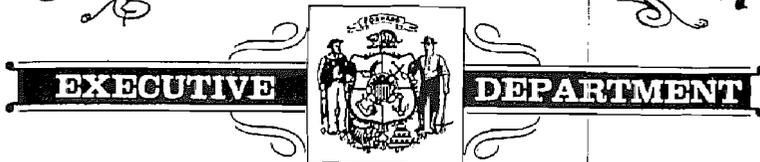


The State of Wisconsin



EXECUTIVE ORDER # 37

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 Spc. Robert J. Cook of the United States Army Who Lost His Life During Service in Afghanistan

WHEREAS, on January 29, 2004, Spc. Robert J. Cook of Sun Prairie, Wisconsin, a member of the United States Army, 2nd Battalion, 87th Infantry Regiment, 10th Mountain Division, was killed in an explosion in Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Spc. Robert J. Cook provided faithful and honorable service to the people of the State of Wisconsin and the people of the United States; and

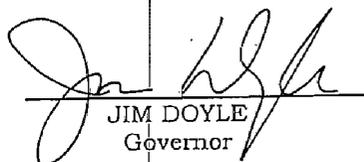
WHEREAS, the people of Wisconsin mourn the death of Spc. Robert J. Cook in this tragic incident; and

WHEREAS, Spc. Robert J. Cook will be laid to rest on Thursday, February 12, 2004;

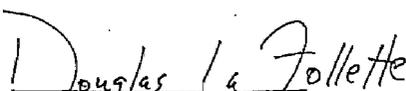
NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM DOYLE, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by Federal and State law, do hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds and military installations of the State of Wisconsin equipped with such flags beginning at sunrise on **Thursday February 12, 2004** 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 tenth day of February, in the year two thousand four.


JIM DOYLE
Governor

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State