

HOUSE No. 2363

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mark J. Cusack

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 relative to the small necessities leave act.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Mark J. Cusack

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

5th Norfolk

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By Mr. Cusack of Braintree, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2363) of Mark J. Cusack relative to work leaves for certain employees or family members of employees who have been victims of abusive behavior. Labor and Workforce Development.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to the small necessities leave act.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1: Section 52D(a) of chapter 149 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 striking out, in line four, the words "by blood or marriage to the employee, including a parent."
3 and inserting in place thereof the following words:-

4 "by blood, marriage, or adoption to the employee, including a parent or an adoptive
5 parent."