HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christopher M. Markey

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 Jennifer Almond, an employee of the department of corrections.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Christopher M. Markey	9th Bristol	10/18/2021

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By Mr. Markey of Dartmouth, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Christopher M. Markey for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Jennifer Almond, an employee of the Department of Correction. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Jennifer Almond, an employee of the department of corrections.

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 corrections 2 shall establish a sick leave bank for Jennifer Almond, 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 Jennifer Almond to care for her child. If Jennifer Almond 5 terminates employment with the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any 6 remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick 7 leave bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that 8 necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the department.