

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2749**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Dean A. Tran*

*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 Nicholas Asselin, an employee of the Department of Correction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Dean A. Tran*

*Worcester and Middlesex*

*Sheila C. Harrington*

*1st Middlesex*

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By Mr. Tran, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2749) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Dean A. Tran and Sheila C. Harrington for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Nicholas Asselin, an employee of the Department of Correction. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Nicholas Asselin, an employee of the Department of Correction.

*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 correction, 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           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 Nicholas Asselin, 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 Nicholas Asselin. Sick leave bank  
5 days 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 Nicholas  
7 Asselin terminates employment with the department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank,  
8 any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank.