

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1053

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 9, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to tardive dyskinesia awareness week.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 9, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 9.289, to read as follows:

2 **9.289. 1. The first full week in May each year shall be known and designated as**  
3 **"Tardive Dyskinesia Awareness Week". Tardive dyskinesia is a movement disorder that**  
4 **is characterized by random, involuntary, and uncontrolled movements of different muscles**  
5 **in the face, trunk, and extremities. The citizens of this state are encouraged to observe the**  
6 **week with appropriate events and activities to raise awareness of tardive dyskinesia.**

2. The provisions of this section shall expire on August 28, 2026.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.