

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 5413**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Timothy R. Whelan***

*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 John Carlson, an employee of the Department of State Police.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>9/8/2022</i>

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By Mr. Whelan of Brewster, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Timothy R. Whelan for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for John Carlson, an employee of the Department of State Police. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for John Carlson, an employee of the Department of State Police.

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