

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4554**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul J. Donato***

*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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act establishing a sick bank for Margaret C. Henderson.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                 | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:     | DATE ADDED:      |
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| <i>Paul J. Donato</i> | <i>35th Middlesex</i> | <i>12/3/2012</i> |

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By Mr. Donato of Medford, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Paul J. Donato for legislation to establish a sick bank for Margaret C. Henderson, an employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services. Public Service.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Twelve**  
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An Act establishing a sick bank for Margaret C. Henderson.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to establish forthwith a sick leave bank for a certain employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services, 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  
2   Executive Office of Health and Human Services shall establish a sick leave bank for, Margaret  
3   C. Henderson employee of the office. Any employee of the office may voluntarily contribute  
4   Executive Office of Health and Human Services 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days to the  
5   sick leave bank for use by Margaret C. Henderson. When Margaret C. Henderson ever  
6   terminates employment with the office or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining  
7   time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave  
8   bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the  
9   establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the Executive Office of Health and Human  
10   Services.