

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3495**

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By Mr. Cabral of New Bedford and Senator Montigny, a joint petition of Antonio F. D. Cabral, Mark C. Montigny and Stephen R. Canessa for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Matthew Robitaille, an employee of the sheriff's department of Bristol County. Public Service.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act establishing a sick bank for Matthew Robitaille..

*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  
2 Bristol county sheriff's office shall establish a sick leave bank for Matthew Robitaille, an  
3 employee of the office, to allow him time to care for his children and injured wife. Any  
4 employee of the Bristol county sheriff's office may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick,  
5 personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Matthew Robitaille. Whenever  
6 Matthew Robitaille terminates employment with the Bristol county sheriff's office or requests to  
7 dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the  
8 extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the  
9 illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by  
10 the Bristol county sheriff's office.