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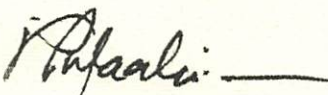
To: Secretary of Samoan Affairs, CEOs, Presidents and Executive Directors of
Authorities, Directors, Agency and Office Heads

From: Governor of American Samoa

Subject: Delegation of Authority – Medicaid Office

The Director of the Medicaid Office, Mrs. Louise L. Kuaea, will be off-island from August 13, 2026 to August 28, 2026. In her absence, I hereby designate Deputy Director, Mr. Austin Asiata as Acting Director until Mrs. Kuaea returns.

Please give Mr. Asiata your full support and cooperation.


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