

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 03731**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*John J. Binienda*

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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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Luis Rodriguez.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*John J. Binienda*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*17th Worcester*

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By Mr. Binienda of Worcester, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of John J. Binienda for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Luis Rodriguez, an employee of the Department of Children and Families. Public Service.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Luis Rodriguez.

*Whereas*, the deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to establish a sick leave bank for a certain employee of the Department of Children and Families, therefore, it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

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*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 Children and Families services shall establish a sick leave bank for Luis  
3 Rodriguez, an employee of the department. Any employee of the department may voluntarily  
4 contribute 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Luis  
5 Rodriguez. Whenever Luis Rodriguez terminates employment with the office or requests to  
6 dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the

7 extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the  
8 illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by  
9 the Department of Children and Families.