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**GENERAL MEMORANDUM NO. 016 – 26**

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 – Office of Program Planning and Budget

The Director for the Office of Program Planning and Budget, Ms. Taua E. Niualama Taifane, will be off-island January 30, 2026 to February 15, 2026. In her absence, I hereby designate Deputy Director, Mr. Aokuso Satia, as Acting Director until Ms. Taifane returns.

Please give Mr. Satia your full support and cooperation.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pulaali'i Nikolao Pula".

Pulaali'i Nikolao Pula  
Governor