

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2324**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Sal N. DiDomenico***

*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 Edward Connors, an employee of the Department of Transitional Assistance.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>	<i>4/20/2016</i>

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2324) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Sal N. DiDomenico and Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr. for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Edward Connors, an employee of the Department of Transitional Assistance. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Edward Connors, an employee of the Department of Transitional Assistance.

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