

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2077**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Jennifer L. Flanagan*

*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 Jared Forgues, an employee of the Department of Correction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Jennifer L. Flanagan</i>	<i>Worcester and Middlesex</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>

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By Ms. Flanagan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. ) of Jennifer L. Flanagan, Kimberly N. Ferguson and Jonathan D. Zlotnik for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Jared Forgues, an employee of the Department of Correction. Public Service.

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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 Jared Forgues, an employee of the Department of Correction.

*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, or rule or regulation to the contrary, the  
2 Department of Correction shall establish a sick leave bank for Jared Forgues, an employee of the  
3 Department. Any employee of the department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more of his sick,  
4 personal or vacation days to the sick leave bank for use by Jared Forgues. Whenever Jared  
5 Forgues terminates employment with the Department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank,  
6 the balance shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days shall not  
7 be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of  
8 the sick leave bank as determined by the Department of Correction.