General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 170

February Session, 2006

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AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOWERING OF THE FLAG.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2006)* Whenever the Governor prescribes that the state flag be flown at half-staff for a period following the death in the line of duty of a member of the armed forces, the Governor shall also prescribe that the national flag be flown at half-staff for the same period.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	*October 1, 2006*	New section

VA *Joint Favorable Subst. C/R* GAE

GAE *Joint Favorable*