

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2020-58

WHEREAS, the undersigned has been notified of the passing of Chadwick Boseman;
and

WHEREAS, a revered son of South Carolina, Chadwick Boseman was a talented artist and celebrated actor whose portrayals of prominent and pioneering historical figures inspired millions of Americans and made him a cultural icon in his own right, and his passing warrants the people of this State further recognizing and appropriately honoring his extraordinary legacy;
and

WHEREAS, section 10-1-161(E) of the South Carolina Code of Laws, as amended, provides that “upon the death of a person of extraordinary stature, the Governor may order that the flags atop the State Capitol Building be lowered to half-staff at a designated time or for a designated period of time.”

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of South Carolina and pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of this State and of these United States and the powers conferred upon me therein, I hereby order that the flags atop the State Capitol Building be lowered to half-staff from sunrise until sunset on Sunday, August 30, 2020, in honor of Chadwick Boseman and in recognition of his extraordinary and inspirational legacy. This Order is effective immediately.

**GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE
GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF
SOUTH CAROLINA, THIS 29th DAY
OF AUGUST, 2020.**

HENRY MCMASTER
Governor

ATTEST:

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MARK HAMMOND

Secretary of State