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AMENDMENT NO._____ Calendar No._____

Purpose: To require the Federal Communications Commission to issue an annual Lifeline report.

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To terminate the ability of eligible telecommunications carriers in certain States to use State eligibility determination processes in place of the National Verifier to determine the eligibility of consumers for Lifeline service.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MARKEY to the amendment (No. _____) proposed by Mr. CRUZ

Viz:

At the end of section 2, add the following:

(e) ANNUAL LIFELINE REPORT.—The Federal Communications Commission shall annually submit to Congress and make publicly available a report identifying—

(1) the estimated number of households that are eligible for Lifeline service and the number of households enrolled in the Lifeline program; and

(2) the number of applications for Lifeline service denied or abandoned and the number of sub-

scribers disenrolled from the Lifeline program, including the reasons, where available.