

THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

FLAGS ON STATE BUILDINGS ORDERED TO HALF STAFF

WHEREAS:

Retired Brigadier General Robert L. Scott was a great Georgian and decorated war hero who rose to national prominence during World War II as a fighter ace in the

China-Burma-India theater; and

WHEREAS:

General Scott faithfully and honorably defended the people

of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS:

General Scott told his accounts of World War II in the books he authored, "God is My Co-Pilot," "The Day I Owned the

Sky" and "Flying Tiger: Chennault of China;" and

WHEREAS:

General Scott was a strong supporter of the United States Air Corps and was instrumental in the success of Middle Georgia's Museum of Aviation.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN HONOR AND AS A MARK OF RESPECT FOR THE MEMORY OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBERT L. SCOTT AND HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED:

That the flags on all state buildings throughout the State of Georgia be flown at half-staff on the day of his funeral, Friday, March 3, 2006, until sunset.

This 2nd day of March, 2006.