## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 379

WHEREAS, following the death of former President Jimmy Carter on December 29, 2024, President Joe Biden issued a Proclamation directing that the flag of the United States be displayed at half-staff for a period of 30 days, as provided in 4 U.S.C. 7(m); and

WHEREAS, consistent with President Biden's Proclamation, I issued Executive Order No. 373 on December 31, 2024, ordering that the flag of the United States and the flag of New Jersey shall be flown at half-staff at all State departments, offices, agencies, and instrumentalities until sunset on January 28, 2025, in recognition and mourning of President Carter; and

WHEREAS, upon taking the oath of office on January 20, 2025, President Donald J. Trump issued a Proclamation directing that the flag of the United States be raised to the top of the staff and displayed there for the remainder of the day; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and appropriate for the State of New Jersey to raise the flag of the United States and the flag of New Jersey for the same period that they are raised to full-staff pursuant to President Trump's Proclamation, before again lowering the flags to half-staff in recognition and mourning of President Carter;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PHILIP D. MURPHY, 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 full-staff at all State departments, offices, agencies, and instrumentalities for the remainder of the day on January 20, 2025, then lowered and flown at half-staff until sunset on January 28, 2025, consistent with federal law and

directives and Executive Order No. 373 (2024), in recognition and mourning of a dedicated public servant and global statesman, President Jimmy Carter.

- 2. Executive Order No. 373 (2024) is hereby superseded to the extent inconsistent with this Order.
  - 3. This Order shall take effect immediately.

GIVEN, under my hand and seal this  $20^{\rm th}$  day of January, Two Thousand and Twenty-Five, and of the Independence of the United States, the Two Hundred and Forty-Ninth.

[seal]

/s/ Philip D. Murphy

Governor

Attest:

/s/ Kate E. McDonnell

Chief Counsel to the Governor