

# State of Louisiana



## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

### EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER JBE 2020 – 15

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#### *FLAGS AT HALF-STAFF – RONALD JUDE “RON” LANDRY*

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- WHEREAS,** Ronald Jude Landry, a former distinguished member of the Louisiana Legislature, died at the age of 76 on Sunday, May 24, 2020;
- WHEREAS,** he is survived by his son, Christopher Benton Landry; his daughter, Lauryn Elizabeth Schenker; his stepson, Eric Williams Jr.; his stepdaughter, Dr. Katherine Williams; two brothers, David Landry and Dr. Barry Landry; his sister, Alice Landry Champagne; and eight grandchildren;
- WHEREAS,** first elected to the Senate in 1975, he served his state in the Louisiana Legislature for twenty-four years, representing St. John, St. Charles, and Lafourche Parishes;
- WHEREAS,** among other accomplishments, he further served the State of Louisiana as a delegate to the Southern Legislative Conference of the Council of State Governments and to the National Conference of State Legislators; and he was named Legislator of the Year by the Louisiana Deaf Commission; and
- WHEREAS,** Ronald Jude Landry lived his life with integrity and honor, and his public service as a lawmaker to the State of Louisiana will long be remembered.

**NOW THEREFORE, I, JOHN BEL EDWARDS,** Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the authority vested by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby order and direct as follows:

- SECTION 1:** As an expression of respect for Ronald Jude Landry, the flags of the United States and the State of Louisiana shall be flown at half-staff over the State Capitol from sunrise until sunset on Friday, June 5, 2020.
- SECTION 2:** This Order is effective upon signature and shall remain in effect until sunset, Friday, June 5, 2020.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of Louisiana in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2020.

  
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**GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA**

**ATTEST BY THE  
SECRETARY OF STATE**

  
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**SECRETARY OF STATE**