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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO BROADBAND INFRASTRUCTURE.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1       SECTION 1. Chapter 356D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2       amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately  
3       designated and to read as follows:

4       "§356D-       Broadband infrastructure. (a) Each public  
5       housing project or state low-income housing project that is  
6       built or reconstructed after January 1, 2023, shall be built or  
7       reconstructed with all broadband infrastructure that is  
8       necessary for tenants to have access to broadband service.

9       (b) As used in this section:

10       "Broadband infrastructure" has the same meaning as in  
11       section 440J-1.

12       "Broadband service" has the same meaning as "broadband  
13       access or broadband service" in section 440J-1. "Broadband  
14       service" does not include wireless network infrastructure or  
15       facilities used to provide wireless services over a licensed  
16       spectrum.

17       "State low-income housing project" has the same meaning as  
18       in section 356D-51."



- 1 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 2 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



**Report Title:**

Broadband; Hawaii Public Housing Authority; Broadband  
Infrastructure; Access

**Description:**

Requires each public housing project and state low-income  
housing project that is built or reconstructed after 1/1/2023,  
to include all broadband infrastructure necessary for tenants to  
have access to broadband service. (CD1)

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