



Press Release

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Flags to Half-Staff Until Sunset on Friday, September 30, in Honor of former President and Prime Minister of Israel, Shimon Peres

CONCORD – President Barack Obama has issued a proclamation directing the lowering of flags on all public buildings and grounds to half-staff until sunset on Friday, September 30, 2016, in honor of former President and Prime Minister of Israel, Shimon Peres.

Governor Hassan issued the following statement:

"Shimon Peres was a dedicated statesman whose unwavering commitment to the relationship between the United States and Israel helped forge the unshakeable alliance between our nations and our people. A fighter for Israel's independence, he was a leader for protecting Israel's security who never lost faith in the capacity to secure enduring peace. His determination was an inspiration to us all, and he will be dearly missed."

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