

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Bill No. 2356, Page 1, Section A, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and
2 line the following:

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4 "9.236. The third full week in September of each year shall be known and designated as
5 "Sickle Cell Awareness Week". Sickle cell disease is a genetic disease in which a person's body
6 produces abnormally shaped red blood cells that resemble a crescent and that do not last as long as
7 normal round red blood cells, which leads to anemia. It is recommended to the people of the state
8 that the week be appropriately observed through activities that will increase awareness of sickle cell
9 disease and efforts to improve treatment options for patients.

10 9.339. September ~~[22, 2021,]~~ twenty-second each year is hereby designated as "Hazel Erby
11 Day" in Missouri. Citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events and
12 activities to recognize Hazel Erby's lifelong dedication to public service and community
13 improvement."; and
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15 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
16 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____