

**SENATE . . . . . No. 01993**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Katherine M. Clark*

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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 JoAnne Pierce, an employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Katherine M. Clark*

*Paul Brodeur*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Middlesex and Essex*

*32nd Middlesex*

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By Ms. Clark, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. ) of Katherine M Clark and Paul Brodeur for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for JoAnne Pierce, an employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for JoAnne Pierce, an employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services.

Whereas, the deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to a sick leave bank for a certain employee of the executive office of health and human services, 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 to the contrary, the executive office of health  
2 and human services shall establish a sick leave bank for JoAnne Pierce, an employee of the  
3 office. An employee of the office may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or  
4 vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by JoAnne Pierce. Whenever JoAnne Pierce  
5 terminates employment with the office or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining  
6 time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave

7 bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the  
8 establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the office.