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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David L. Flynn, Marc R. Pacheco

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 sick leave banks for certain members of the department of corrections.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
David L. Flynn	8th Plymouth
Marc R. Pacheco	First Plymouth and Bristol

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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Whereas, The deferred operation for this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to make , 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:

Notwithstanding any general or special law or rule or regulation to the contrary, the department of correction shall establish a sick leave bank for Lou Polson and Eric Polson, employees of said department. Any employee of the department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more of his sick, personal or vacation days to the sick leave banks for use by Lori Polson and Eric Polson in the case of their daughter's illness. Whenever Lori Polson or Eric Polson terminates their employment with the department or requests to dissolve their sick leave bank, the balance of sick leave shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank day shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the department.