SENATE PROPOSAL OF AMENDMENT

H. 799

An act relating to the importation of firewood

The Senate proposes to the House to amend the bill as follows:

First: In Sec. 1, in 10 V.S.A. § 2681, by inserting a subsection (c) to read:

(c) Penalties. Any person who violates a provision of this subchapter or the rules adopted under this subchapter shall be subject to a civil citation under section 8019 of this title.

<u>Second</u>: By striking out Sec. 2 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof 3 new sections to be Secs. 2, 3, and 4 to read:

Sec. 2. 10 V.S.A. § 8003 is amended to read:

§ 8003. APPLICABILITY

(a) The Secretary may take action under this chapter to enforce the following statutes and rules, permits, assurances, or orders implementing the following statutes:

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(17) 10 V.S.A. § 2625, relating to heavy cutting of timber;

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- (22) 10 V.S.A. chapter 164A, collection and disposal of mercury-containing lamps; and
- (23) 24 V.S.A. § 2202a, relating to a municipality's adoption and implementation of a solid waste implementation plan that is consistent with the State Solid Waste Plan; and
- (24) 10 V.S.A. chapter 83, subchapter 8, relating to the importation of firewood.

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Sec. 3. 10 V.S.A. § 8503 is amended to read:

§ 8503. APPLICABILITY

- (a) This chapter shall govern all appeals of an act or decision of the Secretary, excluding enforcement actions under chapters 201 and 211 of this title and rulemaking, under the following authorities and under the rules adopted under those authorities:
 - (1) The following provisions of this title:

(L) section 2625 (regulation of heavy cutting).

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- (R) chapter 32 (flood hazard areas).
- (S) chapter 83, subchapter 8 (importation of firewood).
- (2) 29 V.S.A. chapter 11 (management of lakes and ponds).
- (3) 24 V.S.A. chapter 61, subchapter 10 (relating to salvage yards).

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Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This act shall take effect on July 1, 2014.