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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the implementation of cellular enhancement technology  
by certain businesses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Subtitle C, Title 5, Business & Commerce Code, is  
amended by adding Chapter 121 to read as follows:

CHAPTER 121. IMPLEMENTATION OF CELLULAR ENHANCEMENT TECHNOLOGY BY  
CERTAIN HIGH-VOLUME BUSINESSES

Sec. 121.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:

(1) "Cellular enhancement technology" means a product  
authorized by a broadband service provider for the purpose of  
enhancing wireless service coverage and throughput for an expected  
number of users within a specified indoor or outdoor area.

(2) "High-volume business" means a business operating  
in this state that regularly accommodates at least 1,000  
individuals per hour on the business premises at some time during  
the business's normal business hours.

Sec. 121.002. IMPLEMENTATION OF CELLULAR ENHANCEMENT  
TECHNOLOGY BY CERTAIN HIGH-VOLUME BUSINESSES. A high-volume  
business that provides or supports the use of an Internet  
application for use by a customer on the business premises may  
deploy cellular enhancement technology to ensure adequate wireless  
service is available for customers of that business during the  
business's normal business hours.

1           SECTION 2.   This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.