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GENERAL MEMORANDUM NO. 048 – 25

To:

Secretary of Samoan Affairs, CEOs, Presidents and Executive Directors of

Authorities, Directors, Agency and Office Heads

From:

Acting Governor of American Samoa

Subject:

Response to Current Weather Conditions

Severe weather is affecting American Samoa and is expected to remain with us in the coming days. Some parts of our Territory are being seriously impacted, resulting in injuries and property damage. The following actions will help ensure the safety of the people of American Samoa. Beginning today through Friday, February 21, 2025:

- 1. Government offices lacking power or made unsafe by current weather conditions may be closed or limit operations. Supervisors are responsible for notifying employees regarding work site safety.
- 2. ASG Employees should follow their regular assigned schedule. If unsafe conditions prohibit you from reporting to work, please notify your supervisor.

More information about current weather conditions can be obtained from the local office of the National Weather Service.

The Governor's office will continue to work with the appropriate Government agencies and update our response if and when necessary. Please take precautions to make yourselves and your families secure, and join me in praying for everyone's safety.

Sincerely,

Pulumataala Ae Ae, Jr.

Acting Governor