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TO: All State Agencies
FROM: Governor Kay Ivey
DATE: Tuesday, September 17, 2019
RE: Flags lowered honoring fallen Tuscaloosa Police Officer Dornell Cousette

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kay Ivey".

I am directing flags be flown at half-staff as a mark of respect for Tuscaloosa Police Officer Dornell Cousette, who was killed in the line of duty while serving a warrant last night on Monday, September 16, 2019.

Let us remember the life and service of Officer Cousette, who was a 13-year veteran of the Tuscaloosa Police Department and a veteran of the United States Army. We offer our heartfelt condolences and prayers to his two daughters, his fiancé, his family and the entire city of Tuscaloosa.

The flags should be flown at half-staff on the day of his interment until sunset. I will issue a follow up memo when that date is announced.

KI/lj