

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3752**

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**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 Jane Racine.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christopher M. Markey</i>	<i>9th Bristol</i>	<i>2/2/2023</i>
<i>Mark C. Montigny</i>	<i>Second Bristol and Plymouth</i>	<i>2/3/2023</i>

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By Representative Markey of Dartmouth, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Christopher M. Markey and Mark C. Montigny for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Jane Racine, an employee of the Department of Developmental Services. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court  
(2023-2024)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Jane Racine.

*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  
2   Developmental Services shall establish a sick leave bank for Jane Racine, an employee of the  
3   Department. Any employee of the Department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick,  
4   personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Jane Racine. If Jane Racine  
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.