

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Office of the Governor



EXECUTIVE ORDER 1448

WHEREAS, on August 4, 2019, President Donald J. Trump issued a Proclamation ordering the flag of the United States to be flown at half-staff upon all public buildings and grounds until sunset, August 8, 2019, as a mark of solemn respect for the victims of the terrible acts of violence perpetrated on August 3, 2019, in El Paso, Texas, and on August 4, 2019, in Dayton, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, we mourn the lives lost and the lives of those that are forever changed by these horrific acts of violence; and

WHEREAS, the thoughts and prayers of the people of Mississippi are with the victims and their families:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Phil Bryant, by the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and laws of the State of Mississippi, do hereby order 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 immediately until sunset, August 8, 2019.



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

DONE at the Capitol, in the City of Jackson, this the 4th day of August in the year of our Lord two thousand and nineteen, and of the two hundred and forty-fourth year of the United States of America.

Handwritten signature of Phil Bryant in black ink.

**PHIL BRYANT
GOVERNOR**

BY THE GOVERNOR

Handwritten signature of C. Delbert Hosemann, Jr. in blue ink.

**C. DELBERT HOSEMANN, JR.
SECRETARY OF STATE**