

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER # 79

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 Lance Corporal Ryan Cantafio of the United States Marine Corps Reserve Who Lost His Life During Operation Iraqi Freedom

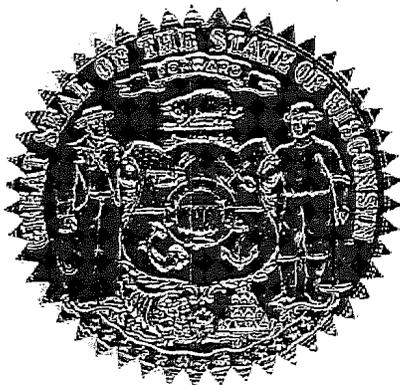
WHEREAS, on November 25, 2004, Lance Corporal Ryan Cantafio, of Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, a member of the United States Marine Corps Reserve, Golf Company, 2nd Battalion, 24th Marines, was killed during enemy action in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Ryan Cantafio provided faithful and honorable service to the people of the State of Wisconsin and the people of the United States; and

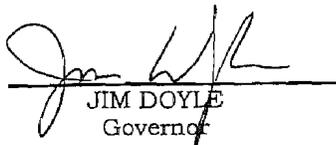
WHEREAS, the people of Wisconsin mourn the death of Lance Corporal Ryan Cantafio; and

WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Ryan Cantafio will be laid to rest on Thursday, December 2, 2004;

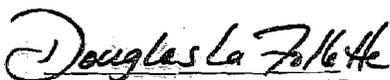
NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM DOYLE, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by Federal and State law, do hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds and military installations of the State of Wisconsin equipped with such flags beginning at sunrise on **Thursday, December 2, 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 first day of December, in the year two thousand four.


JIM DOYLE
Governor

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State