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2 SHORT FORM

3 Introduced by Representatives Donahue of Northfield (By Request) and Grad
4 of Moretown (By Request)

5 Referred to Committee on

6 Date:

7 Subject: Fish and wildlife; hunting black bear with dogs

8 Statement of purpose: This bill proposes to prohibit the hunting of black bear
9 with dogs. The bill would repeal existing statutory authority to hunt black bear
10 with dogs. The bill would also repeal the authority of the commissioner of fish
11 and wildlife to issue permits and collect permit fees for hunting black bear with
12 dogs. In addition, the bill would repeal the authority of a person to train dogs
13 to hunt black bear. The bill would take effect in July of 2011.

14 An act relating to banning the hunting of black bear with dogs

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

16 (TEXT OMITTED IN SHORT-FORM BILLS)