

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA**  
**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

**At Charleston**

**A PROCLAMATION**

**By the Governor**

**WHEREAS**, the President of the United States of America has directed by proclamation that the flag of the United States shall be flown at half-staff on all public buildings and grounds and other facilities both in the United States and abroad until sunset on December 19, 2023, as a mark of respect for former Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and her life of service to our Nation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM JUSTICE**, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Governor of the State of West Virginia, and in keeping with the Presidential Proclamation ordering the United States flag lowered in honor of Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, do hereby **ORDER** that all United States flags and West Virginia flags displayed on all State-owned facilities throughout West Virginia shall be lowered to half-staff, there to remain until sunset on December 19, 2023.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

**DONE** at the Capitol in the City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this Twelfth Day of December, in the Year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Three, and in the One Hundred Sixty-First Year of the State.



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**SECRETARY OF STATE**