

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

[PERFECTED]

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1247

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE PIKE.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, ChiefClerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 9, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to diabetes awareness month.

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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 9.158, to read as follows:

3 **9.158. The month of November shall be known and designated as "Diabetes**  
4 **Awareness Month". The citizens of the state of Missouri are encouraged to participate in**  
5 **appropriate activities and events to increase awareness of diabetes. Diabetes is a group of**  
**metabolic diseases in which the body has elevated blood sugar levels over a prolonged**  
**period of time and affects Missourians of all ages.**

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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.