TO: All State Agencies

FROM: Governor Kay Ivey

DATE: Friday, May 22, 2020

RE: Flags Lowered Honoring the Victims of the Novel Coronavirus Pandemic

At the request of President Trump, I am directing flags be flown at half-staff beginning today until sunset on Sunday, May 24, 2020 to honor the victims of the novel coronavirus pandemic. As a mark of solemn respect, we join our fellow Americans in remembering every life lost to this horrible disease.

May the Lord comfort those in mourning, strengthen those that are sick, encourage those on the front lines, and unify all Alabamians and Americans, as we overcome these unprecedented times together.

The flags are to be flown at half-staff until sunset Sunday, May 24, 2020, in compliance with the proclamation issued by the president.

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