

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3609**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Frank A. Moran***

*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 leave bank for Michela T. Paone-Stuart, an employee of the Department of Correction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Frank A. Moran</i>	<i>17th Essex</i>	<i>5/22/2015</i>

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By Mr. Moran of Lawrence, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Frank A. Moran for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Michela T. Paone-Stuart, an employee of the Department of Correction. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Michela T. Paone-Stuart, an employee of the Department of Correction.

*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 Massachusetts Department of Correction, 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 to the contrary, the Massachusetts  
2 Department of Correction shall establish a sick leave bank for Michela T. Paone-Stuart, an  
3 employee of the Massachusetts Department of Correction. Any employee of the Massachusetts  
4 Department of Correction may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days to  
5 the sick leave bank for use by Michela T. Paone-Stuart. Sick leave bank days shall not be used  
6 for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the sick  
7 leave bank as determined by the department. If Michela T. Paone-Stuart terminates employment  
8 with the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick  
9 leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank.