

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 2, Section 9.510, Line 5, by inserting
2 after said section and line the following:
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4 "9.516. June twenty-eighth each year is hereby designated as "Eliot and Muriel Battle
5 Day" in Missouri. The citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events
6 and activities to celebrate the lives of Eliot Battle, the first Black faculty member at Hickman
7 High School in Columbia, and Muriel Battle, the first Black principal in the Columbia Public
8 School District. The couple worked as a team to ease racial tensions during the 1960s and have
9 been recognized with schools in Columbia named in their honor: Eliot Battle Elementary School
10 and Muriel Williams Battle High School."; and
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12 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
13 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____