

SENATE BILL No. 201

By Senators Haley, Apple, Barnett, Bruce, Faust-Goudeau, Hensley,
Holland, Kelly, Kelsey, Marshall, Masterson, Petersen, D. Schmidt
and Schodorf

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12 AN ACT concerning the display of the flag of the United States at half-
13 staff.

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15 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

16 Section 1. *(a)* The flag of the United States shall be displayed at half-
17 staff throughout the state of Kansas in accordance with federal law ~~in-~~
18 ~~cluding on a day designated by the governor when any of the following~~
19 ~~occurs:~~

20 ~~—(a) A member of the Kansas national guard is killed in the line of~~
21 ~~duty;~~

22 ~~—(b) a member of the Kansas air national guard is killed in the line of~~
23 ~~duty; or~~

24 ~~—(c) a Kansas resident serving as a member of the United States armed~~
25 ~~forces is killed in the line of duty.~~ *on a day designated by the governor*
26 *to honor those members of the Kansas national guard, the Kansas*
27 *air national guard and Kansas residents serving as members of the*
28 *United States armed forces or the reserve forces killed in the line of*
29 *duty. Such day may be designated as the first Thursday of each*
30 *month.*

31 *(b) On any day designated by the governor for displaying the*
32 *flag of the United States at half-staff pursuant to this section, the*
33 *governor shall publish a list of those individuals described in sub-*
34 *section (a) who were killed in the line of duty in the immediately*
35 *preceding month, unless an immediate family member of such in-*
36 *dividual has submitted a request to the governor that such individ-*
37 *ual's name not be included in such list.*

38 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
39 publication in the statute book.