# **SENATE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2514**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

### PRESENTED BY:

### 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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Lynn Frith, an employee of the Department of Mental Health.

### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Marc R. Pacheco	First Plymouth and Bristol
Patricia A. Haddad	5th Bristol

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By Mr. Pacheco, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2514) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Marc R. Pacheco and Patricia A. Haddad for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Lynn Frith, an employee of the Department of Mental Health. Public Service.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Lynn Frith, an employee of the Department of Mental Health.

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 department of mental 2 health shall establish a sick leave bank for Lynn Frith, an employee of the department. Any 3 employee of the department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick, personal or vacation days 4 to the sick leave bank for use by Lynn Frith. Whenever Lynn Frith terminates employment with 5 the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave 6 bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank. Sick leave bank days shall not be 7 used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the 8 sick leave bank as determined by the department.