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Introduced by Representatives Buss of Woodstock, Boyden of Cambridge,
Burrows of West Windsor, Campbell of St. Johnsbury, Christie
of Hartford, Cole of Hartford, Elder of Starksboro, Lalley of
Shelburne, Pajala of Londonderry, Priestley of Bradford,
Roberts of Halifax, and Torre of Moretown

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: Consumer protection; heating and cooling systems; warranties

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to prohibit a
manufacturer of a heating or cooling system sold or used in the State from
disallowing or imposing any restrictions on the transfer of a full or limited
warranty in the system and from discrimination in terms between commercial
and residential usage.

An act relating to warranty coverage for heating and cooling systems

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

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

§ 2466d. WARRANTY COVERAGE FOR HEATING AND COOLING
SYSTEMS

1 (a) A manufacturer of a heating or cooling system sold or used in this State
2 that offers a full or limited warranty on its heating or cooling system shall not
3 disallow or impose any restrictions on the transfer of the full or limited
4 warranty to subsequent purchasers or owners.

5 (b) All warranty terms offered by a manufacturer of a heating or cooling
6 system sold or used in this State shall apply equally to systems used for
7 residential or commercial purposes.

8 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

9 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2024.