

EXECUTIVE ORDER # 180

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 Private Evan Bixler of the United States Army Who Lost His Life During Operation Iraqi Freedom

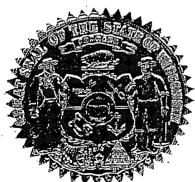
WHEREAS, on December 24, 2006, Private Evan Bixler, a member of 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, United States Army, died as a result of injuries sustained during enemy action in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Private Evan Bixler 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 Private Evan Bixler; and

WHEREAS, Private Evan Bixler will be laid to rest on Friday, January 5, 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 January 5, 2007, and ending at sunset on that date.



By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA COLLETTE
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 third day of January, in the year two thousand seven.

JIM DOYLE