

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

[STAFF WORKING DRAFT]

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Purpose: To require 5 geographically diverse public hearings by the Commission before making a determination with respect to ownership rules.

**IN THE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND
TRANSPORTATION—108TH Cong., 1ST Sess.**

S. 1046, 108TH Congress, 1ST Session

JUNE 19, 2003

INTENDED to be proposed by Mrs. BOXER

Viz:

1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:

2 **SEC. ——. PUBLIC HEARING REQUIREMENT.**

3 Section 202(h) of the Telecommunications Act of
4 1996 is amended by adding at the end “Before making
5 any determination under this subsection concerning an
6 ownership rule or regulation, the Commission shall hold
7 no less than 5 public hearings in different areas of the
8 United States with respect to that rule or regulation.”.

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