

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4464**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Anne M. Gobi, Stephen M. Brewer**

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*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Elizabeth J. Lynch, an employee of the Department of Children and Families.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Anne M. Gobi	5th Worcester
Stephen M. Brewer	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin
James J. O'Day	14th Worcester District

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Elizabeth J. Lynch, an employee of the Department of Children and Families.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation for this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to make to establish a sick leave bank for a certain employee of the department of revenue, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           Notwithstanding any general or special law or rule or regulation to the contrary, the Department  
2 of Children and Families shall establish a sick leave bank for Elizabeth J. Lynch, an employee of the  
3 department. An employee of the department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or  
4 vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Elizabeth J. Lynch. Whenever Elizabeth J. Lynch  
5 terminates employment with the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining  
6 time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days  
7 shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of  
8 the sick leave bank as determined by the department.