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TO: All State Agencies
FROM: Governor Kay Ivey 
DATE: Wednesday, September 10, 2025
RE: Flags Lowered Honoring Patriot Day, September 11, 2025

On December 18, 2001, the United States Congress passed a joint resolution designating **September 11 as Patriot Day** and calling on the president of the United States to issue an annual proclamation memorializing the victims and requesting all U.S. flags be flown at half-staff.

Accordingly, I am directing flags throughout Alabama be flown at half-staff on Patriot Day, **Thursday, September 11, 2025**, to honor the nearly 3,000 victims, including Alabamians, who lost their lives in New York, Pennsylvania and Virginia from terror attacks against our nation on September 11, 2001.

Lives were lost at the World Trade Center towers and on board Flights 11 and 175 which struck the buildings. Others lost their lives at the Pentagon, including those on board Flight 77. Still others perished on Flight 93 over Pennsylvania. Also, among those who lost their lives in the September 11 attacks were many fire and emergency personnel, law enforcement and civilians, who answered the call to rescue their countrymen.

To honor and remember America's fallen heroes of 9/11, I am directing all flags be lowered in the state of Alabama to half-staff from sunrise to sunset on **Patriot Day, Thursday, September 11, 2025**.

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