**NCTA Praises $5B Broadband Bill For Unserved Areas**

A pair of US senators introduced legislation that calls for the government to pump $5 billion into a fund-matching program to bring broadband service to unserved areas over six years. NCTA--The Internet and Television Association issued a statement welcoming the proposal, saying that it particularly approved of "the legislation's emphasis on directing funds to areas that need them the most...”

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