

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2068**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Bruce E. Tarr*

*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 Laurel MacKay, an employee of the Department of Environmental Protection .

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Bruce E. Tarr*

*First Essex and Middlesex*

*Leonard Mirra*

*2nd Essex*

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By Mr. Tarr, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2068) of Bruce E. Tarr and Leonard Mirra for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Laurel MacKay, an employee of the Department of Environmental Protection . Public Service.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Fourteen**

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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Laurel MacKay, an employee of the Department of Environmental Protection .

*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 environmental protection , 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 SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the department  
2 of environmental protection shall establish a sick leave bank for Laurel MacKay, an employee of  
3 the 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 Laurel MacKay. Sick leave bank days  
5 shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the  
6 establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the department. Whenever Laurel MacKay  
7 terminates employment with the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any  
8 remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank.