

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3509**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***David Allen Robertson***

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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 Joseph Klimkofski, Jr, an employee of Department of Public Health.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*David Allen Robertson*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*19th Middlesex*

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By Mr. Robertson of Tewksbury, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of David Allen Robertson for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Joseph Klimkofski, Jr., an employee of Department of Public Health. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Joseph Klimkofski, Jr, an employee of Department of Public Health.

*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 Department of Public Health, 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 Department of Public  
2 Health shall establish a sick leave bank for Joseph Klimkofski, Jr, an employee of the  
3 Department of Public Health. Any employee of the Department of Public Health may voluntarily  
4 contribute 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Joseph  
5 Klimkofski, Jr. If Joseph Klimkofski, Jr terminates employment with the Department of Public  
6 Health or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank  
7 shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days shall not be used for  
8 absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave  
9 bank as determined by the Department of Public Health.