

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Office of the Governor



**Executive Order No. 1451**

**WHEREAS**, on October 4, 2019, in accordance with Public Law 107-51, the President of the United States issued a Proclamation providing that the flag of the United States will be flown at half-staff at all Federal office buildings in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service; and

**WHEREAS**, our courageous firefighters race to the scene of fires, putting their lives in danger while protecting the lives and property of others; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Mississippi wishes to honor and pay tribute to all firefighters and to those fallen heroes who made the ultimate sacrifice:

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Tate Reeves, Acting Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution of the State of Mississippi, Article 5, Section 131 and the laws of the State of Mississippi, do hereby order that all flags of the United States of America and the State of Mississippi be flown at half-staff on all buildings and grounds of the State of Mississippi and all areas under its jurisdiction beginning at sunrise until sunset on October 6, 2019, in observance of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson, on the 4th day of October, in the year of our Lord, two thousand and nineteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-fourth.

TATE REEVES  
ACTING GOVERNOR

BY THE ACTING GOVERNOR:

C. DELBERT HOSEMANN, JR.  
SECRETARY OF STATE