

## **OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER # 226**

## 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 James McDonald of the United States Army Who Lost His Life While Serving His Country

WHEREAS, on November 12, 2007, Sergeant James McDonald, a member of the Rear Detachment, 1st Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, United States Army, died while recovering from injuries sustained during enemy action in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant James McDonald 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 Sergeant James McDonald; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant James McDonald will be laid to rest on Tuesday, November 20, 2007;

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 November 20, 2007, and ending at sunset on that date.



By the Governor:

DOUCLAS LA FOLLETTE Secretary of State

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 November, in the year two thousand and seven.

IM DOYLE Governor