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Governor Schwarzenegger Issues Statement on Death of Camp Pendleton Marine: Lance Cpl. Geoffrey R. Cayer

Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger today released the following statement regarding the death of Lance Cpl. Geoffrey R. Cayer of Fitchburg, MA: "Today, we honor Lance Cpl. Cayer, an individual who walked courageously in harm's way and risked his life for his country. Maria and I wish to send our condolences to Geoffrey's family, friends and fellow Marines who served alongside him. Our prayers go out to those who mourn his loss." Cayer, 20, died July 18 of injuries sustained from a non-hostile incident in Al Anbar Province, Iraq. He was assigned to 3rd Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Pendleton, CA. In honor of Lance Cpl. Cayer, Capitol flags will be flown at half-staff.

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