

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 HB0446

Introduced 01/31/11, by Rep. Michael J. Madigan

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 3921/5

Amends the Illinois Century Network Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning legislative findings.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Century Network Act is amended by changing Section 5 as follows:
- 6 (20 ILCS 3921/5)

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- 7 Sec. 5. Legislative findings and declarations. <u>The</u> The 8 General Assembly finds and declares:
- 9 (1) That computing and communications technologies are
 10 essential for sustaining economic competitiveness and
 11 fostering the educational vitality of this State.
 - (2) That there is an established need for a telecommunications infrastructure that will provide high-speed, reliable, and cost-effective digital connections throughout the State.
- 16 (3) That a network is required that will deliver 17 educational programs, advanced training, and access to the 18 growing global wealth of information services to citizens 19 in all parts of this State.
- 20 (Source: P.A. 91-21, eff. 7-1-99.)