

107<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 2479

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 8, 2002

Mr. KERRY (for himself and Mr. HATCH) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. HIGH-SPEED INTERNET ACCESS FOR LOW-IN-**  
4       **COME HOUSING CREDIT PROJECTS.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 42(m)(1)(C)(iii) of the  
6 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to certain selec-  
7 tion criteria must be used) is amended by inserting “and  
8 whether the project has infrastructure permitting the use

1 of high-speed Internet technology in each residential  
2 unit,” after “plan,”.

3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
4 this section shall apply to—

5 (1) housing credit dollar amounts allocated  
6 after December 31, 2002, and

7 (2) buildings placed in service after such date  
8 to the extent paragraph (1) of section 42(h) of the  
9 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 does not apply to  
10 any building by reason of paragraph (4) thereof.

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