## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 91

WHEREAS, United States Marine Staff Sergeant Joseph D'Augustine grew up in Waldwick, New Jersey and entered the United States Marine Corps immediately upon graduating from Waldwick High School; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant D'Augustine was assigned to the 8<sup>th</sup> Engineer Support Battalion, 2<sup>nd</sup> Marine Logistics Group, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant D'Augustine tragically lost his life while supporting combat operations in Operation Enduring Freedom in Helmand Province, Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant D'Augustine was a dedicated Marine as well as a loving son and brother, whose memory lives in the hearts of his family, friends, and fellow Marines; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant D'Augustine's heroism, patriotism, and service to his country and his fellow Marines makes it appropriate and fitting for the State of New Jersey to remember him and his family, to mark his passing, and to honor his memory;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, KIMBERLY M. GUADAGNO, Acting Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the Statutes of this State, do hereby ORDER and DIRECT:

1. The flag of the United States of America and the flag of New Jersey shall be flown at half-staff at all State departments, offices, agencies, and instrumentalities during appropriate hours on Wednesday, April 4, 2012 in recognition and mourning of a brave and loyal American hero, United States Marine Staff Sergeant Joseph D'Augustine. 2. This Order shall take effect immediately.

GIVEN, under my hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, Two Thousand and Twelve, and of the Independence of the United States, the Two Hundred and Thirty-Sixth.

[Seal]

/s/Kimberly M. Guadagno

Acting Governor

Attest:

/s/Charles B. McKenna

Chief Counsel to the Governor

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