answering points.

14 (b) **FEATURES OF THE REGISTRY.**—The Commission
15 shall issue regulations, after providing the public with no-
16 tice and an opportunity to comment, that—

17 (1) permit verified public safety answering
18 point administrators or managers to register the
19 telephone numbers of all 9–1–1 trunks and other
20 lines used for the provision of emergency services to
21 the public or for communications between public
22 safety agencies;

23 (2) provide a process for verifying, no less fre-
24 quently than once every 7 years, that registered

1 numbers should continue to appear upon the reg-
2 istry;

3 (3) provide a process for granting and tracking
4 access to the registry by the operators of automatic
5 dialing equipment;

6 (4) protect the list of registered numbers from
7 disclosure or dissemination by parties granted access
8 to the registry; and

9 (5) prohibit the use of automatic dialing or
10 “robocall” equipment to establish contact with reg-
11 istered numbers.

12 (c) ENFORCEMENT.—The Commission shall—

13 (1) establish monetary penalties for violations
14 of the protective regulations established pursuant to
15 subsection (b)(4) of not less than \$100,000 per inci-
16 dent nor more than \$1,000,000 per incident;

17 (2) establish monetary penalties for violations
18 of the prohibition on automatically dialing registered
19 numbers established pursuant to subsection (b)(5) of
20 not less than \$10,000 per call nor more than
21 \$100,000 per call; and

22 (3) provide for the imposition of fines under
23 paragraphs (1) or (2) that vary depending upon
24 whether the conduct leading to the violation was
25 negligent, grossly negligent, reckless, or willful, and

1 depending on whether the violation was a first or
2 subsequent offence.

3 **SEC. 270. NHTSA REPORT ON COSTS FOR REQUIREMENTS**
4 **AND SPECIFICATIONS OF NEXT GENERATION**
5 **9-1-1 SERVICES.**

6 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 1 year after the
7 date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of the
8 National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, in con-
9 sultation with the Commission, the Secretary of Homeland
10 Security, and the Office, shall prepare and submit a report
11 to Congress that analyzes and determines detailed costs
12 for specific Next Generation 9-1-1 service requirements
13 and specifications.

14 (b) **PURPOSE OF REPORT.**—The purpose of the re-
15 port required under subsection (a) is to serve as a resource
16 for Congress as it considers creating a coordinated, long-
17 term funding mechanism for the deployment and oper-
18 ation, accessibility, application development, equipment
19 procurement, and training of personnel for Next Genera-
20 tion 9-1-1 services.

21 (c) **REQUIRED INCLUSIONS.**—The report required
22 under subsection (a) shall include the following:

23 (1) How costs would be broken out geographi-
24 cally and/or allocated among public safety answering

1 points, broadband service providers, and third-party
2 providers of Next Generation 9-1-1 services.

3 (2) An assessment of the current state of Next
4 Generation 9-1-1 service readiness among public
5 safety answering points.

6 (3) How differences in public safety answering
7 points' access to broadband across the country may
8 affect costs.

9 (4) A technical analysis and cost study of dif-
10 ferent delivery platforms, such as wireline, wireless,
11 and satellite.

12 (5) An assessment of the architectural charac-
13 teristics, feasibility, and limitations of Next Genera-
14 tion 9-1-1 service delivery.

15 (6) An analysis of the needs for Next Genera-
16 tion 9-1-1 service of persons with disabilities.

17 (7) Standards and protocols for Next Genera-
18 tion 9-1-1 service and for incorporating Voice over
19 Internet Protocol and "Real-Time Text" standards.

20 **SEC. 271. FCC RECOMMENDATIONS FOR LEGAL AND STATU-**
21 **TORY FRAMEWORK FOR NEXT GENERATION**
22 **9-1-1 SERVICES.**

23 Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment
24 of this Act, the Commission, in coordination with the Sec-
25 retary of Homeland Security, the Administrator of the Na-

1 tional Highway Traffic Safety Administration, and the Of-
2 fice, shall prepare and submit a report to Congress that
3 contains recommendations for the legal and statutory
4 framework for Next Generation 9-1-1 services, consistent
5 with recommendations in the National Broadband Plan
6 developed by the Commission pursuant to the American
7 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, including the fol-
8 lowing:

9 (1) A legal and regulatory framework for the
10 development of Next Generation 9-1-1 services and
11 the transition from legacy 9-1-1 to Next Generation
12 9-1-1 networks.

13 (2) Legal mechanisms to ensure efficient and
14 accurate transmission of 9-1-1 caller information to
15 emergency response agencies.

16 (3) Recommendations for removing jurisdic-
17 tional barriers and inconsistent legacy regulations
18 including—

19 (A) proposals that would require States to
20 remove regulatory roadblocks to Next Genera-
21 tion 9-1-1 services development, while recog-
22 nizing existing State authority over 9-1-1 serv-
23 ices;

24 (B) eliminating outdated 9-1-1 regula-
25 tions at the Federal level; and

1 (C) preempting inconsistent State regula-
2 tions.

