

STATE OF DELAWARE



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
DOVER

EXECUTIVE ORDER
NUMBER SEVENTY THREE

TO: HEADS OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES
RE: PERIOD OF MOURNING FOR DANIEL A. KELLY

WHEREAS, Dan Kelly, a revered and dedicated public servant, died on September 14, 1979, at the age of 47 after a courageous battle with cancer; and

WHEREAS, Dan Kelly brought great honor to the State of Delaware as a member of the Delaware General Assembly, where he served as a member of the House of Representatives for four years; and

WHEREAS, Dan Kelly exhibited as both a Legislator and a public school teacher an uncommon degree of personal conviction and sense of fair play and compassion which reflected his unswerving faith in God; and

WHEREAS, his passing is a loss not only to his wife, Kathryn, and his family, but creates a void in the lives of all who knew him, and in the deliberations of the Delaware General Assembly which he so loyally served;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PIERRE S. du PONT, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Delaware, as a tribute to a true and faithful servant of all Delawareans, do hereby order and declare a

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throughout the State of Delaware beginning today and continuing through sundown of the day following his interment; and I do further order all State flags within the State of Delaware to be flown at half-staff during this period of mourning in memory of this outstanding citizen of Delaware and New Castle County.

APPROVED this 17th day of September
1979

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pierre S. du Pont".
Governor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ann C. Kelly".
Secretary of State

