1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to broadband Internet service; 3 repealing chapter 2012-131, Laws of Florida, relating 4 to broadband Internet service; amending s. 364.0135, 5 F.S.; requiring the Department of Management Services 6 to develop geographic information system maps in 7 collaboration with specified entities and consistent 8 with certain Federal reporting standards by a 9 specified date; specifying required contents of the 10 maps; requiring the department to annually update such 11 maps and establish a mechanism to receive and verify 12 public input related to broadband Internet service; authorizing the department to work collaboratively 13 14 with specified entities in developing the mechanism; 15 specifying actions the department must take relative to proceedings of the Federal Communications 16 Commission related to broadband Internet service; 17 providing an effective date. 18 19 20 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 21 22 Chapter 2012-131, Laws of Florida, is repealed. Section 1. Subsections (3), (4), and (5) of section 23 Section 2. 364.0135, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (4), 24 25 (5), and (6), respectively, paragraph (a) of subsection (2) is Page 1 of 4

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26 amended, and a new subsection (3) is added to that section, to 27 read: 28 364.0135 Promotion of broadband adoption.-29 The Department of Management Services is authorized to (2)30 work collaboratively with, and to receive staffing support and other resources from, Enterprise Florida, Inc., state agencies, 31 32 local governments, private businesses, and community 33 organizations to: 34 Monitor the adoption of broadband Internet service in (a) 35 collaboration with communications service providers, including, but not limited to, wireless and wireline Internet service 36 37 providers, to develop geographical information system maps at 38 the census tract level that will: 39 1. Identify geographic gaps in broadband services, including areas unserved by any broadband provider and areas 40 41 served by a single broadband provider; 2. Identify the download and upload transmission speeds 42 43 made available to businesses and individuals in the state, at 44 the census tract level of detail, using data rate benchmarks for 45 broadband service used by the Federal Communications Commission 46 to reflect different speed tiers; and 3. Provide a baseline assessment of statewide broadband 47 48 deployment in terms of percentage of households with broadband availability. 49 50 (3) (a) By June 30, 2021, the department shall develop

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51 geographic information system maps, in collaboration with 52 broadband Internet service providers and consistent with the 53 Digital Opportunity Data Collection program reporting standards 54 established by the Federal Communications Commission, that: 55 1. Identify geographic areas and locations in the state 56 where broadband-capable networks exist and broadband Internet 57 service is available to end users. 58 2. Identify the download and upload data transmission 59 speeds available in each geographic area. 60 The department must update the geographic information (b) 61 system maps on an annual basis. 62 The department must establish a mechanism to receive (C) and verify public input that identifies locations in which 63 64 broadband Internet service is not available, including locations 65 in which broadband Internet service is provided at data 66 transmission speeds below the standard established by the 67 Federal Communications Commission for broadband Internet 68 service. Upon verification, the department shall adjust its 69 geographic information system maps to reflect information 70 received from the public. In developing and implementing this 71 mechanism, the department may work in collaboration with, and to 72 receive staffing support and other resources from, Enterprise Florida, Inc., state agencies, local governments, private 73 businesses, and community organizations. 74 75 The department shall monitor, participate in, and (d)

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76	provide input in proceedings of the Federal Communications
77	Commission related to the geographic availability and deployment
78	of broadband Internet service in the state to ensure that the
79	information is accurately presented and that rural, unserved,
80	and underserved areas of the state are best positioned to
81	benefit from broadband deployment programs administered by the
82	Federal Communications Commission.
83	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.

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