

**AMENDMENT TO DRAFT OVERSIGHT PLAN**

**Broadband Affordability and Compliance with the Law**

**CAT #4**

Under the subsection titled “AVALIABILITY OF BROADBAND”–

- (1) In the title of the subsection, insert “AND AFFORDABILITY” after the word “AVALIABILITY”.
- (2) Under that subsection, after the phrase “helping or hindering broadband deployment” insert the phrase “and adoption”.
- (3) After the phrase “and 5G wireless services.” insert the sentence “The Committee will also examine affordability in the market for broadband service to ensure that the cost of service is not a barrier to broadband adoption for consumers.”
- (4) In the last sentence of the paragraph, after the phrase “Specifically, the Committee will” strike the word “examine” and insert the phrase “conduct oversight to ensure compliance with statutory requirements related to affordability, including but not limited to requirements for BEAD grant recipients to provide a low-cost service option for eligible customers, and”.
- (5) Insert as the last sentence of the paragraph, “The Committee will conduct oversight to ensure compliance with all statutory requirements of the Digital Equity Act.”