

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1950**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Michael F. Rush***

*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 John J. Monahan, an employee of the Trial Court.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Michael F. Rush</i>	<i>Norfolk and Suffolk</i>	
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>	<i>5/28/2015</i>

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By Mr. Rush, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1950) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Michael F. Rush and Edward F. Coppinger for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for John J. Monahan, an employee of the Trial Court. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for John J. Monahan, an employee of the Trial Court.

*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 Trial Court, 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, rule or regulation to the contrary, the trial  
2 court shall establish a sick leave bank for John J. Monahan, an employee of the trial court  
3 security department at the Edward W. Brooke Courthouse. Any employee of the trial court may  
4 voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by  
5 John J. Monahan. Whenever John J. Monahan terminates employment with the department or  
6 requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be  
7 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 trial court.