



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #135

**Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the
Flag of the State of Wisconsin Be Flown at Half-Staff as a Mark of Respect for
Sergeant Heidi Lynn Ruh of the United States Army, Who Lost Her Life
While Serving Her Country in Kosovo**

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2014, Sergeant Heidi Lynn Ruh, a member of the United States Army, lost her life while serving her country in Kosovo as a member of the 61st Medical Maintenance Battalion, 1st Medical Brigade; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Ruh provided faithful and honorable service to the people of the State of Wisconsin and the people of the United States during the many years she served in the Army, including serving in Afghanistan in 2011 and 2012; and

WHEREAS, the people of Wisconsin mourn the death of Sergeant Ruh; and

WHEREAS, a memorial service will be held on May 19, 2014;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by federal and state law, do hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds, and military installations of the State of Wisconsin equipped with such flags, beginning on **Monday, May 19, 2014**, and ending at sunset on that date.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this nineteenth day of May, in the year two thousand fourteen


SCOTT WALKER
Governor

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State