

1 AN ACT relating to the POW/MIA flag.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 2 IS CREATED TO
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 (1) As used in this section, "POW/MIA flag" means the flag designated in 36 U.S.C.
6 sec. 902 as the symbol of concern about United States military personnel taken as
7 prisoners of war or listed as missing in action.

8 (2) The POW/MIA flag is designated as the symbol of the state's concern and
9 commitment to achieving the fullest possible accounting of United States military
10 personnel who:

11 (a) Having been prisoners of war or missing in action, still remain
12 unaccounted for; or

13 (b) In the future may become prisoners of war, missing in action, or otherwise
14 unaccounted for as a result of hostile action.

15 (3) The POW/MIA flag shall be displayed:

16 (a) At the following locations:

17 1. Any state-owned building at which the United States flag is displayed;

18 2. Any state-owned military memorials;

19 3. Any other state-owned location; and

20 4. Any local government building or location at which the United States
21 flag is displayed or that the local government deems appropriate;

22 (b) Any day that the United States flag is displayed;

23 (c) Directly below the United States flag when:

24 1. The United States flag and the POW/MIA flag are flown on the same
25 flagpole;

26 2. The United States flag and the Commonwealth of Kentucky flag are
27 flown on the same flagpole; and

- 1 *(d) On the flagpole directly to the left of the United States flag when the United*
2 *States flag and the POW/MIA are flown on separate flagpoles.*