

S 1127

Rural Broadband Deployment Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Jun 28, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]

Party: Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Jun 28, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 28, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 28, 2001)

Rural Broadband Deployment Act of 2001 - Amends the Communications Act of 1934 to make such Act inapplicable to advanced telecommunications service deployed by a carrier in a rural area (an area with a population of less than 50,000 located outside of a metropolitan statistical area). Defines advanced telecommunications service as the capability to transmit information at no less than 384 kilobits per second in at least one direction.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 28, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 28, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7093-7094)
- **Jun 28, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.