

## THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

## BY THE GOVERNOR:

## FLAGS ON STATE CAPITOL BUILDING AND GROUNDS AND JUDICIAL BUILDINGS THROUGHOUT GEORGIA ORDERED LOWERED TO HALF STAFF

WHEREAS: The Honorable Charles B. Mikell, retired Judge of the Court of Appeals of the

State of Georgia, passed away on Monday, November, 4, 2013; and

WHEREAS: Judge Mikell honorably served his country in the United States Army, including

duty in Vietnam with the C.I.A., and was awarded the Bronze Star and the

Republic of Vietnam's Gallantry Cross; and

WHEREAS: Judge Mikell was a well-respected jurist having served as Judge and Chief Judge

of the State Court of Chatham County, President of the Georgia Council of State Court Judges, Superior Court Judge of the Eastern Judicial Circuit, and Judge and

Chief Judge of the Georgia Court of Appeals; and

WHEREAS: It is fitting and proper to recognize Judge Mikell's service to the United States of

America and the State of Georgia by lowering flags on the State Capitol building and grounds, and all judicial buildings and grounds throughout the state of

Georgia on the day of his interment.

Now, therefore, in honor and as a mark of respect for the memory of the Honorable Charles B. Mikell, pursuant to the authority vested

IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

**ORDERED:** That the flag of the United States of America and the flag of the State of Georgia

be flown at half-staff on the State Capitol building and grounds, and all judicial buildings and grounds throughout the state of Georgia on Friday, November 8,

2013, the day of his funeral, until sunset.

This 6 day of November, 2013.

GOVERNOR