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S.311

2 Introduced by Senators Cummings and Perchlik

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Conservation and development; private preserves; fish and wildlife;

6 posting of land; requirements for posting

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to amend the
8 requirements for the posting of land against hunting and fishing to clarify that
9 “posting annually” means posting once every 12 months.

10 An act relating to posting of land

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

12 Sec. 1. 10 V.S.A. § 5201 is amended to read:

13 § 5201. NOTICES; POSTING

14 (a)(1) An owner, or a person having the exclusive right to take game upon
15 land or the waters thereon, who desires to protect ~~his or her~~ the owner's land or
16 private pond or propagation farm over which ~~he or she~~ the owner has exclusive
17 control may maintain notices stating that:

18 (A) the shooting, trapping, or taking of game or wild animals is
19 prohibited or is by permission only;

1 and it shall be open to public inspection. The town clerk shall retain a fee of
2 \$5.00 for this recording.

3 (d) Land posted as provided in subsection (b) of this section shall be
4 enclosed land for the purposes herein.

5 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

6 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2026.