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Bill Analysis

HB 2919 modifies trespassing on posted property. The measure stipulates that a person who enters into a house or attached or detached outbuilding within the curtilage of a house, a fenced-in patio, or garden area of a house, or any other enclosed and locked property belonging to another person or legal entity, without prior consent under circumstances where the person reasonably should know that the person does not have permission to enter is guilty of trespass. The measure also allows the owner of a public business to forbid the entry of any person if the owner believes the person has been a participant in a crime occurring on the property.