

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2228**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Kathleen O'Connor Ives*

*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 Jodi Paris Anastos, an employee of the Operational Services Division.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Kathleen O'Connor Ives*

*First Essex*

*James M. Kelcourse*

*1st Essex*

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By Ms. O'Connor Ives, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2228) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Kathleen O'Connor Ives and James M. Kelcourse for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Jodi Paris Anastos, an employee of the Operational Services Division. 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 Jodi Paris Anastos, an employee of the Operational Services Division.

*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 executive office of health  
2           and human services shall establish a sick leave bank for Jodi Paris Anastos, an employee of the  
3           office. Any employee of the office may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or  
4           vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Jodi Paris Anastos to care for her mother. When  
5           Jodi Paris Anastos terminates employment with the office or requests to dissolve the sick leave  
6           bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave  
7           bank. Sick leave bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability  
8           that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the office.