

EXECUTIVE ORDER # 195

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 Staff Sergeant Robert Basham of the Wisconsin Army National Guard Who Lost His Life During Operation Iraqi Freedom

WHEREAS, on April 14, 2007, Staff Sergeant Robert Basham, a member of Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 126th Field Artillery Regiment, Wisconsin Army National Guard, lost his life while serving his nation;

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant Robert Basham 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 Staff Sergeant Robert Basham; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant Robert Basham will be laid to rest on Thursday, April 26, 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 April 26, 2007, and ending at sunset on that date.

By the Governor:

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 twenty-fifth day of April, in the year two thousand\seven.

Governor