

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Velasco

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 3, line 3, strike "BROADCAST" and strike  
2 "ALERTS" and substitute "MESSAGING SYSTEMS".

3 Page 3, line 10, strike "THE BROADCAST" and substitute "AN".

4 Page 3, line 11, strike "ALERT" and substitute "MESSAGING" and after  
5 "SENT" insert "BY ALERTING AUTHORITIES".

6 Page 4, strike lines 20 through 27.

7 Page 5, strike lines 1 through 3.

8 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

9 Page 5, after line 7 insert:

10 "(c) "EMERGENCY MESSAGING SYSTEM" MEANS EMERGENCY  
11 MESSAGES FROM AUTHORIZED FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL, AND TERRITORIAL  
12 PUBLIC ALERTING AUTHORITIES THAT MAY BE SENT IN MULTIPLE DELIVERY  
13 FORMATS, VIA FEDERAL ALERTING GATEWAYS TO COMMERCIAL MOBILE  
14 SERVICE PROVIDERS OR BROADCASTERS OR VIA STATE OR LOCAL ALERTING  
15 PLATFORMS TO PRE-ENABLED DEVICES IN A LOCALLY TARGETED AREA.  
16 THE SYSTEM UTILIZING FEDERAL ALERTING GATEWAYS IS A PARTNERSHIP  
17 AMONG THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, THE FEDERAL  
18 COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION, AND WIRELESS PROVIDERS TO ENHANCE  
19 PUBLIC SAFETY."

20 Page 5, line 10, after "AUTHORITY," insert "THAT DOES NOT UTILIZE  
21 FEDERAL ALERTING GATEWAYS AND IS".

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