

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 100**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***William J. Driscoll, Jr.***

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*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 Stephen Melchin, an employee of the Trial Court of the Commonwealth.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>William J. Driscoll, Jr.</i>	<i>7th Norfolk</i>	<i>2/12/2021</i>

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By Mr. Driscoll of Milton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 100) of William J. Driscoll, Jr., for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Stephen Melchin, an employee of the Trial Court. The Judiciary.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Stephen Melchin, an employee of the Trial Court of the Commonwealth.

*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 trial court, 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 trial court of the  
2 commonwealth shall establish a sick leave bank for Stephen Melchin, an employee of the trial  
3 court. Any employee of the trial court may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or  
4 vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Stephen Melchin. If Stephen Melchin terminates  
5 employment with the trial court or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time  
6 in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the trial court paid leave bank. Sick leave bank days  
7 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 trial court.