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2 Introduced by Representative Botzow of Pownal

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Commerce and economic development; consumer protection

6 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require a  
7 seller of a home security system to disclose to the buyer any fee for providing  
8 automatic dialing services to public emergency officials.

9 An act relating to disclosing fees for automatic dialing systems

10 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

11 Sec. 1. 9 V.S.A. § 2466b is added to read:

12 § 2466b. DISCLOSURE OF FEE FOR AUTOMATIC DIALING SERVICE

13 (a) Before executing a contract for the sale or lease of a home security  
14 system, the seller or lessor of the system shall disclose in writing any fee the  
15 seller or lessor charges to the buyer or lessee for automatic dialing services that  
16 connect the security system to public emergency officials.

17 (b) A person who fails to provide the disclosure required by subsection (a)  
18 of this section commits an unfair and deceptive act in commerce in violation of  
19 section 2453 of this title.

1       Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

2       This act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.