

SENATE No. 17

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jennifer L. Flanagan

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 Lisa Eppy, an employee of the Department of Children and Families.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Jennifer L. Flanagan

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Worcester and Middlesex

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By Ms. Flanagan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 17) of Jennifer L. Flanagan for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Lisa Eppy, an employee of the Department of Children and Families. Temporary Ways and Means.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 2509 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Lisa Eppy, an employee of the Department of Children and Families.

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