

STATE OF ALABAMA PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, authenticated information has reached this office regarding the murder of 69 year old Lester Williams, found dead at his home on July 18, 2017, in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama;

WHEREAS, the circumstances surrounding this crime indicate that every effort should be made to apprehend and convict the perpetrator or perpetrators.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Alabama under §15-9-1, Code of Alabama, 1975, do hereby issue this proclamation, offering a reward of \$5,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty person or persons, provided there has been no arrest of same at the time of issuance of this proclamation, and entitlement to this reward shall include only private citizens and shall not include members or employees of any government law enforcement agency or their relatives

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this the <u>15th</u> day of August, 2017.

Kay Ivey Governor

Attested

John H. Merrill Secretary of State