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2 AMENDMENT NO. ____. Amend House Bill 2265 by replacing 3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2265

4 "Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by
5 changing Section 13-509 as follows:

(220 ILCS 5/13-509) (from Ch. 111 2/3, par. 13-509) 6 (Section scheduled to be repealed on July 1, 2005) 7 Sec. 13-509. Agreements for provisions of competitive 8 9 telecommunications services differing from tariffs. A 10 telecommunications carrier may negotiate with customers or prospective competitive 11 customers to provide telecommunications service, and in so doing, may offer or 12 agree to provide such service on such terms and for such 13 14 rates or charges as are reasonable, without regard to any tariffs it may have filed with the Commission with respect to 15 such services. Every Within 30 business days after-executing 16 any-such--agreement, the telecommunications carrier shall 17 submit to the Commission written notice (which may be 18 provided electronically to a service list approved by the 19 Commission) of all current agreements in effect as of the 20 21 date of the notice. The notice shall identify the general nature of all such agreements, the parties to each agreement, 22

1 and a description of differences between each agreement and 2 the related tariff. A copy of each such agreement and any 3 cost support required to be filed with the agreement by some 4 other Section of this Act shall be provided to the Commission 5 within 10 business days after request by the Commission. file-any-contract-or--memorandum--of--understanding--for--the 6 7 provision--of-telecommunications-service,-which-shall-include 8 the-rates-or-other-charges,-practices,-rules--or--regulations 9 applicable-to-the-agreed-provision-of-such-service---Any-cost 10 support-required-to-be-filed-with-the-agreement-by-some-other 11 Section--of--this--Act-shall-be-filed-within-30-business-days 12 after-executing--any--such--agreement---Where--the--agreement 13 contains--the--same--rates,--charges,--practices,--rules,-and 14 regulations-found-in-a-single-contract-or-memorandum--already 15 filed--by-the-telecommunications-carrier-with-the-Commission, 16 instead--of--filing---the---contract---or---memorandum,---the 17 telecommunications---carrier--may--elect--to--file--a--letter identifying-the-new-agreement--and--specifically--referencing 18 19 the---contract---or--memorandum--already--on--file--with--the 20 Commission-which-contains--the--same--provisions----A--single 21 letter--may-be-used-to-file-more-than-one-new-agreement. Upon 22 submitting notice to the Commission of any such agreement 23 filing---its---contract---or---memorandum,---or--letter, the 24 telecommunications carrier shall thereafter provide service 25 according to the terms thereof, unless the Commission finds, after notice and hearing, that the continued provision of 26 27 service pursuant to such agreement contract-or-memorandum would substantially and adversely affect the 28 financial 29 integrity of the telecommunications carrier or would violate any other provision of this Act. 30

Any <u>agreement</u> contract-or--memorandum entered into and <u>submitted</u> filed pursuant to the provisions of this Section may, in the Commission's discretion, be accorded proprietary treatment. 1 (Source: P.A. 92-22, eff. 6-30-01.)

2 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
3 becoming law.".