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Sufficient evidence against Pauga, confirms AG Savalenoa



Suspect Talalelei Pauga,

By: Nanai Taofiga
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Attorney General Savalenoa Mareva Betham Annandale in a press statement has confirmed that there is sufficient evidence to support the charge of “conspiracy to commit murder” against Talalelei

Pauga.

However given that the hearing of the other two co-defendants already charged have yet to commence, the statement notes that “the evidence surrounding the case cannot be disclosed at this stage.”

“The Attorney General further confirms that Mr. Pauga is one of the principal defendants and should be tried together in Samoa, with his other two co-defendants Lema’i Faioso Sione and Malele Atofu Paulo, who have already been charged for this matter and are awaiting a hearing date.”

The charges against the three defendants relate to allegations of conspiring to murder Prime Minister Tuilaepa Dr. Sailele Malielegaoi.

Pauga is in Australia awaiting the outcome of his extradition court case to Samoa to stand trial.

And to that effect, the statement reiterated that, “The Attorney General is duty bound to pursue the extradition request of Mr. Pauga and institute criminal proceedings in Samoa as there is sufficient evidence to support the alleged offence committed by Mr. Pauga.

“Conspiracy to commit murder” is a serious offence under section 106 of the Crimes Act 2013, which carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment,” Savalenoa stated.

“The Attorney General is also mandated to uphold the Constitution of Samoa, which includes the right to a fair trial. At this stage the Attorney General is awaiting the outcome of the extradition proceedings in Australia,” she continued.

The OAG’s statement is a rebuttal to a statement issued by the

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Attorney General Savalenoa Mareva Betham Annandale.



“The Will to Champion the Whole of the Government” The Ministry of the Prime Minister and Cabinet celebrating Public Service Day.

We the Public Servants

By: Joshua Lafoa’i

“The will to Champion the Whole of the Government.”

That is the theme chosen by the Ministry of Prime Minister and Cabinet, (MPMC) to commemorate and celebrate Public Service Day 2020 Friday last week.

Unlike past annual celebrations filled with rainbow parading colors by the public servants marching through downtown Apia to revel their services and achievements for the benefit of the country, the 2020

celebration is dwindled to individual events staged by the respective ministry and corporation commemorate.

However is has not damped the festive spirit by the hundreds of public servants through special events to highlight their sacrifices to Samoa enduring the challenging year littered by the measles outbreak and now the COVID 19 pandemic. And through these trying times, hundreds the public service sacrifices are acknowledged in the Public Servants humble way of sincerity and divine thanksgiving.

For the MPMC, it was a day dedicated to brainstorming which

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E molia i le Tulafono pe a lē Resitala

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

E lē toe i ai se isi avanoa mo so’o se tasi ua ausia le 21 tausaga aga’i luga, e toe resitala ai mo le Palota Tele i le tausaga fou, pe a mae’a lea galuega resitala i le Aso Tofi nei, 08 Oke-topa 2020.

Ua fa’amaonia mai e le Komesina o Faiga Palota, Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio, ua fa’ai’ui’u le galuega sa feagai ma le Ofisa, o le resitalaina lea o suafa o i latou ua ausia le 21 tausaga aga’i luga auā le Palota Tele i le tausaga fou.

Ua i ai le fuafuaga a le Ofisa o Faiga Palota, a tapunia le avanoa mo tagata resitala, ona se’e lea o le Ofisa, e iloilo uma lola palota ta’itasi, ma amata loa su’esu’ega mo le fa’amautuina o suafa o i latou ua malilili po’o ua malaga fo’i i atunuu i fafo e nonofomau ai.

O le ala lea na talosagaina ai e le Ofisa o Faiga Palota, Faipule uma o le Palemene, ina ia fa’amautu atu i lola palota a o latou Itumalo, suafa o e ua malilili.

“O lona uiga, o i latou lava ua ausia le 21

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“Unconstitutional” monotaga theories squashed

By: Joshua Lafoa'i

The recent amendments to the monotaga requirement under Electoral Act for candidates in the upcoming General Election to qualify eliminates claims that monotaga mandate prior to the amendments “unconstitutional.”

Opponents had filed a court action questioning the compulsory monotaga requirement for candidates to serve a three year monotaga in their electoral constituency. However in the change in the principle act to reshuffle certain electoral constituencies has denied them that constitutional right.

To that effect, Electoral Commissioner Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio told Savali that the latest amendment approved by Parliament in its last session now allows the affected candidates to be eligible however this exemption applies only to the 2021 General Election.

After the 2021 elections, the ‘Monotaga’ will return to its normal requirements, where a running member must have a matai title with a village in a constituency, and a ‘monotaga’ for at least three consecutive years, he explained.

The explanation comes after a challenge to the courts regarding the definition of the ‘monotaga’ and the criteria needed to be met by candidates eyeing the General Elections.

Addressing the urban seats status quo and the newly established constituency divisions Faimalomatumua says urban seats are on the verge of being completely removed as a whole.

“By the constitution, it is stated that there will come a time where urban seats will have to cease due to natural causes.

That is what will happen before the 2021 elections,” he said.

The Urban seats will be demolished before the elections begin. This would result in the establishment of new constituencies and the allocation of villages divided amongst these newly made constituencies.

“Running members for the new constituencies included in the current urban seats are not required by the law to have a ‘monotaga’ for those new constituencies for three years.”

“However, that does not mean they shouldn’t have a ‘monotaga’ for three years for their other matai titles in other villages they hold those titles in, and it must meet the regulation of ‘monotaga’ which is three consecutive years,” said Faimalomatumua.

While new constituencies will be established, the commissioner explicitly put out that running members must have served as a matai in any other village for at least three years and have had a ‘monotaga’ as well.

The law also stipulates that the three years of monotaga must be consecutive to one matai title only.

“You cannot bring your one year monotaga with another title and add it to the two years of your other title with the hopes to make it three altogether, it is exclusive to one title only,” Faimalomatumua said.

The Commissioner says these changes are only valid for the upcoming elections.

Once the 2021 election has passed, all new running members for the following elections in 2026 would follow the original three year ‘monotaga’ practice.



“Electoral Commissioner Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio addresses the status quo on the ‘monotaga’ and quashing claims that current electoral amendments are unconstitutional.”

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Amnesty International labeling the Pauga’s extradition from Australia as “politically motivated.”

The AG’s Statement is published below verbatim.

The Attorney General of Samoa responds to the concerns by Global human rights watch-dog Amnesty International in the Samoa Observer Article dated 2 October 2020.

1. The Attorney General confirms that the Office has made a lawful request to the Australian Attorney General’s Department in February 2020, to extradite Mr. Talalelei Pauga who is alleged to have committed the offence of ‘conspiracy to commit murder’. ‘Conspiracy to commit murder’ is a serious offence under section 106 of the Crimes Act 2013, which carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment.

2. The Attorney General also confirms that Australia has honored Samoa’s extradition request in accordance with its obligations under Australia’s Extradition Act 1988 and Extradition (Samoa) Regulations 2010.

3. The Attorney General further confirms that Mr. Pauga is one of the principal defendants and should be tried together in Samoa, with his other two co-defendants Lema’i Faioso Sione and Malele Atofu Paulo, who have already been charged for this matter and are awaiting a hearing date. The Attorney General furthermore confirms that there is sufficient evidence to support the charge against Mr. Pauga. Given that the hearing of the other two co-defendants have yet to commence, the evidence surrounding the case cannot be disclosed at this stage.

4. The Attorney General is duty bound to pursue the extradition request of Mr. Pauga and institute criminal proceedings in Samoa as there is sufficient evidence to support the alleged offence committed by Mr. Pauga. The Attorney General is also mandated to uphold the Constitution of Samoa, which includes the right to a fair trial. At this stage the Attorney General is awaiting the outcome of the extradition proceedings in Australia.

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We the Public Servants

include capacity building via live debates and speech competition to enhance the staff knowledge on the ministry’s three pillars which include a well-governed, well-secured and well-informed Samoa.

In a moving and inspirational speech, MPMC Chief Executive Agafili Tomaimano Shem Leo called on his staff to march on and hold their heads up high as servants of the public and reassured the government workers that their achievements and performances speak volumes.

“We must remember, the fundamental role we perform, is serve the country, with joy, humility and with all honesty,” said Agafili who is also Secretary to Cabinet.

“Remember your colleagues and give them your shoulder should they need help in performing their duties to the letter,” added the CEO. “Help your colleagues overcome their uncertainties and remember our MPMC family motto, we do not leave anyone behind.”

Agafili also touched answering the public call for help at all times.

“Our mandate is that for anyone needing information and guidance should leave our office and our building with the answers to their enquiries for a better informed Samoa.

He encourage that MPMC staff that perhaps at times some may feel that their services have been taken for granted, are not unrecognized and often criticized.

“As public servants, we are just those – ‘servants of the public’, and while we may think that such a calling is demeaning, I believe that if you have the heart of God, you will find the grace to serve from a Godly perspective and with Godly humility.”

Joining the celebration, MPMC Minister and Prime Minister Tuilae-pa Dr. Sailele Malielegaoi acknowledged the roles on the Public Servants in a brief public statement.

“The vision of the current Public Administration Sector Plan is for Samoa to be enabled to acquire a ‘professional and competent public administration that provides quality, efficient and transparent services for and to its people.”

“In essence, we, the Samoa Public Service, regardless of your position or status within your respective Ministries, are to become the epitome of excellent and exceptional service delivery. We have a public duty to contribute to improving the quality of life for each and every Samoan,” the Prime Minister concluded.

Street and Residential Naming project on the map



MPMC CEO Agafili Tomaimano Shem Leo emphasizing the value of the street naming initiative for emergency services responses in Samoa.

By: Joshua Lafoa'i

The first phase of the Street and Residential Address Naming Project is completed. It covers the heart of Apia City areas within a 2 kilometer radius from the clock tower to Mulinu'u peninsula, Vaimoso to the west, and Apia and Moata'a to the east.

The project is part of government's efforts to further enhance government's response to national security matters affecting the country, and strengthen national emergency response during and after disasters.

Equally important, the project will help government utility services such as electricity and water supply to pinpoint targeted areas that repairs and maintenance are required for government services to mobile accordingly.

It will also enhance economic opportunities for Samoa in line with the bigger picture to plan ahead for the next 20 to 50 years.

"Our country is advancing in terms of development," said Chairman of the Cabinet the Taskforce for Street and Residence Addresses' (TASRA) and Chief Executive of the Ministry of Prime Minister and Cabinet, Agafili Tomaimano Shem Leo.

"Infrastructure has changed rapidly over the last 5 to 10 years," he continued. "If you look at the way development has been unfolding, and looking ahead strategically on what Samoa will become over the next 20 years, it is timely now for government to implement this project."

On the bigger picture, the Taskforce Chairman noted that Samoa is "a progressive economy and as such we can no longer ignore certain developments to support key sectors of the economy such as tourism, agriculture and transport to name a few."

The Project is one of government's development initiatives designed to identify locations of streets, services, and residences in Samoa in real time.

It is being developed in view of the international best practice with the use of available technology such as the Global Positioning System (GPS) to advance the identification of locations in Samoa on Google application.

It is implemented in phases with the ultimate aim to cover the

whole country

The following is the Information Paper supporting the Street Naming/Address Allocation Project

The essence of pinpointing and locating the right destination in a timely manner is an important component of efficient travels internally and internationally to date. Migration global patterns confirm that the people have become very mobile.

They have been commuting from their homes to work in cities and return back despite the long distances they have to ensure, due to fast and reliable transportation, infrastructure and technology nowadays.

Advancement in economic development results from prioritizing service mobility and swift and reliable pinpointing of the locations of these services.

Samoa since 2014 has graduated from its LDC status to a developing country due to the speed of its economic development. One development that Samoa needs to address is the allocation of addresses for each family, business, institutions, and utilities to name a few, so that information and services required by the people can be made available in real time.

Most developed nations including our neighboring Pacific countries such as New Zealand, Australia have efficient systems to identify their streets and residential addresses. This has simplified and made travels more efficient and timely in these countries and especially for visitors.

This is why it is important for Samoa to allocate not only street names but addresses for residences as it supports and correlates with many developments, utilities, health services, and national security responses including emergencies.

Samoa has seen over the last two decades remarkable changes in its migration patterns and residential settlements.

Northwest Upolu has become the fastest populated area, with the Apia urban center's landscape evolving due to the erection of new businesses and high rise buildings.

These changes come with new challenges.

The biggest challenge Samoa will face in the future is the inability

to find accurate street and residential households, businesses, churches, government and private service providers.

The need for proper registry of streets and residences addresses will assist to curb this problem.

Clear and unambiguous street and residence addresses will enormously help locate a destination in real time.

They are highly essential for the Geographical Information System (GIS) required for current and future urban planning, infrastructural development, mapping surveillance, undertaking of national census, conducting of general elections, faster and responsive disaster relief operations and emergency responses when disasters strike.

Further, technology through the Global Positioning System (GPS) has made it so easy and convenient for global citizens to identify their destinations.

This would be ideal for tourists holidaying in Samoa to find their way around Samoa using GPS.

This will greatly assist Samoa as the government aspires to tailor made its developments for the next 20 years to achieve its 2040 vision.

The Taskforce for Street and Residence Addresses (TASRA) was approved by Cabinet.

The TASRA has been tasked to lead this project and report to Cabinet. Members/Ministries in the TASRA include the following:

1. Ministry of the Prime Minister and Cabinet
2. Ministry of Finance
3. Ministry of Works, Transport and Infrastructure
4. Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment
5. Office of the Attorney General
6. Ministry of Women, Community and Social Development
7. Ministry of Communications and Information Technology
8. Land Transport Authority
9. Office of the Electoral Commissioner
10. Samoa Bureau of Statistics
11. Samoa Water Authority
12. Electric Power Corporation

Singing the Teachers and Council praises



The Teachers council will monitor and support the work of teachers in Samoa as well as improve the production of Teachers locally.

By: Joshua Lafoa'i

The Ministry of Education, Sports and Culture, (MESCC) is singing praises for all the educators in Samoa as part of the celebration of Teachers week this week.

And Education Minister Loau Solamalealo Keneti Sio is at the frontline reaffirming not enough can be said on the crucial role by teachers and their contribution in shaping the future of Samoa.

"It is important to remind our teachers to look back and reminisce on the work they have done. To remember the value of their achievements which is

overlooked many a times," the Minister says.

"If it weren't for the great teachers who guided me as an individual when I was younger, I would be at Tanumalala or somewhere else not here," he added.

Loau reiterated the position that teachers hold in society and the results of their works in the government of Samoa and its education system.

"We will always need teachers. That's why I remind them to value the work they do because they are the shapers on what will be in the future for Samoa," he added.

Loau hinted at the potential of the teachers

council, that has included not only government employed teachers, but also private school teachers as well.

"The council will closely monitor the quality of teachers we have working in Samoa. That's why we are placing a heavy emphasis on forging new qualified teachers to take on the future of Samoan education," he added.

"Especially at NUS because that's where our newer generation of teachers will pour out from," he said.

"Mind you we started from just certificates for the older generation of teachers we had, then it got

to diploma and now it's a degree. Were three levels of qualifications now and that shows the growth of Samoan educators to date," he said.

The Teachers council was established in 2019. With a full seating of 13 official members of the Samoa Teachers Council (Council) in its meeting on April 10, 2019, a Chairperson, Matafeo Reupena Matafeo, was selected from amongst the Council's teacher members in accordance with the Act.

Matafeo is a college principal who also currently holds the office of President for the Samoa So-saiete o Faiaoga (Samoa Teachers Union).

Voters registration to come to a close

By: Joshua Lafoa'i

The window for voter registration is closing as Samoa's 2021 election draws near.

The final day for Voter Registration will be tomorrow, Thursday 8th of October 2020 and the OEC is hot on its heels to push through the queues of voters filing in to register.

The Electoral Commissioner, Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio has stated that the work is just starting to pick up for the Office of the Electoral Commission (O.E.C).

"Right now were still out there to register those who haven't yet. We have posts out at police stations to catalogue all new voters coming in and as of today, there is still a large number of people to go," he said.

Outside the OEC headquarters, a queue of both young and much older citizens awaiting their turn to be served. The commissioner says the OEC will still do its job to ensure all those who are there will be registered.

"We cannot control the timing in which a person comes to register and we certainly cannot leave anyone who comes here to register unanswered. Even though we have had the registrations open since 2016, some chose to come at the last minute, but it's still our job to have them jotted down into their proper rolls," he added.

With just a day to go, the OEC says the rolls are yet to be final. The numbers may still include those who have died during the last five years.

Faimalomatumua says the OEC has reached out to Members of Parliament to connect with their constituencies, to remind families whose loved ones have passed away to confirm with the OEC regarding so.

"The numbers we have now on the rolls are not the final numbers, we still have to confirm from family members about deaths and those who have moved overseas and don't intend to come back," said Faimalomatumua.

After the registrations are officially closed, the



OEC will undergo a review of all registered voters.

"Once the reviews are done, we should have an accurate number or a number closest to the accurate number of those who are eligible to vote. Since 2016, we've begun to work very closely with authorities and other agencies in Government," said Faimalomatumua.

The public is urged to contact the nearest registration OEC location for those who have not yet registered to vote.

"Registrations for new voters will close on Thursday 8th of October 2020."



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ma le Matagaluega a le Palemia ma Kapeneta



Matagaluega Tina ma Tamaitai Afioaga & Agafesootai



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MESC registers concerns with free Wi-Fi offer

By: Eirenei Ariu Toleafoa

The Ministry of Education, Sports and Culture (MESC) has registered concerns with the “Free Wi-Fi for schools” Project by Netvo Samoa, FAST and associated partners initiative noting that paramount to the Ministry is “the importance of appropriate security solutions for content filtering (firewall) concerning risks for all schools in Samoa, particularly students.”

“The newly launched “Free Wi-Fi for schools” Project by Netvo Samoa, FAST and associated partners provides great prospect for an improved access to the internet and information for learning. However, the absence of appropriate security solutions for content filtering (firewall) is a major concern and a risk for our schools, and particularly our students,” reiterated MESC Chief Executive Afamasaga Karoline Afamasaga-Fuata’i in a press statement.

She noted that Government through the MESC also provide security of the internet connections for all schools in Samoa for safeguard on both teachers and students to access only educational and appropriate websites.

“Most critical for MESC is the security of the internet connections for schools to ensure teachers and students can access only educational and appropriate websites for teaching and learning. This has been achieved through multiple layers of security (firewalls) which provide content filtering and cyber-security protection,” continued Afamasaga.

“Students should be able to safely explore how the Internet offers an amazing way to collaborate with others worldwide and learn at their own pace, while staying safe through employing strategies such as content filters and training people to know the difference between inappropriate content and positive online connections.”

The new Wi-Fi has since been suspended while inquiries by the appropriate government officials and agencies are continuing.



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Monotaga fa'alenu'u.

Aiaiga o Monotaga a Sui Tauva

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O fetu'una'iga fou i Monotaga Fa'amatai mo se Sui Tauva, ua fa'amanino e le Ofisa o Faiga Palota e muta lea suiga i le Palota Tele o le tausaga fou (natural death).

Ua pasia e le Fono Aoaofa Faitulafono Teuteuga o Faiga Palota, e agava'a ai Sui e fia tausinio i le Palota Tele 2021 ae le'i atoa le tolu tausaga o le monotaga i le matai o lo'o fia tauva ai.

Fa'ailoa e le Komesina o Faiga Palota, Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio e fa'apea, e tolu ituaiga Itumalo o lo'o a'afia i leni suiga.

O Itumalo Palota Tu Taulaga, o Sui Tauva e le'i atoa le tolu tausaga o le Monotaga i le Matai o le a tausinio ai i le Palota Tele, o lo'o manino i totonu o le Tulafono o Faiga Palota, e mafai ona aumai sau monotaga tolu tausaga soso'o i se isi ou suafa matai o lo'o e tautua ai, i se isi nu'u i totonu o Samoa e fa'amalieina ai manaoga o le Tulafono.

O Itumalo Palota ua vavae 'ese ai isi nu'u, so'o se Sui Tauva e tauva i le Palota i le Itumalo fou ua i ai nei, ae le'i atoa le tolu tausaga soso'o o lana monotaga sa fa'atino i le nu'u o le a tauva ai, o lona uiga e mafai ona fa'aoga mai lau monotaga mai lou suafa matai i le nu'u ua vavae 'ese mai le Itumalo sa i ai muamua, e fa'amalie ai aiaiga o le Tulafono i lou matai e le'i atoa le 3 tausaga o le monotaga.

Mo le silafia, e le fa'atagaina i le Tulafono, lou taumafai e tu'ufa'atasi le tasi o le tausaga o le isi monotaga i le isi matai ma le lua tausaga o lau monotaga i le isi ou matai e fa'aatoa ai le tolu tausaga o lau monotaga.

E le talia fo'i i ia teuteuga fou, ni monotaga e ta'i tausaga ma va va.

Fa'ailoa e Faimalomatumua, o le agaga atoa o leni teuteuga ia fa'amalieina ai fetu'una'iga o Itumalo Palota e pei ona vaevaeina ai i le taimi nei, ma e mae'a loa le Palota Tele i le tausaga fou, ona toe fo'i lava lea o le Tulafono i le tulaga sa masani ai, o lou suafa matai lava e te tauva ai, e tatau fo'i ona atoa le tolu tausaga o lau tautua fa'amonotaga.

mai le itulau muamua

E molia i le Tulafono pe a le Resitala

tausaga ae le'i resitala, ma fa'amautuina fo'i e le'i maliliu, pe le'o malaga fo'i i atunuu i fafo, o i latou na, o le a a'afia i aulape o le tulafono o Faiga Palota, ma molia loa."

O lo'o i ai fo'i le fa'amoemoe o le Komesina o Faiga Palota, afai ae vave mae'a iloilogaga ma su'esu'ega a le Ofisa mo i latou ua resitala ma e le'i resitala, ona fa'agasolo lea o aulape o le tulafono i e e le'i resitala a'o lumana'i ai le Palota Tele o le tausaga.

Peita'i a o'o i le Palota Tele e le'i mae'a lava iloilogaga, o lona uiga o le a telē le taimi i le uma ai o le Palota, e fa'atino ai aulape o le Tulafono o Faiga Palota, mo le moliaina o i latou e le'i resitala.



Galuega Resitala a le Ofisa o Faiga Palota, sa fa'agasolo i tua i nu'u ma Itumalo ta'itasi i le atunuu.



Keep Samoa Clean

Let's all work together to save our nation



Resitalaina o Sui Tauva o lo'o taofia i atunuu i fafo ona o le Koviti - 19.

Aiaiga mo Sui Tauva ma le Koviti - 19

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O so'o se tasi o fuafua e fia tauva i le Palota Tele 2021, ae o lo'o taofia i atunuu i fafo ona o le Koviti - 19, ua fa'ata'oto e le Ofisa o Faiga Palota le teuteuga fou, e mafai ai ona tauva i latou nei.

I le mae'a ai ona pasia e le Palemene lea teuteuga, ua manino ai, e mafai ona tusi mai le sa malaga atu i ni fonotaga po'o nisi fa'amoemoega fa'aleaiga i atunuu i fafo, a ua taofia ai ona o le Koviti - 19, ma fa'ailoa mai i le Ofisa o Faiga Palota lana maliega e avea ai se tasi o lona aiga o lo'o i Samoa nei, e fa'agaioi pepa mo'omia mo le fa'auluina o lona suafa o se Sui Tauva mo le Palota Tele o le tausaga fou.

Saunua le Komesina o Faiga Palota, Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio e fa'apea, e i ai fo'i pepa fa'atumu e lua, e tu'uina atu i le sui fa'atuatuaina o lea Sui Tauva, mo le lafoina atu i 'ai latou nei, e fa'atumu mai ma saina ai se Loia o i ai i lea Malo, e fa'amaonia ai le mafua'aga ua taofia ai i lea atunuu, aemaise o le mautinoa o lo'o nofomau i Samoa nei.

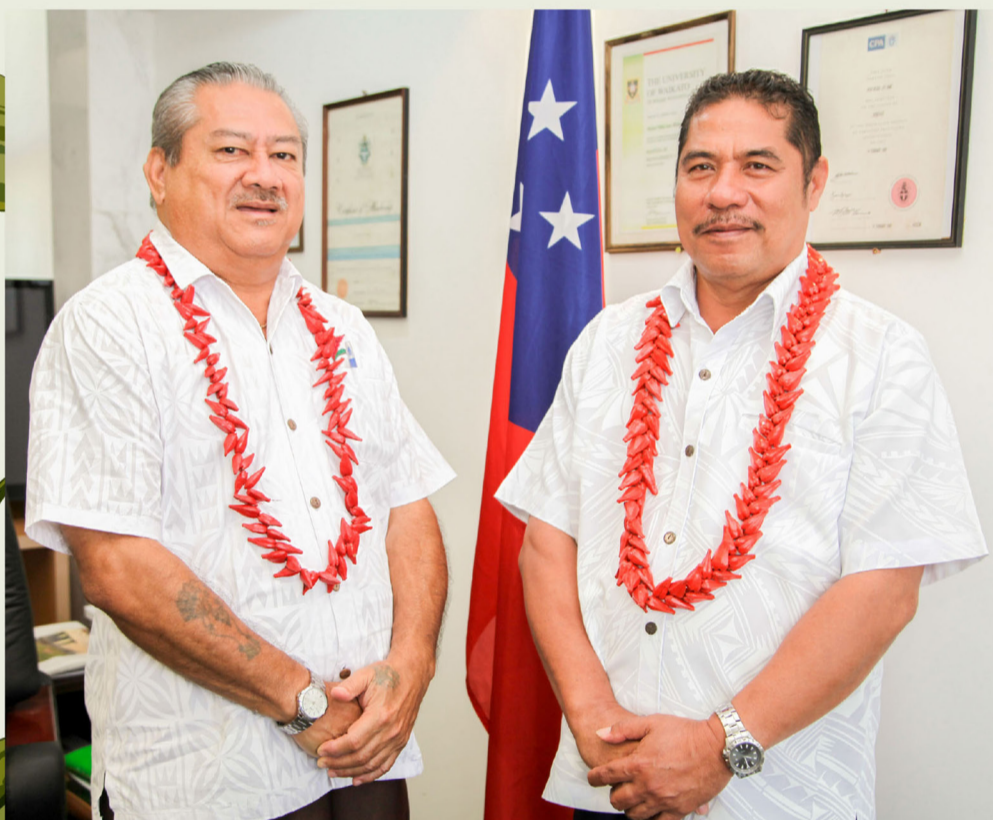
O lea Sui Tauva, na fa'ailoa e Faimalomatumua e tatau ona fa'amalieina uma aiaiga o Faiga Palota e ala i le monotaga fa'alenu'u.

Peita'i e i ai le malos'i'aga i le Ofisa o Faiga Palota, e fa'alēaogāina ai so'o se Sui Tauva ua mae'a resitala, pe afai ua toe 14 Aso a'o luma-na'i ai le Palota, ae le'i toe taliu mai i Samoa.

Ua faia lea teuteuga fa'afuase'i mo le Tulafono o Faiga Palota, ona o le tulaga o i ai le lalolagi i ona a'afiaga ona o le fa'ama'i oti, le Koviti - 19.

Na fa'ailoa fo'i e le Komesina e na'o le Palota Tele o le tausaga fou, o le a mafai ona fa'atino ai lenei aiaiga fou.

Matagaluega o Galuega Felauaiga & Atinae



E le tau fesiligia le taua o fanau o oloa taua na foaina mai e le Atua tatou te faapelepele i ai. E faamoemoe ai ala manuia i totonu o aiga, nuu ma ekalesia.

E avea ai lenei avanoa e momoli atu ai faamanuiaga ma moomooga alofa mo tamaiti uma o Samoa.

Ia manuia lo outou Aso Faapitoa

Alofaaga ma Faamanuiaga
 Afioga Minisita Tapunuu Papaliitele Unasa Niko Lee-Hang
 Afioga Minisita Lagolago - Seiuli Ueligitone Seiuli
 Pule Sili, Pulega & Matagaluega o Galuega Felauaiga & Atinae



Ta'imua oe i fa'ata'ita'iga lelei i isi tagata faigaluega

Tusia: Taunuuga Toatasi

O le fa'amanatuina o le Aso mo Tagata Faigaluega uma a le Malo, o se laolao lea sa toe fa'amanatu ma lu'itauina ai le soifua auuana a le aufaigaluega a le Matagaluega o le Palemia ma le Kapeneta e ala i lana tautua o lo o fa'atino e le gata mo le Malo, ae fa'apea fo'i i le atunu'u atoa.

O le aso fa'amanatu lea sa avea foi ma aso e tatala aloaia ai le vaega fa'apitoa mo fa'amatalaga (information centre) a le Matagaluega.

O le masina leni o Oketopa i tausaga ta'itasi, e fa'amanatu ai lava lea aso fa'apitoa, ma o se aso fo'i e tu'uina atu ai le avanoa mo le mamalu i le atunu'u, e aga'i mai ai, e silasila i auunaga o lo o fa'apea ona ofoina atu e lea Matagaluega ma lea Matagaluega, ae fa'apea foi i fa'alapotoptoga tumoiti a le Malo.

I le saunoaga a le Ofisa Sili o Pulega a le Matagaluega o le Palemia ma Kapeneta, Agafili Shem Leo, sa ia toe fa'amanatu ai i le aufaigaluega le taua o lea aso e fa'asino i tagata faigaluega o lo o tautuaina le Malo ma le atunu'u.

"O le tatou tiute, o le tului i luga o le isi ou uso po'o le tuafafine faigaluega.

"O le aso e fa'amanatu ai ia i tatou tatou le taua o le galulue fa'atasi, tatou te tului ai i luga le aufaigaluega.

"E le o se aso tatou te fa'amanatu ai po'o ai ua sili, po'o ai ua tele ana mea ua fai mo le atunu'u, ae le o se aso foi e fa'amanatu ai po'o ai ua tele lona sao i totonu o le Matagaluega."

Na saunoa Agafili e fa'apea, o le aso leni tatou te manatu ai le tatou matafaioi, o le tautua lea mo le atunu'u.

Tatou te tautua le atunu'u i le laufofoga fiafia, loto maualalo ma le fa'amaoni, o le fa'aopoopo lea a Agafili.

"A'o le feau taua o le aso leni, avea oe o se tagata faigaluega e te tuleia le isi uso po'o le isi tuafafine i luga."

"Avea oe o se tagata e mafai ona fa'alagolago atu i ai le isi uso po'o le isi tuafafine faigaluega, e amo fa'atasi ai le lua avega.

"Avea a'u ma se tagata e lagonaina le taua o le tautua o lo o fa'atino e le isi uso ma le isi tuafafine, ina ia i ai le mea e ta'u o le connective appreciation."

Na fa'aopoopo foi Agafili e fa'apea, e tele lave-lave ma fita ma to'atuga o galuega fa'apenei, e le gata o totonu lava o le tatou lotoifale, ae fa'apena foi i le tilotilo mai a Samoa.

O le fesili tele e fa'alogi i ai. O a tatou mea o fai? A o fea tatou te omai ai? A o fea tatou te o i ai?

O lau tali, o tatou o tagata faigaluega, tatou te galulue ma le loto maualalo ina ia fai le tautua mo le atunu'u.

O fautuaga ma timaiga e pei ona saunoa i ai le Ofisa Sili o Pulega, o naunautaga ina ia fa'atinoga le auunaga ma le fa'amaoni, a ia fa'atino foi le auunaga i le agaga o le galulue fa'atasi, aua o le tele o sulu e mama ai se avega.

Na fa'atautaia ai foi ma nisi o polokalame fa'atauvaga e pei ona vaevacina ai le Matagaluega i ona vaega e fa (4).

O ia polokalame fa'agasolo o finauga (debate) i le va o au sa filifiliae tusa o mataupu sa tu'uina atu i vaega taitasi e aga aga'i iai manatu.

E le gata i lea, a o le tauvaga lauga a au taitasi mo le fa'ataua lava o le aso mo tagata faigaluega a le Malo.



Ofisa Sili o Pulega a le Matagaluega o le Palemia ma le Kapeneta, Agafili Shem Leo i le ootiina o le lipine e tatala ai le vaega fa'apitoa mo fa'amatalaga a le Matagaluega.

OFISA O TAGATA TAFALAO MAIMO MAI FAFO, LE ESETETE TAUSI O SAMOA, OFISA TAUSI MAVAEAGA, OFISA SU'ETUSI SILI MA SU'ETUSI



Faafetai tele le Atua mo lau meaalofa i le Lalolagi, O FANAU! Ia e faapaia latou i lo latou tama-meamea o le aso nei. Pe a oo i lo latou matua a taeao, ia e faamanuia i latou mo Aiga, Nuu, Ekalesia aemaise Samoa ma le Lalolagi atoa.

Manuia le Aso Sa o Tamaiti!

Faamanuiaga & Alofaaga
Minisita - Sala Fata Pinati
Minisita Lagolago - Amituana'i Fagaivalu Kenrick Samu
Ofisa Sili ma Pulega Ofisa Tagata Tafafao, Esetete Tausi,
Tausi Mavaega & Su'etusi





Tatalaina aloaia i le tausaga ua mavae o le Fa'aigoaina ma fa'atuatusiina o auala ma fale i totonu o Samoa.

MATAGALUEGA O FAALAPOTOPOTOGA A LE MALO



MAI LE TAELE O MATOU AGAGA MATOU TE FAAOO ATU AI LENEI FAAMANUIAGA I TAMAITI UMA LAVA O SAMOA I LE FAAMANATUINA O LE ASO FAAPITOA MO I LATOU I LENEI TAUSAGA.

FAAMALOSI PE'A E TAUTUA LE ATUA MA TAUIVI MO SE OLAGA AOA'INA

TALOSIA IA OUTOU MAUA LE FIAFIA I LO OUTOU ASO FAAPITOA

ALOFAAGA MA FAAMANUIAGA
AFIOGA MINISITA - LAUTAFI FIO SELAFI PURCELL
AFIOGA MINISTIA LAGOLAGO - MISA TUIFAASISINA RISATI
PULEGA & MATAGALUEGA O FAALAPOTOPOTOGA A LE MALO



Fa'aigoa ma fa'atuatusi auala ma fale i Samoa

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Ua mae'a le vaega muamua o le fuafuaga tele a le Malo, e fa'aigoa ai auala ma fa'atuatusi fale o aiga fa'apea pisinisi ma kamupani i le atunuu.

O leni fuafuaga na tatala aloaia i le Aso 24 Ianuari o le tausaga ua mavae, ma ua fa'asopolia ai le 2 kilomita o le talafatai o Apia, mai le Uati Tele aga'i Mulinu'u, fa'asolo atu i Lepea ma fa'aauau atu ai se'ia mae'a i Moata'a.

O le agaga atoa o le Malo na fa'ataunu'u ai leni atina'e tele, e pei ona fa'amanino e le Ofisa Sili o Pulega – Matagaluega a le Palemia ma le Kapeneta ia Agafili Tomaimanō Shem Leo, ina ia faigofie mo turisi asiasi mai Samoa, aemaise tatou lava tagatanu'u o lo'o nonofo i nu'u i tua, e fia iloa tonu ma tau sa'ili nofoaga o lo'o i ai auunaga 'ese'ese i le taulaga au'a latou mataupu.

Fa'aailoa e Agafili, i leni vaiata i le fa'atupu-laia o le faitau aofa'i o tagata Samoa, aemaise o le si'itia o le tele o atina'e ma auunaga tau pisinisi i le atunuu, o se lu'itau tele lea i le Malo, i se auala e fa'afaigofie ai i le mamalu femalagaa'i, ona vave maua nofoaga o lo'o fia aga'i i ai mo se mataupu o lo'o sa'ili fesoasoani i ai.

E le gata i lea, a'o le fa'afaigofie ai fo'i i auunaga a le Tineimu, Soifua Maloloina, Leoleo ma isi, ona aga'i e ofo ma fa'ataunu'u le fesoasoani i se taimi vave pe afai o mana'omia mai e se aiga auunaga nei, i se taimi vave.

O leni fuafuaga a le Malo, o le fa'asopolia ai le atunuu atoa, ma o lo'o fa'agasolo pea le fa'aigoa o auala i Upolu ma le fa'atuatusiina o Maota ma Laoa a'o le'i amatalia lea lava fuafuaga mo le Motu Tele i Salafai.

Na fautuaina fo'i e Agafili le mamalu o le atunuu, ina ia tautuanā, tatou galulue fa'atasi, e fa'aleleia ma atia'e Samoa, e aofia ai ma le vaaia lelei o le malu puipuia o a tatou meatotino, e i ai nei fa'asinoala.

Au'a o lo'o i ai lava le talitonuga o le Malo, e i ai lava tagata e lē manatu mamafa i le tāua o nei atina'e a le Malo, ma fa'aleagaina ai nisi o fa'aילוilo ua mae'a fausia e le Malo, ma ma'imau ai le tele o seleni sa fa'atupe ai nei galuega lelei, ona o le moemoenoa ma le luafau lē āina.



Komesina o Faiga Palota – Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio

Malosi'aga fa'aletulafono i le Komesina o Faiga Palota

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

E i ai nisi o fa'amatalaga ua fa'alauiloa, e fa'apea ua soloia le malosiaga o le Komesina o Faiga Palota, na te iloilo ai agava'a o so'o se Sui Tauva, ma faia ai se fa'ai'uga i le talia po'o le te'ena o lea Sui Tauva e tausinio ai i se faiga palota.

Peita'i na fa'ailoa e le Komesina o Faiga Palota, e le moni ia lafoga, ma o le malosi'aga lava ia o le Komesina o Faiga Palota ma le Ofisa o Faiga Palota, na amata mai i le tausaga e 1963 seia o'o mai i le taimi nei.

Na fa'ailoa e Faimalomatumua Mathew Lemisio, o le i ai o le malosi'aga i se Komesina o Faiga Palota, o le agava'a lea fa'aletulafono na te iloilo ai ma le toto'a ma le fa'amaoni fa'amauga o so'o se Sui Tauva, ma fa'ailoa ai pe ua fa'amaonia le avea ma Sui Tauva, pe te'ena fo'i lana talosaga pe afai e le'o fa'amalieina aiaiga o le Tulafono o Faiga Palota.

"Afai ae leai se malosi'aga i le Komesina o Faiga Palota na te faia ai se fa'ai'uga e tusa o iloiloga ma su'esu'ega i pepa ua tu'uina atu e lea Sui Tauva, o lona uiga, o se Faiga Palota e leai sona taua i le vaai lautele a tagata."

"O le isi itu e tatau ona silafia e le atunuu, e le fa'apea e vaai atu lava le Komesina o Faiga Palota ma le Ofisa nei, e le'o fa'amalieina aiaiga e avea ai ma se Sui Tauva, ae le faia ai lava se fa'ai'uga, ma o le agasala lena i luma o le Atua, pe afai ae leai se galuega ai matou nei e faia i ai, a'o lea e matilatila le fa'aletonu."

Mo le silafia, o lo'o manino lava i le fa'amalamalamaina e le Komesina o Faiga Palota, afai ae le fa'amalieina se Sui Tauva i le fa'ai'uga ua faia e le Komesina o Faiga Palota, o lo'o i ai le avanoa i le Fa'amasinoga e fesiligia ai le amiotonu ma le fa'amaoni o le Komesina ma le Ofisa o Faiga Palota e tusa ai ma le fa'ai'uga ua faia.

Fa'ailoa e Faimalomatumua o le malosi'aga fa'aletulafono e o fa'atasi ma le agava'a o le tofiga Komesina o Faiga Palota ma le Ofisa o Faiga Palota mo le iloiloina o ia tofiga, o lona uiga e fesuisuia'i tagata e tauaveina le tofiga Komesina o Faiga Palota a'o le malosi'aga fa'aletulafono e tumau pea, e pei ona aiaia i totonu o le Tulafono o Faiga Palota.



Matagaluega o Tiute ma Tupe Maua, Leoleo & Falepuipui



Ia manuia tele le alo atu o fanau uma o Samoa i lo latou Aso Sa Faapitoa. Ia maua uma e tamaiti o Samoa le manuia ma le malosi e laugaina ai lana upu.

Faamanuia le Atua i fanau uma o Samoa

Alofaaga ma Faamanuiaga

**Tialavea Tusa Leniu Tionisio Hunt
Minisita o Tiute ma Tupe Maua, Leoleo ma Falepuipui**

Fa'afetaia le fesoasoani a le Malo mo aiga Samoa

Tusia: Taunuuga Toatasi

E ui i le tele o faitioga a nisi o le atunu'u e tusa o le fesoasoani a le Malo o lo'o fa'agasolo atu mo aiga i le taimi leni, e le'o tu'ua ai le galuega fesoasoani a le Malo mo aiga uma o le atunu'u.

O le masina leni o Oketopa e fa'amae'a ai le tu'uina atu o le fesoasoani a le Malo, o ta'i \$50 tala lea e maua e tagata ta'ito'atasi o le atunu'u e fesoasoani ai i le tausiga o aiga ma fanau, ona o a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19.

O nei fesoasoani a le Malo, ua fa'aalia ai e nisi lo latou tete'e ona o latou manatu e fa'apea, o nei tupe o le fa'atosina lea a le Malo i le faiga palota.

O nisi o manatu e fa'apea, o faiga fa'apolokiki nei ua fai e le Malo, ma o le auala foi lea a le tiapolo.

Peita'i, mo le tamā ia Aiono Lepale Fafitu, 73 tausaga o le afioaga o Vailoa Aleipata, sa ia fa'aalia lona agaga fa'afetai tele i le Malo, ona o nei fesoasoani le aumaua ua fa'amanuiaina ai aiga o le atunu'u.

"E iloa gofie lava tagata e le'o fiafia i le faigamalo o lo'o i ai nei, e sau ai le ituaiga manatu nei, e fa'aseseina ai manatu o le atunu'u.

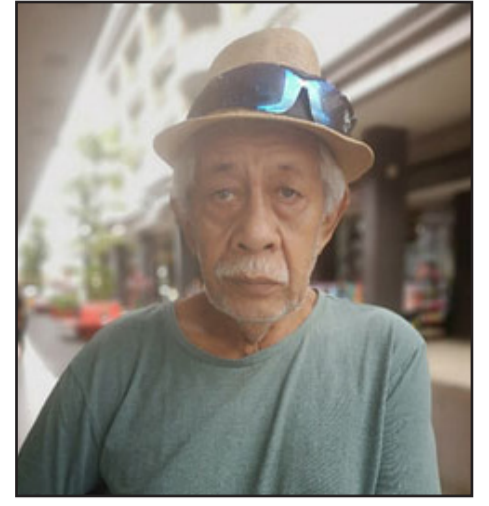
"O lea ua tatou va'ava'ai i a'afiaga o le koviti 19 i atunu'u i fafo, mautinoa e i ai aiga ua a'afia le tupe maua mai nai fanau ma aiga i atunu'u i fafo, ona o



Le tamā ia Aiono Lepale Fafitu o Vailoa Aleipata.

le fa'ama'i leni.

"E i ai foi nisi o tatou tagata, ua leai ni galuega, aemaise lava i nai fanau sa galulue i le vaega o lo o atia'e ai le itu tau i tulisi.



Muagututia Siaosi o Fogasavaii ma Falelauniu

"O lea ua tatou tilotilo, ua tapunia malae va'alele fa'avaomalo, ua leai foi ni tagata tafafao e asia Samoa ma fa'aaoga auunaga o lo o ofoina atu e i latou o lo o galulue i lea vaega, ma leai ai ma ni seleni e tologi ai tagata faigaluega.

"A tu'u mai fo'i i tagata o le tatou atunu'u e aga'i e fa'aaoga auunaga nei, atonu e maua sina tupe e fa'agaioioi ai le pisinisi, ae le taitai gafatia ai le agai i luma o le pisinisi.

"Ae fa'afetai tele i le Malo, o lea e maua mai sia fesoasoani e tausi ai tatou aiga ma ave ai nai fanau i le aoga."

"E le'o toe tutusa uma aiga i le taimi leni, ae a tatou mafaufau foi, e galulue le Malo, e tatau foi ona galulue tatou.

Na saunoa Aiono e fa'apea, o ituaiga manatu ia e fa'aalia e nisi e fa'apea o fa'atosina ma auala a le tiapolo, o latou ia manatu, ae leo le finagalo lea o le Atua.

"Tilotilo fo'i i le tele o atinae e fa'atino e le Malo, ae leiloa po'o fea e sau ai ia ituaiga manatu fa'apea, e fa'aseseina ai manatu o tagata lautele.

"O le taimi leni e tautala galuega, ua silasila Samoa i le tele o galuega ma atinae a le Malo ua tino mai. Aisea? E mo le atunu'u atoa. E mo alo ma fanau a Samoa i le lumanai.

"E le'o fa'atino e le Malo nei atina'e mo le taimi leni, o le aga'i i luma lea o lo o silasila i ai le Malo, i le manuia o tagata lautele.

"Aua tatou te fa'aseseina mafaufau o le atunu'u i manatu e leai ni fa'amaoniga, ona e ta'ita'iina sese ai tagata.

"Ia tatou nofo tatalo, tatou te fa'anōnōmanū i le Atua, o Ia fo'i tatou te maua ai le tali o mea uma, ae aua tatou te so'ona lafo ni fa'amatalaga ona o lo o silasila le atunu'u, o lea tatou te molimauina uma galuega o lo o fa'atino e le Malo.

E fa'apea foi se lagona mai le tamā ia Muagututia Siaosi, 69 tausaga le matua mai Fogasavaii ma Falelauniu.

"Afai lava o le fesoasoani a le Malo, e mo le mamalu lautele o le atunu'u ona o a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19, tatou te talia ma le agaga fa'afetai.

Ua tatou malamalama uma i le tulaga e pei ona fa'aali ai manatu o nisi o le atunu'u, ona o le vai-tau leni, i le tele o fa'atosina o le faiga palota, ae a malamalama lelei le atunu'u i le fa'apogai o leni fesoasoani, atonu e leai se mea o le a a'afia ai fua fesoasoani a le Malo o lo o fa'asafua mai, o le fa'aopoopo lea a Muagututia.

"E tonu lava le tagata i ona lagona ma ona manatu, ona o lea tatou te molimauina galuega ma atinae a le Malo o lo o fa'atino mo le manuia o le atunu'u lautele.

"E le mafai fo'i e se manatu o se to'atasi, ona sui ai fua manatu o nisi o le mamalu o le atunu'u o lo o latou silafia lelei le tele ma le anoanoa'i o fa'amanuiaga o lo o maua atu i le Malo.

"O lea ua tatou molimauina, o le fesoasoani lea e maua atu i le Malo, e mo tagata uma, e o'o lava i le pepe fa'atoa fanau mai, o lo o maua lea fesoasoani.

"O se fesoasoani taua tele mo Samoa, auā e leai se isi e tele ni ana tupe e tausi ai lona aiga, a le aunoa ma le toa'aga e fai le ma'umaga, e le a'ai foi le aiga.

Ae tatou tatalo, o le a lava le tali e aumai e le Atua o lenā, auā na o le Atua lava na te silafia mea uma o lo o tatou faia i leni lalolagi le tumau, ae tu'u le tagata ia e fai ona mafaufauga, atonu se aso galue iai le agaga o le Atua.

Matagaluega Soifua Maloloina



E MOMOLI ATU MO'OMO'OGA ALOFA MA FAAMANUIAGA O LE ASO SA O TAMAITI UMA O SAMOA.

IA MANUIA TELE LO OUTOU ASO FAAPITOA MA IA IAI PEA LE FILEMU O LE ATUA I TOTONU O AIGA.

Alofaaga ma faamanuiaga
Afioga Minisita - Faimalotoa lemaima Kika Stowers
Afioga Minisita Lagolago -Tofa Lio Foleni
Pulega & Matagaluega o Soifua Maloloina



Nisi o alii ma tamaitai faiaoga na auai i le sauniga fa'apitoa.

Fa'atāua lou valaauina fa'afaiaoga; Loau

Tusia :Taunuuga Toatasi

O so'o se valaauina lava e mai le Atua e o'o lava i le tofia e avea ma faiaoga, o le tofiga mai le Atua.

O le Aso Sa 1 Oketopa 2020, o le aso lea na pa'u i ai le aso fa'apitoa mo faiaoga uma o le lalolagi e pei foi ona fa'amanatu i Samoa nei.

O le manulauti o le Aso Faiaoga 2020 "O FAIAOGA E FAATONU FOLAU I ASO FITA : TOE FUATA'I LE LUMANAI.

Sa fa'atautaia ai se sauniga lotu i le Falesamoa o le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Maimoa mai Fafu, e toe tomanatu ai i le taua o le tautua a faiaoga uma o Samoa.

E le gata la o faiaoga o lo o galulue i le taimi nei, a o faiaoga fo'i ua litaea fa'apea i latou sa amataina le galuega faiaoga ua fai i lagi le folauga.

O le susuga i le fa'afeagaiga ia Rev. Falaniko Sio (FS) sa ta'ita'ia le sauniga lotu, a o le Minisita o Aoga, Ta'aloga ma Aganu'u, Loau Solamalemalo Keneti Sio, na saunoa i le saunoaga autu o le aso.

I le saunoaga a Loau na ia toe fa'apupula ai faiaoga uma o Samoa ina ia fa'atauina lona valaauina.

"O le galuega fa'afaiaoga, o se galuega taua tele."

"O se aso tatou te fa'amanatu ai le galuega a faiaoga ma le latou tautua i totonu o Samoa.

O se aso foi na saunoa le Minisita, e toe tomanatu ai faiaoga, po'o le a se auunaga sa fa'atino.

Na saunoa foi Loau e fa'apea, e o'o mai i le taimi nei, e na te manatua lava faiaoga sa aoga ai i tausaga ua tuana'i, mai lava i le vasega laiti e o'o i vasega mauauluga.

Na fa'atusaina e le Minisita le galuega a faiaoga i le tala o lo o i totonu o le Tusi Paia, o le tovine ma lana fa'atoaga i le fua mai lea o le tovine ini fua lelei.

O le matimatiga o le galuega fa'afaiaoga e pei ona saunoa Loau, o lona naunautuina ina ia galulue faiaoga i se galue e mafai ona fua mai ai alo ma fanau o lo o latou a'oa'oina i ni fua lelei.

"E le mafai e se fua lelei o le laau ona fua mai se fua leaga, e le mafai foi e le laau leaga ona fua mai ni fua lelei.

O se fa'atusatusaga lea a le Minisita, e fa'atusa ai le galuega a faiaoga, ina ia mafai ona mataitu e le faiaoga, le aanoa o lana galuega, ina ia mafai ona fua mai le galuega lea e galue ai.

"E le tutusa uma faiaoga. E tofu foi le tamaititi ma ona mafauaiga e manatua ai lana faiaoga sa a'oa'oina ia.

"O le isi tamaititi e manatua lana faiaoga, i le taumafai e a'oa'oina ina ia poto ma atamai. O le isi tamaititi e manatua lana faiaoga i le sau'a o lana faiaoga."

"O le agaga moni, o le fa'atauina e le faiaoga o ia lava, fa'atauina lau galuega, fa'atauina lou tagata."

O le ala foi lea ua aga'i ai le Matagaluega e pei ona saunoa Loau, e fa'atu se Fono Aoa a Faiaoga, ina ia apoapo uma mai ai faiaoga, e le gata o faiaoga i totonu o le Malo, faiaoga mai aoga tumaoti, faiaoga a ekalesia, ina ia maua le a'anoa o faiaoga, ma ia mataitu tomai o faiaoga, au'a e le tutusa uma faiaoga.

O le auga foi lea o lo o taumafai ai le Matagaluega ina ia tapu'e le tomai ma agava'a o faiaoga, aemaise lava i latou fa'atoa fa'au'u mai le Iunivesite Aoa o Samoa, ina ia atoatoa le fa'afoga o le galuega fa'afaiaoga.

"E manatua o aso ua tuana'i sa amata mai le tusipasi, so'o mai ai ma le fa'ailoga tipiloma, a o le taimi leni, o lea ua fai le fa'ailoga tikeri, o lona uiga ua tolu sitepu lea ua aga'i i ai faiaoga, ma ua eseese uma vaega poo level lea ua o'o iai le malamalama o faiaoga."

A o le fesili tele e pei ona saunoa Loau, po'o o'o le fa'ailoga tikeri lea i mafaua'o alo ma fanau i le fa'atinoga o le galuega a faiaoga?

"O le vaega lea o lo o tulimata'i e le Matagaluega, ina ia mautinoa o lo o lelei ma atoatoa le fa'atinoga o le galuega a faiaoga mo le a'oa'oina o fanau a Samoa.

Matagaluega Aoga Taaloga & Aganuu



O la Iesu - "Ai se talia se tamaititi faapenei i lo'u igoa, ua talia e ia o a'u, ai se talia a'u, e le o a'u ua ia talia, ao ia na auina mai a'u" Mareko 9:37.

Manuia tele le faamanatuina o le Aso Faapitoa mo Fandu uma o Samoa.

**Alofaaga ma Faamanuiaga
Afioga Minisita - Loau Solamalemalo Keneti Sio
Afioga Minisita Lagolago - Lealiasa Sepulona Moefaauo Moananu
Pulega & Matagaluega Aoga Taaloga & Aganuu**



WHO Staff Member, Lep-aitai Hansell demonstrating handwashing to children during the COVID-19 assessment, Upolu

COVID-19 Preparedness - Supporting the Vulnerable in Samoa

At the time of writing, Samoa is free of COVID-19. Preventative and precautionary measures were implemented early, and continue, to protect this status and the Samoan people. On the heels of the measles outbreak and recovery, which was under control by January 2020, the Ministry of Health (MOH) retained its management structure, the Health Emergency Operations Committee (HEOC), to also manage COVID-19 outbreak preparations.

The WHO, and other agencies, is represented on the HEOC and supports its work. Several initiatives continue including a mass media communications campaign to educate the public on the signs and symptoms of COVID-19, training of the clinical teams on Infection and Prevention Control, Screening and Testing, Isolation and Clinical Management of COVID-19, intensifying Mental Health services given the recent Measles outbreak, and outreach to communities to name a few.

The WHO's COVID-19 support to Samoa also includes an initiative with the Samoa Red Cross Society (SRCS) and the Adventists Disaster Relief Agency (ADRA). It aims to further drill down and intensify public education on COVID-19 and to understand the possible barriers facing the public, communities and households to adopt prevention and care measures. Importantly, it builds on the early COVID-19 sensitization sessions held for approximately 200 Village Chiefs, Mayors, Religious Leaders and Women's Community Group Representatives from the four inhabited Samoan Islands Upolu, Savai'i, Manono and Apolima. These sessions were conducted by the MOH and Ministry of Women, Community and Social Development (MWCSD) in Upolu and Savai'i in March 2020.

As part of the initiative, WHO collaborated with the MOH and SRCS to develop a COVID-19 Training Toolkit to facilitate the delivery of standardised information for sensitization sessions on COVID-19. The Toolkit includes a component on home-based care. These sessions, were delivered at the village level to their Representatives, Religious Leaders and Women's Community Groups, and were conducted by MOH, MWCSD and WHO in May, June and early July.

Currently, the SRCS and ADRA are conducting vulnerability assessments and outreach at the level of the home throughout the villages on all four islands in Samoa. These assessments started in April in Upolu and commenced in Savai'i mid-July with more than 800 families vulnerable to COVID-19 being assessed by the end of June 2020.

On Friday 10 July, the WHO joined the SRCS in Manono and Apolima, two of Samoa's

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Matagaluega o Faatoaga ma Faigafaiva



"O le fanau o le anofale a le Malo o Samoa. O i latou foi o tamai Olive e vagavagaia le laoi o Aiga, Nuu ma Ekalesia.

Ia faamanuia le Atua i le Au-fai-faatoaga ma a latou fanau

Iesu le uo o Tamaiti, ia faamanuia i tupulaga lalovaoa o Samoa."

Alofa'aga ma Fa'amanuiaga

Afioga Minisita - Hon. Lopao'o Natanielu Mu'a

Afioga Minisita Lagolago - Hon. Faasootauloa Taulapapa Pati

Pule Sili - Tilafono Leatiogie Tavita Hunter (MAF)

Pule Sili - Seuseu Dr Iosefa Tauati (SROS)

Pulega & Aufaigaluega

Matagaluega o Faatoaga ma Faigafaiva

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Fa'alapotopotoga o Su'esu'ega Faasaienisi a Samoa.





Manono: Vulnerability assessment in progress by SRCS volunteers on the right in the background. Background L -R: Mrs. Tuaillemafa Theresa Ulberg, South Seas Ministries, Honolulu, Hawai'i, Lauvao Isara Iose Team Leader, SRCS and Dr. Rasul Baghirov, WHO talking with a senior member of the household being assessed.

smaller islands, where more assessments were conducted and Hygiene Kit Care Packages and water were distributed to vulnerable families. In July and August the WHO team joined ADRA in Lalomanu Village in Upolu and both ADRA and SRCS in Savai'i to continue the assessments.

WHO Representative, Dr Rasul Baghirov commented on the exercise noting that "leaving no one behind is the main commitment of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. It has been important not only to reach out to these two beautiful islands of Samoa - Manono and Apolima - but importantly to identify and support directly it's most vulnerable villagers. WHO is proud to be part of COVID-19 preparedness work in Samoa, spearheaded by the country's leadership".

This initiative complements current and future projects to deliver water tanks to vulnerable households by the government, various development partners and charitable organizations. The South Seas Ministry in Honolulu, Hawai'i is one such entity collaborating with the SRCS in this area and Mrs Tuaillemafa Theresa Ulberg, a representative of the organisation was also on the ground to observe the outreach to Manono and Apolima. The vulnerability assessments will be completed in September 2020, along with the implementation of a survey that aims to understand awareness of COVID-19 prevention. Analysis of the data will ensure thereafter, and will guide the next steps.

Mrs. Namulauulu Tautala Mauala, current Secretary General for SRCS in Samoa conveyed her appreciation to the WHO noting that, "this collaborative partnership, financial assistance and technical support by the WHO Office in Samoa, has allowed the SRCS to continue with confidence the engagement of more than 150 villages in Samoa, through individual households, to be well prepared to combat the risks and longer impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic". She further expressed that, "we all need to act together to look after each other at this unprecedented moment in history".

The unavailability of clean water for hand-washing, cooking and general hygiene is a barrier to preventing and managing COVID-

19 infection. It is this recognition of the many barriers to prevention and care as well that prompted the WHO's collaboration with the SRCS and ADRA to better understand families' vulnerability to COVID-19 and to assist them with the Hygiene Kit Care Packages.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
Dr Rasul Baghirov

WHO Representative for American Samoa, the Cook Islands, Niue, Samoa and Tokelau.

Matagaluega o Faamasinoga ma Pulega Tau Faamasinoga



O toliga fiafia o le fanau o loo atagia ai le manino o le manimonimo e lafoia i luga o le eleele. O ni agaga e mama ua faatusaina ai le agaga o le Alii Faaola.

Ia maua e fanau o Samoa le filemu e faamanatu ai lo latou Aso Faapitoa

**Alotaaga ma Faamanuiaga
Afioga Minisita - Faaolesa Katopau Ainuu
Afioga Minisita Lagolago - Sooala Lene Sooalo
Pulega & Matagaluega o Faamasinoga**

Former tourism workers get relief in Samoa

(RNZI); Former tourism workers in Samoa who lost their jobs due to the global impacts of Covid-19 are to receive payments out of a \$US470,000 rescue package from the government.

The government has put the number of people who have lost their jobs since borders were closed due to the pandemic, at 3000.

The Samoa Observer reported the package was outlined in a Cabinet Directive from last week that was endorsed by the Ministry of Prime Minister and Cabinet Chief Executive Agafili Shem Leo.

It said staff made redundant would each receive around \$US114; those placed on leave without pay would get \$US76; and employees with reduced hours or working part-time would receive around \$US38.

Assistance was promised to unemployed tourism sector workers in the form of a subsidy as part of a \$US25 million stimulus package.

PM says some still not taking Covid-19 serious

(RNZI); Prime Minister Tuila'epa Sa'ilele Malielegaoi says there are still Samoans in New Zealand who are not showing enough concern about the dangers of Covid-19 and its potential impact.

During his weekly national radio address, Tuila'epa said 50 people were not allowed to board a repatriation flight last Friday because they did not meet proper Covid-19 travel requirements.

"This means they are not worried by the pandemic, but it is nothing for anyone to play around with," he said.

The prime minister said some passengers turned up without the required health test evidence while others had documents but without signed verification from medical professionals.

He said subsequently there were 50 wasted vacant seats that others could have used.

Meanwhile, the Chairman of the National Emergency Operations Centre, Ulu Bismarck Crawley,

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Matagaluega o Tupe

O le fanau o le lumanai manuia o Nu'u, Ekalesia ma le Atunuu. O tamai olive i le laoai e feofofoai ai lagona o le fiafia

Ia manuia tele le alo atu i le faamanatuina o le Aso Sa Paepae i fanau uma o Samoa.

*Alofaaga ma faamanuiaga
Afioga Minisita - Sili Epa Tuioti
Afioga Minisita Lagolago - Mulipola Leiataua Laki
Pulega & Matagaluega o Tupe*

Scientific Research Organisation of Samoa

"Positive thinking achieves positive results"



NEW JOB OPPORTUNITY!

Scientific Research Organization of Samoa (SROS) offers bright employment opportunities to prospective employees, with the right credentials and practical work experience. SROS is seeking the service of enthusiastic and highly motivated individuals to fill the following position.

Division: Agriculture Research Division
Position Title: Manager
Salary: \$88,301 per annum

Division: Corporate Services Division
Position Title: Manager
Salary: \$88,301 per annum

The above position is on a contractual basis for three (3) years. A detailed Job Description for the above position can be obtained from Scientific Research Organization of Samoa (SROS) website www.sros.org.ws or contact Telesia Ah Sam at the telephone 20664 or email telesia.ahsam@sros.org.ws

Application Requirements

1. Applications must include a cover letter, detailed curriculum vitae, certified evidence of academic qualifications (certificates and transcripts) and three written references.
2. All applications must also be marked "Confidential" with the appropriate position title & addressed to the **Chief Executive Officer**, Scientific Research Organization of Samoa, and P.O. Box 6597, Apia.
3. Closing time and date of applications is: **4pm, 23rd October 2020**
4. Late applications will not be considered.

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Website: <http://www.sros.org.ws>

Please address all correspondence to the: Chief Executive Officer
Scientific Research Organisation of Samoa



also warned that people who had completed the 14 day quarantine period in Samoa should still take care.

He said NEOC was aware of reports from overseas that people had tested positive seven days after they left isolation.

“We are working on this but I think people just need to be cautious after they leave quarantine, at least for another week,” he said.

There have been no confirmed cases of the coronavirus in Samoa. This week it was revealed a man tested positive in New Zealand for Covid-19 nearly a week after leaving managed isolation.

Authorities said he may have had an unusually long incubation of the virus.

Border closures delay return of Samoan peacekeepers

(RNZI); Covid-19 enforced border closures have delayed the return of Samoan Police Officers on United Nations Peacekeeping missions in Africa.

Police commissioner Fuiavaivili Egon Keil said Samoan personnel were stationed across the continent and had now had their postings extended.

“Generally, the mission is for one year and it takes a lot of qualifications and testing to get selected for an officer to go to these things but it’s only for one year.”

He said Samoa had an allotment of 25 officers who could be deployed to Africa - with some police officers there now.

Officers waiting to take up their postings in Samoa had also been delayed because of the travel restrictions.

The Commissioner says the monthly reports he’s been receiving indicate that the officers miss their families but have kept their spirits high by communicating online.

“Naturally they miss home. Some of them want to come home and some of them are okay,” he added

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SAMOA TOURISM AUTHORITY CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Samoa Tourism Authority (STA) invites applications from suitably qualified and enthusiastic personnel for the following positions:

- 1. Manager Sales & Marketing**
Salary: SAT\$88,300.83 per annum (3 year Contract)
- 2. Manager Research & Statistics**
Salary: SAT\$88,300.83 per annum (3 year Contract)

Application packages can be uplifted from the STA’s Main Office, Ground Floor, Fiame Mataafa Faumuina Mulinu II (FMFM II) building in Apia.

Closing Date is 26th October 2020 before 4:00pm. All applications should be addressed to the:

Chief Executive Officer
Samoa Tourism Authority
Ground Floor, FMFM II building
Apia

Late applications will not be considered.

For further information please contact Soara Siamomua soara@samoatourism.org or Joseph Hunt joseph@samoatourism.org of the Samoa Tourism Authority, or telephone 63500 during working hours.

MATAGALUEGA O FESOOTAIGA & FAAMATALAGA FAATEKONOLOSI



Happy White Sunday to all the children of Samoa

Faamanuiaga ma Alofaaga:
Afamasaga Lepuiai Rico Tupai
Minisita o Fesootaiga & Faamatalaga
Faatekonolosi



PRESS STATEMENT; Office of the Attorney General

The following is a rebuttal by Attorney General Savalenoa Mareva Betham Annandale to the Amnesty International labelling Talalelei Pauga's extradition from Australia as "politically motivated." The article published by the Samoa Observer newspaper on Friday 02nd October 2020.

EXTRADITION 'POLITICALLY MOTIVATED': AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

(6th OCTOBER 2020); The Attorney General of Samoa responds to the concerns by Global human rights watch-dog Amnesty International in the Samoa Observer Article dated 2 October 2020.

*** 1. The Attorney General confirms that the Office has made a lawful request to the Australian Attorney Generals Department in February 2020, to extradite Mr. Talalelei Pauga who is alleged to have committed the offence of 'conspiracy to commit murder'. 'Conspiracy to commit murder' is a serious offence under section 106 of the Crimes Act 2013, which carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment.

2. The Attorney General also confirms that Australia has honored Samoa's extradition request in accordance with its obligations under Australia's Extradition Act 1988 and Extradition (Samoa) Regulations 2010.

3. The Attorney General further confirms that Mr. Pauga is one of the principal defendants and should be tried together in Samoa, with his other two co-defendants Lema'i Faioso Sione and Malele Atofu Paulo, who have already been charged for this matter and are awaiting a hearing date. The Attorney General furthermore confirms that there is sufficient evidence to support the charge against Mr. Pauga. Given that the hearing of the other two co-defendants have yet to commence, the evidence surrounding the case cannot be disclosed at this stage.

4. The Attorney General is duty bound to pursue the extradition request of Mr. Pauga and institute criminal proceedings in Samoa as there is sufficient evidence to support the alleged offence committed by Mr. Pauga. The Attorney General is also mandated to uphold the Constitution of Samoa, which includes the right to a fair trial. At this stage the Attorney General is awaiting the outcome of the extradition proceedings in Australia.



PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Komisi o Galuega a le Malo

Please address all correspondence to the Chairman.

Fa'amolemole fa'atuatusi uma mai fesootaiga i le Ta'ita'ifono.

VACANCY ADVERTISEMENT **Contract Position**

The Public Service Commission on behalf of the Government of Samoa invites applications from qualified applicants for the following position. The position is on contract for a 3-year term.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SPORTS & CULTURE

1. Position: Principal Falelima Primary School (EC000345)
Salary: SAT \$44,814.00

The Application Form and Job Description can be uplifted from the Public Service Commission, Level 2, Fiame Mataafa Faumuina Mulinu II (FMFM II) Building, Apia or can be downloaded from website: <http://www.psc.gov.ws>. Application Forms (R&S Form 2) are to be used by ALL Applications and are to be addressed to the Chairman. Applications must be submitted to PSC by, Monday 19th October 2020 before 5.00pm.

For more information, please contact the Senior Executive Services Division of our Office on telephone 22123 or email ses@psc.gov.ws



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MINISTRY OF WOMEN, COMMUNITY & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

1. Position: ACEO Governance (WS003241)
Salary: SAT \$88,301.00

The Application Form and Job Description can be uplifted from the Public Service Commission, Level 2, Fiame Mataafa Faumuina Mulinu II (FMFM II) Building, Apia or can be downloaded from website: <http://www.psc.gov.ws>. Application Forms (R&S Form 2) are to be used by ALL Applications and are to be addressed to the Chairman. Applications must be submitted to PSC by, Monday 26th October 2020 before 5.00pm.

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ASO FA'APITOA MO TAGATA FAIGALUEGA A LE MALO

O sui nei o le afaigaluega a le Matagaluega a le Palemia ma le Kapeneta, i le Aso Faraile ua mavae, i le fa'amanatuina o le sao t'ua o tagata faigaluega a le Malo i totonu o le atunuu mo lenei tausaga 2021.



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VACANCY: GENERAL MANAGER or CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Written applications are invited for the position of General Manager or Chief Executive Officer (GM/CEO) for the Samoa Ports Authority (SPA). The GM/CEO is responsible for the effective management and efficient operations of the SPA.

The GM/CEO is responsible and reports directly to the Chairman and Board of Directors with the key role in providing leadership and strategic direction in the development and implementing of a vision and strategy to grow SPA as a successful international and safe port, adaptive and risk management strategies to respond to the impact of natural disasters over the operations of the Authority, improve SPA strategic planning aimed at continuous strengthening of the financial outcomes, monitoring and reporting on the achievement of the key performance goals and objectives of the Authority. Ensure the Authority practices good ethical governance in compliance with the Samoa Ports Authority mandate as outlined in its principal legislation, the Ports Authority Act 1998, Public Bodies (Performance and Accountability) Act 2001, Public Finance Management Act 2001, Companies Act 2001 and the effective implementation of the SPA's Corporate Plan vision and mission.

The position is for a contract period of three years. Salary and benefits will be in accordance with existing remuneration packages set by Government for Chief Executive Officers/General Managers of Ministries and Corporations.

The successful applicant must have the following minimum requirements:

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:

- Must have at least five (5) years practical experience in a Senior Management role demonstrating effective strategic direction and leadership skills;
- Must have a degree or higher tertiary qualification in Business Management, Economics, Corporate Governance, Administration, Finance, Maritime or Ports Operations and any other relevant qualifications to the position Job description;
- Must have background knowledge and management skills and competences in the management of operations of a port including development and implementation of policies for the safety and security of the port from natural disasters;
- Must have demonstrated experience in disaster risk management including adaptive management strategies;
- Should have a good understanding and knowledge of the principal legislations governing Authority's operation including the Ports Authority Act 1998, Public Bodies (Performance and Accountability) Act 2001, Public Finance Management Act 2001 and Companies Act 2001.
- Experience in working and collaborating with Public and Private Sector Agencies who are key stakeholders of the Samoa Ports Authority;
- Proven experience and knowledgeable of climate vulnerability challenges and resilience building opportunities particular to Samoa (or similar Pacific islands with similar infrastructure projects)
- Good knowledge and understanding of the key International Maritime Organisation (IMO) Conventions.
- Excellent inter-personal skills and demonstrated ability to engage and work with multi-stakeholders within the Public and Private Sectors including communities;
- Must possess excellent communications, writing, analytical and public speaking skills.
- Must provide Medical and Police Reports.

Full details of the position and other relevant information are available from the Office of the Minister of Works Transport and Infrastructure, Level 4, TATTE Building, Apia.

Applications in sealed envelopes marked "Application for the General Manager/Chief Executive Officer - Samoa Ports Authority" and addressed to:-

The Minister of Works, Transport and Infrastructure
Minister's Office
Level 4, TATTE Building,
SOGI

All Applications must be submitted together with a detailed CV addressing the capability and experience in the Selection Criteria and should be received by the Office of the Minister no later than Friday, 9th October 2020 at 4.00pm.

Should further information is required relating to the position please contact phone No. 24379 (Minister's Office)

LAST CALL FOR INTEREST WITH THE BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS PLATFORM

If you're a Samoan business with an idea that could make a lasting social and environmental impact, apply for the current Business Partnerships Platform (BPP) Call for Partnerships before 12 October 2020.

The Business Partnerships Platform (BPP) is a flagship initiative of the Australian Government. It supports partnerships with businesses to deliver sustainable economic growth and poverty reduction, while also ensuring commercial returns for business.

"Businesses can help us to build a more resilient economy and stronger communities in Samoa. This is an exciting opportunity for businesses to partner with the Australian Government to create livelihood opportunities, enhance gender equality and support green and resilient economic recovery to COVID-19," said HE Sara Moriarty, Australian High Commissioner to Samoa.

The BPP can co-finance with businesses to support COVID-19 economic recovery in one of the following areas:

- Health Security including to improve health systems and preparedness; access to medical and health products and information; effective management of diseases and sexual reproductive health and rights.
- Stability by supporting skills and job creation opportunities, especially for women and people with disabilities; gender equality and addressing gender based violence; renewable energy, strengthening natural disaster resilience and managing climate risk; and improving food security.
- Economic recovery including improving supply chains and value chain diversification, revitalising export markets; supporting digital transformation and e-commerce; and recovery in the tourism sector.

Businesses can apply individually or in a consortium and the Australian Government will provide matched funding of up to AUD500,000 to successful business initiatives.

Businesses with a commercial idea that could make a lasting social impact are encouraged to contact the Australian High Commission in Samoa or email: applications@thebpp.com.au or visit: thebpp.com.au for further information.

For media requests please contact:

Apia, Samoa: Vaimo'oi'a Ripley, Communications Manager, Australian High Commission Vaimo'oi'a.Ripley@dfat.gov.au

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SEEDSTARS IS COMING BACK VIRTUALLY TO SAMOA AND IS LOOKING FOR THE BEST START-UPS FOR SEEDSTARS APIA 2020

Around ten of Samoa's best seed-stage start-ups will participate in a bootcamp and compete to represent the country at the regional Seedstars Competition with the chance to access the final stage in Switzerland and win up to USD 500,000 in equity investments and other prizes.

Apia, Samoa, 1 October 2020 - Seedstars World, the largest early-stage start-up competition for emerging markets and fast-growing start-up scenes, is coming back virtually to Apia for the second time. With the support of the Australian Government and the GSMA, Seedstars will be holding a preparatory bootcamp for all the selected start-ups, before the public pitching event that will be broadcasted on the 27th of November.

The companies invited to the training session and to pitch at the Seedstars Apia event must have raised less than USD 1M in funding and built a minimum viable product, ideally with existing traction. The Seedstars team is searching for one additional criterion - the potential for regional and global scalability.

The Pacific Islands continue to forge a path towards digital and financial inclusion, realising and employing the potential of digital technology in reducing inequalities, improving their economies, and addressing climate change. We're really pleased to be able to bring these bootcamps and pitching competitions back to Fiji, Papua New Guinea and Samoa. We're looking forward to seeing the power of innovation on display in the region again!" - Max Cuvellier, Head of Mobile for Development, GSMA Besides representing Samoa at the Seedstars Regional Competition, Seedstars will also award two full months access to the Investment Readiness Program to the winning start-up invited to pitch locally. It is a non-time bound and data-driven acceleration program focused on boosting tech start-ups looking to get ready for fundraising. Seedstars connects entrepreneurs to global experts and mentors, emerging marketspecific training materials based on best practices, and access to the Seedstars Global investor network.

The applications are open until October 15th and start-ups are invited to apply at <https://bit.ly/SSWApia20>. After careful screening, the Seedstars team will shortlist around ten of the best seed-stage start-ups to receive pitching training before competing to access the regional stage of the competition. The winning start-up will get access to two full months of the Investment Readiness Program and get local and regional visibility.

In order to provide local entrepreneurs with this opportunity and to deliver the best possible event, Seedstars is working closely with the Australian Government and the GSMA. www.seedstarsworld.com ABOUT SEEDSTARS

"They tried to bury us, they didn't know we were seeds." - Mexican proverb Seedstars is a Swiss-based private group of companies with a mission to impact people's lives in emerging markets through technology and entrepreneurship. The groups' activities cover over 80 emerging ecosystems through a variety of events such as the Seedstars World Competition, acceleration programs,

physical hubs called Seedspace, venture capital investments and company building activities.

ABOUT SEEDSTARS WORLD COMPETITION Seedstars World is the world's largest startup competition in emerging markets. For the past six years, Seedstars Teams travel around for a 9-month world tour and scout for the best early-stage start-ups in 65+ countries, organizing 100+ events. One winner is selected to represent each country visited, and is invited to attend the Regional Stage of the competition. Local winners are also awarded the chance to represent their countries at the Seedstars Summit, the competition's final happening in Switzerland, where startups compete for up to \$500,000 in investment. The Seedstars Summit is the flagship event of Seedstars, filled with breakout sessions, panel discussions, specialized workshops and the best minds from emerging markets.

Press Contact:

High-resolution photos, logos, as well as press information and interview options are available on demand.

Media Relations, Seedstars

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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE REVIEW OF THE SAMOA NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT POLICY (SNEP) 2016-2020 & DEVELOPMENT OF SNEP 2021-2025

PROJECT OVERVIEW AND ROLE

The Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Labour (MCIL) in collaboration with support from the International Labour Organization (ILO) will conduct the review of the current Samoa National Employment Policy 2016-2020 and the development of the next Samoa National Employment Policy 2021-2025.

The objective of the consultancy assignment is to support: (i) the review of the Samoa National Employment Policy 2016-2020, (ii) the development of the Samoa National Employment Policy 2021-2025, and (iii) capacity building for SNEP implementation, under the overall guidance of the Task Force Committee and supervision of both Assistant CEOs of the Apprenticeship, Employment and Labour Market (AELM) and the Industrial Relations, Work Permit and OSH (IRWPOSH) divisions of MCIL, and in collaboration with the ILO.

The SNEP 2021-2025 in the context of the socio-economic recovery from COVID-19 shall address selected country-specific future of work challenges, such as demographic change, climate change and natural disasters, labour mobility, globalization and transition to the formal economy. The overall SNEP will be aligned with the integrated approach to employment strategies, including the provisions made in Employment Policy Convention, 1964 (No. 122), promoting a coherent policy framework for creating more and better jobs, focusing on gender-responsive and results-based national employment policies and country-specific challenges concerning the future of work.

The Consultant will work closely with the Assistant CEOs of the Apprenticeship, Employment and Labour Market (AELM) & the Industrial Relations, and Work Permit and OSH (IRWPOSH) of MCIL, ILO Office in Samoa and the ILO Employment Specialist from ILO Asia Pacific Regional Office in Bangkok.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

The deliverables of the consultancy are expected to contribute to the following outcomes at the national level:

- * Supporting the review of the current National Employment Policy and development of the next NEP will assist MCIL and other key national stakeholders to develop and implement a concerted and coherent employment policy framework in the socio-economic recovery from COVID-19. MCIL will have an integrated NEP framework to advance productive employment and decent work for all, both in the formal and informal sectors, as well as in terms of gender, age, qualification, wages and salaries, specific skills as well as other labour market aspects.
- * Ensuring the commitment of the Samoan National Tripartite Forum (SNTF) to the recommendations of the findings from Samoa Rapid Assessment Survey June-Aug 2020 on the impact of the COVID-19 on employment and enterprises is consistent with refocusing of national programmes to address the impact of COVID-19 and country-specific future of work challenges, including natural disasters. A full TOR including the scope of work and selection criteria can be obtained from the MCIL's website: www.mcil.gov.ws or Sa'u Taupisi Fa'amau on email: taupisi@mcil.gov.ws or from our main office at:- Level 4, Accident Compensation Corporation Building, APIA

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Submission of Expression of Interest responding to this invitation should be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Commerce Industry and Labour, Level 4 Accident Compensation Corporation Building, APIA or email to: Sa'u Taupisi Fa'amau (taupisi@mcil.gov.ws) before closure of business on Friday, 9 October 2020 For further information regarding this Technical Assistance, please contact Sa'u Taupisi Fa'amau on telephone number 20441or 32548.

SOIA, UA LAVA NA

Onosa i, pulea lou loto, e filemū ai aiga ma nu'u.
E lē o se tatou aganu'u ma se fa'akerisiano le fasi.



60%

tamaitai i Samoa ua aafia i sauaga i va faaleulugalii



90%

tamaiti i Samoa sa molimauina pe aafia i sauaga i totonu o aiga



90%

o matua tausi sa aafia i sauaga i totonu o aiga



100%

o i latou e iai aafiaga tumau o le soifua sa aafia i sauaga i totonu o aiga

Family Safety Study 2017



SROS EXTENDS ITS TESTING CAPACITY TO TEST AFRICAN SWINE FEVER (ASF)

African swine fever (ASF)

The virus is highly **resistant to low temperatures** and can survive for extended periods of time in the blood, feces and tissue of infected animals.

ASF is a **highly contagious**, transboundary viral disease (*Asteriviridae* family, *Asfivirus* genus).

It can affect both domestic and wild pigs (wild boars and peccaries). **It is harmless to humans.**

According to the OIE, **24%** of its member countries (48 out of 200) **have reported the disease** as present since 2016.

Typical clinical signs of ASF are similar to those of classical swine fever (which is endemic in several countries of the Americas); therefore, a **laboratory test** is required to distinguish them.

The **peracute** form of the virus causes sudden death with few signs.

African swine fever can be transmitted through **direct contact** between sick and healthy animals. It can also be transmitted **indirectly** through feed containing meat from infected animals (the virus can remain infectious for 3 to 6 months in uncooked pork products); **biological vectors** such as ticks of the genus *Ornithodoros*; and contaminated **inanimate objects** (fomites) that can transmit the virus.

Global alarms went off in August 2018, when an ASF outbreak was first reported in **China**. The disease swept through the entire Asian country and spread to **Mongolia, Vietnam, Cambodia and Hong Kong**.

According to official data for this period, more than **2.5 million domestic pigs** have died or been killed—67.6% of them in Asia over the past 10 months.

Between 2016 and May 2019, there were a total of **10,211 outbreaks in Africa, Europe and Asia**.

Symptoms include **fever, loss of appetite**, low energy, abortion, internal hemorrhages, visible hemorrhages, and even death.

PR - Adding onto its capacity and ability for COVID-19 diagnostics testing, SROS is now extending that testing capability and technical service to test for African Swine Fever (ASF).

The ASF is a viral disease currently affecting pig industries worldwide, and has a high mortality rate once pigs are infected with it. ASF can be transported in pig feed, feed components, fresh and frozen pork and processed pork products. In the absence of vaccines, monitoring and control of ASF by diagnostic methods are crucial components of a control program. The preferred PCR-based diagnostic testing for ASF detection is designed to identify the virus by detecting its DNA, rather than antibodies that are generated against it, allowing earlier detection of the virus compared to other diagnostic methods.

The generous financial assistance from UNDP, UNICEF and the

Government of Samoa that equipped SROS with Real Time – quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-qPCR) for COVID-19 diagnostics, the same equipment (together with ASF specific consumables and test kits) has enabled SROS carry out ASF molecular diagnostics as well. The PCR method is the preferred detection technology now in use for the ASF outbreak currently affecting China and other countries of the world.

The equipment is state of the art and a new generation of RT-qPCR. It was procured together with much needed consumables from Thermo Fisher Scientific Company at their distributors located in New Zealand and Australia. The ThermoFisher ASF detection real-time PCR workflow passed the stringent performance and validation assessment protocol which ensures the validity and reliability of

test results and reports.

Three days intensive refresher training was conducted online for SROS scientists by experts of ThermoFisher Scientific. The training comprised both theory and practical, with an overall objective of making sure that SROS scientists are fully trained in the equipment's safe handling and thoroughly understand the ASF PCR protocol involved. With the RT-qPCR now on site and the availability of the trained competent scientists, SROS has the capacity to do molecular diagnostic tests for ASF virus.

The Government of Samoa acknowledges with great appreciation UNDP and UNICEF for their generous support and commitment in strengthening Samoa's ASF virus response through SROS.



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PUBLIC NOTICE
PUBLIC HOLIDAY FOR WHITE SUNDAY 2020

In accordance with section 2 of the Public Holidays Act 2008, the public, government agencies, and the private sector are hereby advised that **Monday, 12th October 2020** is to be treated as a Public Holiday for White Sunday.

Shops selling goods may open during Public Holidays in accordance with the provisions of the Public Holidays Act 2008. However, employers are advised to comply with relevant provisions under the Labour and Employment Relations Act 2013 pertinent to employees working on Public Holidays.

Please note the *Amended State of Emergency 'SOE' Order issued up to 26th September 2020* is still in effect. Accordingly, the public and private sector must adhere to this order. The opening hours for supermarkets are as follows:

- Monday - Saturday: 6am – 7pm
- Sunday: 3pm – 7pm

For further information, please contact the Industrial Relations, Employment Permits & Occupational Safety and Health Division at telephone (+685) 20441/20442.

Thank you,

Leulua'iali'i Ioane Okesene
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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FAASILASILAGA FAALAUATELE
ASO MALOLO MO TAGATA UMA MO LE LOTU A TAMAITI 2020

E tusa ai ma aiaiga o le Fuaiupu e 2 o le Tulafono o Aso Malolo mo Tagata Uma 2008 e fa'aaioa atu ai e fa'apea, o le fa'amamaluina le **Aso Gafua, 12 Oketopa 2020** e aveva ma Aso Malolo mo tagata uma mo le fa'amanatuina o le Lotu a Tamaiti.

E mafai ona tatalaina faleoloa mo le fa'atauina o oloa i Aso Malolo e tusa ai ma aiaiga o le Tulafono o Aso Malolo mo Tagata Uma 2008. E toe fa'aioa ma fa'amanatu atu i tagata e ona galuega e utagia ia tu'utu'uga i le fa'afaigaluegaina o tagata faigaluega i Aso Malolo e tusa ai ma aiaiga i lalo o le Tulafono So'otaga Va Lelei o Leipa ma Galuega 2013.

E fautuaina le mamalu o le atunu'u ina ia utagia aiaiga ma tu'utu'uga o *Teuteuga o le Poloaiga o Fa'alavelave Tutupu Faafuase'i na tu'uina atu seia o'o mai i le aso 26 Setema 2020*. O itula fa'atulagaina nei mo le tatalaina o supamaketi:

- Aso Gafua – Aso To'ona'i: 6 i le taeao – 7 i le afiafi
- Aso Sa: 3 i le afiafi – 7 i le afiafi

Mo nisi fa'amatalaga, fa'amolemole fa'afeso'otai mai le Vaega o le Va Fealoai i Galuega, Pemitā mo Tagata Faigaluega, Saogalemu ma le Soifua Maloloina i Galuega i le telefoni 20441/20442.

Fa'afetai,

Leulua'iali'i Ioane Okesene
SUI OFISA SILI O PULEGA

O lo'o fa'agasolo i le taimi nei, le galuega tele a le Ofisa o Fuainumera Fa'amauina, mo fa'amaumauga o tagatanu'u uma o Samoa o lo'o aumau i Samoa nei, auā taumafaiga mo le Poloketi ua fa'aigoaina o le National ID.

Peita'i o lo'o tauala fo'i i lea galuega tele, le una'i a le Malo i lana vaai mamao, ia sa'o atoatoa fa'amaumauga o le faitau aofa'i o tagata Samoa, e fa'amauina mai lenei galuega, o le ala lea, ua fa'asafua atu ai ma le ta'i \$50 mai le Fa'amāma Avega a le Malo, mo le atunuu lautele, a'o feagai ai le lalolagi ma mafa-

tiaga i āuga o le Koviti – 19.

Peita'i o lea taumafaiga lelei a le Malo, ua fa'auigaina sesē e nisi ma o latou te'ena ai lea fesoasoani i le mafaufauga, o le fa'atosina lea a le Faigamalo mo le Palota o lumana'i ai, ae manatu nisi o le Polokiki lea ua lotolotoi i totonu o lea auaunaga a le Malo, ma o se ala fa'atiāpolo lea faiga ua fa'ataunu'u ai e le Malo, lana fesoasoani mo le atunuu lautele.

Ina ua fesiligia finagalo o nisi o le atunu'u, e uiga i ia manatu, ma o le latou mau e fa'apea;



**Samuel Molio'o
59 tausaga o Lotofaga**

E ui e le'i o'o atu lea fesoasoani a le Malo i le matou aiga, ona o lea lava e fa'agasolo, atonu e o'o atu i le vaiaso fou, ua o'o atu isi o matou aiga, ae lagona lava le loto fa'afetai i le Malo, ona o le tofā ua a'e e fa'asafua atu ai nei fesoasoani mo le mamalu lautele o le atunu'u. O fesoasoani fa'apea sa lilo i manatu e mafai e le Malo ona fa'atino, a'o lea ua aapa le Malo e fa'atino le latou fesoasoani mo tagata uma, fa'afetai. O fesoasoani lē aumau ia ua tatou maua, ona a silasila i le tulaga o lo'o i ai galuega i le taimi nei, e i ai nisi o aiga ua a'afia le tulaga o galuega mo nai fanau ona o a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19.

O finagalo fa'aālia o nisi tagata e tusa o lea fesoasoani, e i ai lo'u taofi o le uiga lava nei o tatou tagata, e i ai le ola masalosalo aemaise lava lenei vaitaimi i le aga atu i le faiga palota tele. Peita'i, o le tagata lava ia e talitonu ma fa'amaoni i luma o le Atua, e leai se mea o le a tatou masalosalo ai fua. E tatau ona tatou fa'afetaia le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua, i lona agaga galue i Ta'ita'i o le atunu'u e fa'amatu'u mai ai nei fesoasoani mo tatou.



**Folasaitu Safia
60 tausaga o Tuana'i.**

O le fesoasoani a le Malo o lo'o fa'agasolo nei, e 'ese le telē o lona aogā ma lona tāua i totonu o aiga. A tatou tilotilo i le tulaga a'afia o atunu'u o le lalolagi, aemaise o a'afiaga o galuega i totonu o le tatou atunu'u, ona o le Koviti - 19, ona tatou fa'apea ane lea, fa'afetai i le Atua, i nei tupe ua auala mai le Malo e tausi ai o matou aiga ma fanau. E leai se isi i totonu o le atunu'u e i ai sana pusa tupe e tausi ai lona aiga. E o'o lava i tagata faipisinisi, o lo'o taumafai fo'i latou e atia'e pisinisi. O lea fo'i ua tatou va'ava'ai i le tulaga a'afia o nai isi fanau ona o tulaga tau i galuega i totonu o faletalimalo, faleaiga ma isi, ona ua leai ni tagata tafafao mai fafo sa fa'alagolago i ai le tupe maua a ia pisinisi. E na'o tagata e tele tupe ma tele ana oa e mafai ona manatu i ituaiga manatu fa'apea. O masalosalo fo'i nei, e masalosalo i ai tagata ua masani i ituaiga tupe e maua mai i faiga palota. A'o tatou lava ia e taumafai e tausi aiga ma fanau, ma tautua ekalesia ma nu'u, tatou te mo'omia ituaiga fesoasoani nei e pei ona taumafai i ai le Malo e tausi ai o tatou aiga.

Fa'afetai i le Atua o lo'o malutia pea Samoa i ona ā'ao alofa, ma fa'asaina mai tatou mai le Koviti - 19. A'o a'afiaga o le fa'ama'i, lea e i ai le talitonuga, o le ala lea o le fesoasoani a le Malo. E i ai lo'u taofi, so'o se Malo lava, e tatau ona a'e le tofā e fa'atino ai se fesoasoani fa'apea mo ona tagata. E leai se Malo e fa'asamasamanoa le fa'atinoga o ana galuega ma ana fa'ai'uga fai.



**Faiupu Fa'amanatu
50 tausaga o Vailele**

O la'u fesili, aisea e ala ai ona tatou fa'amasino i fesoasoani a le Malo ua tu'uina mai mo tatou aiga? O lea ua silafia e Samoa atoa le auga ma le fa'amoemoe o le Malo e fa'asafua mai ai lenei seleni, o fesoasoani mo aiga ona o a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19, e ui e le'i o'o mai le fa'ama'i i Samoa, a'o lea e fa'atāua pea e le Malo ona tagata. O lea ua tatou molimauina a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19 i atunu'u o le lalolagi, aemaise lava atunu'u o lo'o i ai a tatou fanau ma aiga, sa fa'amoemoe i ai i seleni e lafo mai e fesoasoani ai i le tausiga o aiga. Ae fa'afetai i le Malo i le tofā ua a'e e tufatufa mai ai sina seleni e fesoasoani ai i tatou aiga. Pe \$50 tala le tupe tatou te maua, ae fa'afetai o lea e fa'agasolo lava fuafuaga a le Malo ma tagataga'i mai i nai o tatou aiga, ma le tulaga o lo'o i ai.

Fa'afetai mo nei fesoasoani ua tatou maua e tausi ai aiga ma 'ave ai nai fanau i aoga. Ae tatou tu'u le polokiki i tagata o lo'o taa'alo ai, auā e le faia mai e le Malo lau fa'ai'uga i le tagata e te palota i ai. Afai e te fa'amaoni i le tagata e te palota i ai, po'o fea lava le vaega fa'aupufai e tauva mai ai, o lau lena aiā tatau. O le tagata lava ia e talitonu e leai se mea e faigatā i le Atua, e lē ola masalosalo. Afai lava o lena ua mauu le tagata e te palota i ai, tusa lava pe fa'asafua mai fesoasoani a le Malo, ae a e fa'amaoni lava oe i lau sui tauva, e leai se mea o le a a'afia ai fua fesoasoani a le Malo, lea o lo'o tu'uina mai mo tatou aiga lima vaivai.



**Paulila Tumua
48 tausaga o Magiagi**

O le matuā telē lava o le fesoasoani lenei a le Malo isi o matou aiga. E to'avalu le aofa'i o si o matou aiga, ma o se tupe tele sa maua mai ai e fesoasoani i le tausiga o nai fanau ma aiga. E fa'afetaia ai le Malo ona o nei fesoasoani ua tu'uina mai mo tatou aiga, auā e i ai lo'u taofi o fa'amanuiga le aumau lea ua tatou maua. Tatou fa'afetaia laia o le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua, ona o lana foai e ala mai i le Malo mo tatou aiga.

O a fo'i ni manatu ua fa'aālia e nisi o le atunu'u, ia e tonu lava le tagata ia i ona manatu. O le taimi nei, afai ua tatou maua sina fa'amanuiga mai le Malo, ona tatou fa'apea ane lea, fa'afetai le Atua i lou agaga sa galue i Ta'ita'i o le matou atunu'u, lea ua tatou maua ai. E fa'anoanoa lava le loto pe afai o manatu ia o nisi. Ona o lea e taumafai le Malo e avatu fesoasoani e tausi ai aiga, a'o lea fo'i ua tatou fa'amasino le mafua'aga ua fa'asafua ai nei fesoasoani. Ia tatou talia fesoasoani ua tu'uina atu mo le tausiga o tatou fanau ma tatou aiga, auā o le Malo lea e aumai ai fesoasoani, o le Malo a tatou. O le Malo mo tagatanu'u o Samoa, e le fa'apea o tagata Samoa ae pulea mai e isi Malo. O le natura lava lea o le tagata Samoa, o le fa'amasino, ae i lo'u taofi, e leai lava se fa'amasino sili nai le fa'amasinoga a le Atua. O tatou lea tatou te galulue i lalo nei, ae o lo'o silasila fofoga o le Ali'i i le tagata ma lana o lo'o fai.



**Senia Luka
58 tausaga o Aleipata**

O manatu ma finagalo fa'aālia a tatou tagata e fa'atatau i le fesoasoani a le Malo o lo'o tufatufa mai, atonu o manatunatuga ia o latou loto. E tonu lava le tagata i ona manatu, ae lē mafai ona aumai manatu nei e atia'e ai aiga ma tausi ai fanau. Fa'afetai i le Atua e le'o afea Samoa i le fa'ama'i o lo'o vevesi ai le lalolagi ma ma'imau ai le fia afe o soifua o tagata o isi atunu'u. O fesoasoani a le Malo o lo'o fa'asafua nei, ou te lagona le loto fa'afetai, ona o le fa'atāua a le Malo ia tatou ma tatou aiga. E ui e le'i o'o mai lenei fa'ama'i ia Samoa, ae o lo'o aumai pea le fa'amaua a le Malo i tatou aiga.

Fa'afetai tele lava i le Malo mo le seleni o lo'o tufatufaina mai mo tatou aiga. O a'u e to'a 10 le matou aiga, a fua mai la, e \$500 le tupe atoa a lo'u aiga sa maua. O nei tupe, e leai lava se tagata e nofonofu maua lea ituaiga tupe, ai se'iloga ta te alu e fai se nonogatupe i se faletupe po'o se fale loan ona fa'atoa maua lea. O le uiga lava nei a o tatou tagata mai lava i aso ua tuana'i, e masalosalo solo le loto po'o fea e aumai ai lea mea ma lea mea. O le mea lea e i ai, e fiu le Malo e taumafai atina'e mo le aga'i i luma o le atunu'u, ae e i ai lava tagata latou te taumafai e fa'alēaoga taumafaiga o lo'o taumafai i ai. O lea lava e ia tatou le tulaga lea, e va'ai atu loa ua lelei mai lea, e taumafai lava e fai se mea e titō ai lalo. A ia tatou manatua, e le'o le finagalo lea o le Atua.



**Avia Petaia
43 tausaga o Leauva'a**

Ou te fa'afetai la a'u i le Malo ona o le tofā na a'e e aumai ai lenei fesoasoani mo tatou aiga. Lenei vaitau ma le fa'ama'i o lo'o vevesi ai le lalolagi, ua a'afia ai le tele o galuega a nai o tatou aiga i atunu'u i fafo sa fa'alagolago i ai nai o tatou aiga, a'o lenei ua maua sia fa'amanuiga e tausi ai aiga ma fanau. O nei fesoasoani e tasi lava lona auga e fesoasoani ai i aiga, ona o le lima vaivai o lo'o i ai nei, fa'apea nisi o aiga ua a'afia le tulaga o galuega a nai a latou fanau ona o a'afiaga o le Koviti - 19. E fa'afetaia pea le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua ia Samoa ma ona tagata, ona o lo'o malutia pea si o tatou atunu'u i ona a'ao alofa.

I lo'u taofi i manatu o nisi o le atunu'u, e tusa o fesoasoani a le Malo o lo'o tufatufaina atu, e tonu lava le tagata i ona manatu. E leai se Malo e nofonofu ae le galulue mo ona tagata. Lea ua tatou molimauina le tele o atina'e ua fa'atino e le Malo, e lagona ai le fa'agae'etia, ona sa le'i i ai ni atina'e fa'apea i aso ua tuana'i. O lea tatou te aga'i i luma, o galuega fo'i ia e fa'atino e le Malo, e mo le aga'i i luma o tatou tagata. E i ai fo'i le talitonuga, o nei atina'e uma, e le'o faia e le Malo e manuia ai le Malo, o lea ua tatou fa'alagolago i ta'iala mo le atina'e o le atunu'u, o nei fuafuaga a le Malo e mo le manuia o tagata lautele. E uma atu tatou, fa'apea i latou o lo'o Ta'ita'ia le atunu'u, ae fotua'i mai le isi augāpupulaga o le a latou fa'aauuina ma aogā i 'ai latou nei atina'e. E pei fo'i o totonu o tatou aiga, so'o se atina'e lava e taumafai le tamā ma le tinā e fa'atino, e tasi lava le auga, e mo fanau o lo'o fotua'i mai, ina ia aogā mo i latou.

MANUIA TELE LE ASO SA PA'EPA'E O LE FANAU



Alofa'aga ma Faamanuiaga: Pulega & Aufaigaluega - Matagaluega a le Palemia ma le Kapeneta