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Governor Musgrove Proclaims “National Peace Officers’ Week”

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has proclaimed the week of May 11, 2003 as “National Peace Officers’ Week” to honor the men and women who protect our right to be free of crime and violence.

“The dedicated men and women who have chosen law enforcement as a career face extraordinary risk and danger in preserving our freedom and security,” Musgrove stated. “We are recognizing the hazardous work, serious responsibilities and strong commitment of our state’s peace officers.”

In conjunction with this week, Governor Musgrove, along with the Mississippi Department of Public Safety and the Mississippi Highway Patrol, will hold a memorial ceremony on National Peace Officer’s Memorial Day on May 15, 2003. The ceremony at the Mississippi Highway Patrol Headquarters will commemorate the lives of officers killed in the line of duty.

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