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O lo'o fa'agasolo pea galuega fa'aleleia mo Falema'i

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

"Ou te iō 'alo i le ata o le lā'au, ma ou te fa'asa'oa lelei finagalo fa'aālia o le mamaulu lautele o le atunu'u i le tulaga fa'aletonu ua i ai le falema'i," Valasi Luapitofanua To'ogamaga Tafito Selesete.

I le feiloāiga a le Savali ma le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina, na ia fa'aīloa manino ai lu'itau o lo'o feagai pe a ma le auaunaga ona o le mo'omia o le toe fa'aleleia o le falema'i tele i Moto'otua fa'apea ai falema'i uma fa'aitumālō.

Mo le falema'i i Moto'otua, fa'aīloa e le Minisitā, ua leva ona tupu lea fa'afitaui, ma na te lē tu'uā'ia se tasi, auā o le fausaga na fausia ai lea falema'i, na faia lava e tusa o le agalelei ma le alofa mai o le Mālō o Saina.

O le fausaga o vaega 'ese'ese o le falema'i, e
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PSC, MoH and Medical Doctors applauded

By: Nanai Taofiga Laveitiga Tuiletufuga

"At the end of the day, it's about serving the people of the country," confesses the Minister of Health, Valasi Luapitofanua To'ogamaga Tafito Selesete as he addresses the progress of the latest negotiations between the Public Service Commission (PSC), the Ministry of Health (MoH), and the Samoa Medical Association.

Ironically, a strike by the SMA was never in the books or in the negotiations between the Government and the medical doctors. However the option tabled by the SMA if they are unhappy with the brainstorming outcome is a "work to rule" which will see doctors reporting for duties from 8: am to 4:00 pm Monday to Friday as prescribed by their working contracts with MoH.

Compensation for additional or overtime hours will be subject to negotiations with the Ministry.

For Specialists, their overtime compensation will be replaced by a Responsibility Allowance which is equivalent to 60% of their wages payable regardless of whether they work overtime or not.

The medical profession is reviewing the proposal while PSC has tabled its recommendation to Cabinet for review and approval.

But the Director General of Health, Aiono Dr. Alec Ekeroma is optimistic that the "work to rule" option will not materialize noting "once the disinformation dissipates."

The disinformation, continued Aiono "will dissipate, with the PSC and



"I have confidence that whatever the outcome, the final decision will be made by the authorities in charge based on best interest of the people," Minister of Health, Valasi Luapitofanua To'ogamaga Tafito Selesete on the ongoing negotiations to resolve income issues for medical staff. (SEE STORY FOR DETAILS).

the Ministry continuing to communicate that there has been no change to the salaries and overtime conditions for the doctors who are not on contracts," he continued.

"Most of the doctors on contracts will have a pay increase, some by about \$50K. Only about five doctors on contracts will have a reduction in pay as they will not be able to claim high overtime hours but will receive Responsibility Allowances of up to 60% that is paid with their salaries every fortnight."

While awaiting the outcome, Health Minister Valasi in an exclusive interview offered his compliments to all parties involved in the ongoing

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Samoa's Official Foreign Reserves has now exceeded SAT\$1.0 billion

(PRESS RELEASE, CENTRAL BANK OF SAMOA)- In May 2023, the country's official foreign reserve level was recorded at Samoa Tala \$1.01 billion, a historical high and reflecting a healthy external position for the Samoan economy to date.

At this level, it was equivalent to 10.3 months of import cover, well above the minimum of 4.0 months of imports of goods that

is considered sufficient and adequate for the viability of Samoa's foreign reserves.

The country's foreign exchange reserves are largely sourced from the inflow of official aid from Samoa's development partners as well private sector inflows from tourism receipts, remittances and export earnings to name a few.

The valuable and ongoing assistance from Samoa's development partners over the years, and particularly the last three years to assist with the Government's COVID-19 response, the re-opening of Samoa's international borders since August 2022 and the steady rebuilding of the tourism industry in addition to high private remittances, have contributed notably to the current level of official foreign reserves.

At the same time, given the high global downside risks, uncertainties relating to the pandemic and increasing challenges from external factors (such as the high costs of international commodity prices for imported fuel and food), the Central Bank of Samoa also maintained an adequate administration of Exchange Control measures to cushion significant payment outflows over the last few years.

Approximately 93 percent of the country's official foreign exchange reserves remain well-diversified across the major reserve currencies, highly liquid and safely secured in various overseas banks, including other major central banks.

The other 7 percent represent the country's holdings of Special Drawing Rights (SDR) and Reserve Fund Position with the International Monetary Fund. Consistent with its mandate, the Central Bank will continue to prudently manage these holdings of foreign exchange reserves and ensure it is maintained at an adequate level to facilitate the country's international obligations.

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Health Sector, PSC & Medical Doctors marches on with negotiations

By: Leota Marc Membrere

Talks of a potential strike by the Samoa Medical Association, (SMA) may have been put to rest following a 3 hour meeting between the Ministry of Health, (MoH) Management and SMA last Friday.

Instead, the SMA members would resort to a "work to rule" as a compromise, according to the Director-General of Health, Aiono Dr. Alec Ekeroma.

But in the meantime, negotiations continue between the Health Sector Management, Public Service Commission, (PSC) and MoH.

The latest developments are outlined by Aiono in an exclusive, Question and Answer interview via email on Wednesday.

Published verbatim are the MoH's responses to questions posed by the Savali News.

1. SAVALI NEWS (SN) - Regarding the Doctor's Strike, the Samoa Medical Association has "shelved" their possible strike until the end of this week while they await PSC to come back to them with a new proposal. Should the SMA address their grievances through to MoH as the Prime Minister voiced in Parliament last week instead of going straight to PSC?

DIRECTOR-GENERAL (DG) - The PSC has explained

that the process is for the SMA to discuss concerns with the MoH. The MoH management met with the SMA last Friday for three hours explaining and clarifying the PSC position but also to listen to concerns from the hospital doctors and those who work in the sector.

2. SN - If the doctors go on strike are there any contingency plans in place for the hospital? What actions will the MoH take?

DG - It has not been termed a strike but a "work to rule" which meant working 8am-4pm Monday to Friday. We have had meetings discussing contingency plans. I cannot reveal all the plans. The first one however will be to notify the public, as we did during COVID19 closure, to present to hospitals during working hours and reserve the after-hours for urgent cases. There will be doctors on duty to care for urgent cases and emergencies.

3. SN - What is the exact view of MoH

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Aiono Dr. Alec Ekeroma
DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF HEALTH

in regards to salary/overtime grievances raised by the SMA? The association has raised the issue is not all doctors. But, the point they wish to raise is that there have been doctors who are still sitting on the same salary since they started 5/10 years ago.

DG - But I don't believe the doctors will work to rule once the disinformation dissipates. It will dissipate, with the PSC and the Ministry continuing to communicate that there has been no change to the salaries and overtime conditions for the doctors who are not on contracts. Most of the doctors on contracts will have a pay increase, some by about \$50K. Only about five doctors on contracts will have a reduction in pay as they will not be able to claim high overtime hours but will receive

Responsibility Allowances of up to 60% that is paid with their salaries every fortnight.

We will be advertising for six overseas specialists, approved by the Health Practices Advisory Committee and announced by the Hon Minister in parliament to assist our workforce to reduce overtime work hours for safety and quality and to train our local doctors. We need to address the postgraduate training and specialization of doctors and nurses in the various fields of need.

The PSC review is ongoing and the Ministry will be using the opportunity to review and advocate for the wages of doctors, nurses and other workers in the Ministry, based on the principles of fairness and guided by the policies of PSC and to what our country can afford.

PSC gives doctors 7 days to consider negotiated proposed offer

By: Leota Marc Membrere

The Public Service Commission (PSC) Chairman Nonu Lemauga Saleimoa Vaai has clarified that they are awaiting Cabinet approval of a proposal to address compensation, allowances, salaries issues raised by the Samoa Medical Association, (SMA).

In an exclusive, Question and Answer interview via email on Wednesday, Nonu clarified that 7 days for Doctors to consider the negotiated proposed offer or consider Service Agreements.

Published verbatim are the PSC's responses to questions posed by the Savali News.

1. SAVALI NEWS (SN) - What is the update of the negotiations of PSC and MoH to complete the merger? Is there a time frame for it to be completed?

PSC CHAIRMAN (PC) - Awaiting Cabinet approval of the proposed offer following negotiations with MoH as voiced in Parliament by Minister of Health.

2. SN - Will PSC give time to the doctors to go over the merger, or will PSC push through with it soon?

PC - Will be given 7 days for doctors to consider the negotiated proposed offer or consider Service Agreements - mainly for Senior doctors who would opt to go private and work contracted hours at a negotiated rate with MoH to assist staff shortage.

3. SN - Should SMA have brought their grievances straight to MoH to bring to PSC instead of directly to PSC as the Prime Minister voiced in Parliament last week?

PC - That's the protocol mentioned by P.M. The SMA have held meetings with MoH then MoH to PSC. As mentioned before, SMA wrote to PSC and were invited to a meeting with PSC. SMA were advised in meeting to liaise directly with MoH as a number of SMA senior members are also MoH Management - Heads of Units

4. SN - If PSC following the merge four years ago executed the proposed changes under the Public Service Commission



Act 2004 would the situation be as it is now?

PC - Would have helped a lot today administration wise had the merger took place 4 years prior as it is today.

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talks.

He is delighted to note that all parties have come to the table with one intention to ensure that quality health care for the public is not interrupted.

"It would be amiss for me if I do not publicly applaud the PSC, Ministry of Health and the Samoa Medical Association for coming to terms," complimented the Minister. "The Government as the service provider is doing everything possible with the resources available to ensure that quality of health is available regardless."

With the same token, the Health Minister

stressed that it is the duty and responsibility of the medical fraternity to serve the public.

Valasi acknowledge that the present predicament was inherited by the Government of the Day when amended legislation approved by Parliament in 2019 authorized the return of the Health Sector into one Ministry. Prior to 2019, there were two authorities in the Health Sector which included the Ministry of Health and the National Health Services, (NHS)

However, legislative regulations needed for medical staff to be returned under government or the Public Service Commission was not addressed. As a result, the former NHS staff,

(doctors, nurses and medical staff) remained paid under NHS lucrative rates.

The oversight has cost taxpayers thousands of tala in compensation, overtime and allowances for medical staff.

But the PSC under new management has since taken notice and have started addressing the issues which prompted the current review and negotiations with the MoH and the SMA.

"Government is not pointing fingers," clarified Valasi. "As the Minister in charge and responsible for the health security of the nation, Governments' primary objective is to ensure quality health care and treatment is at

the disposal of all and every resident."

"I have confidence that whatever the outcome, the final decision will be made by the authorities in charge based on best interest of the people," added Valasi.

He humbled himself by apologizing to the medical professionals if his recent public statements in parliament may have discredited their loyal services to the people.

"As your Minister and leader of our Health Sector, hard decisions must be made regardless of the consequences and I apologize if this was misinterpreted by our medical professions," he concluded.

Japan aids Samoa in waste management efforts



All for sake of Waste Management. Various partners in the environment sector came together to celebrate the continuous work of SRWMA. (Photo: Jasmine Netzler-Iose)

By: Jasmine Netzler - Iose

Early this week Japan's Ambassador to Samoa presented the Samoa Recycling and Waste Management Association with four vehicles that will aid in the organisation's efforts to a greener and cleaner Samoa.

Three dump trucks and a fork loader were officially handed over to the association to assist in their waste management efforts across the country on Monday morning at Tafaigata Landfill where SRWMA's office is located.

Ambassador Keisuke Senta in his address said the vehicles were funded under Japan's Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects (GGP) for a total of SAT346,000.

The vehicles formerly used by Japanese local public organisations, underwent a meticulous reconditioning process to ensure their optimal performance and functionality he said.

The assistance further strengthens the ties between the two nations and prompts Japan's commitment to promoting recycling and environmental education.

"Japan's commitment in promoting recycling and environmental education is unwavering," the Ambassador stressed.

And, as a global leader in sustainable practices, Japan has consistently demonstrated its dedication to addressing environmental challenges.

"But providing these vehicles to SRWMA, Japan aims to support and enhance Samoa's waste management and recycling efforts," he closed.

The tools will serve as very valuable tools according to the Vice President of SRWMA Silafau Iosefo Sio assisting their society in their waste collection work.

He said the association is also working tirelessly in many other projects to ensure waste is managed and controlled across the country.

Silafau revealed that SRWMA was currently working on trialing the recycling of bottles into headstones.

But it is being trialed and when that is finalised will look at extending the project to local community for any interest.

The society that aims for sustainable recycling and acceptable waste management practices currently have two containers on site at Tafaigata filled with plastic bottles scheduled once fully filled to be shipped to Australia for recycling.

This is according to the Vice President, a pledge that aims at the collection of 1.5million plastic bottles for recycling with this overseas recycling company.

The first shipment has already left Samoa while two containers are standing on site, one already filled and the second close to being filled up but according to a member of the organisation their society has already over



SRWMA staff following the handover ceremony of vehicles. Photo: Jasmine Netzler-Iose



Ambassador of Japan to Samoa Keisuke Senta, Deacon Falaniko Tamiano, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment (MNRE) Honourable Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster and Vice President of Samoa Recycling and Waste Management Association Silafau Ione Sio.

Photo: Jasmine Netzler-Iose

exceeded the 1.5million pledge.

Minister of Natural Resources and Environment Honourable Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster in his address revealed that waste management is a major issue in the country.

He reminisced in his early years in the environmental sector when Vaitoloa was the dumping area.

It was not only after he had entered into the sector and government at the time were in search of a new location for a landfill because Vaitoloa was already filled up.

The minister said this is how the Tafaigata Landfill had come into being and 100 acres at Tafaigata was allocated specifically for dumping waste.

He acknowledged the government of Japan and their efforts in assisting Samoa

in its fight against waste and also noted the various efforts currently being spearheaded by his ministry to assist in addressing waste management in Samoa.

But the Minister also expressed his gratitude to SRWMA for taking the initiative in this area and identifying opportunities for managing waste and recycling for a greener Samoa.

He closed of saying that MNRE would be working closely with villages to ensure improvements in rubbish collection because "we want to see less waste" and ensure Samoa stays a happy and beautiful place.

Japan's Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects (GGP) aims to support small-scale projects directly benefitting the grass-roots level as well as contributing to the socio-economic development of the Independent State of Samoa.



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Samoan chicken farmers praise China assistance

By: Leota Marc Membrere

China's free range chicken programme is fast being picked up by local farmers across the country.

Recently, Savali caught up with Samoan chicken farmer Tafitoala who was all praise of the Government of the People's Republic of China after he received his birds and formula feed to further develop his chicken farm.

The 55-year-old Faapili Lano Aile was one of 56 farmers who received 7 chicks and 5 kilos of formula feed from the Samoa China Agricultural Technical Aid Project (SCATAP).

He told this newspaper he raises Samoan chickens however this opportunity means he can expand his range and is delighted about what is in store for him in the future.

"I first and foremost give thanks to God for this day," he says. "I thank the Government of China by bringing this project to our

country to help families, organisations, and churches."

He praised the project and commended the leader of the project Dr. Jim Liu for the thorough explanation about the program and the about free-range chickens.

Mr Aile spent no money during the programme and claims he is now reaping the benefits of joining.

His next plans include raising the chickens and building the numbers enough for him to sell and earn an income and so he can rely less on imported chicken.

Dr. Jim Liu was happy about the success of the project under SCATAP Phase 5 which also serves as a way to promote free range chicken in the country

Today we are happy to receive 56 farmers, each of them receive 7 chicks and one packet of 5kilos formula feed

Aside from the 56 farmers who received chicks on Wednesday, Dr. Liu says that there are currently 6 model farmers for the free

range chicken part of the project.

The model farmers plan to raise up to 1500 chickens.

"We hope this free range chicken value chain could benefit the poultry industry in Samoa," he says.

SCATAP build grower house of 90 m² and fence for each of the 6 model farmers. The six plantation for free range chicken is at least 1 acre and raising 500 birds at one time. A total of 5752 chicks, 10000 kg formula feed for boilers were distributed to farmers and more than 1000 birds have been marketed or consumed by farmers up to end of June, 2023.

The free-range broilers could reach 1.5 kg in 4 months period. The taste is good and economic return for farmers are encouraging with different funding resources to benefit more people.

SCATAP is extending the free-range chicken technology to more than 100 farmers currently and is ready to cooperate with funding resources to benefit more people.



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.

SAMOA LAW REFORM COMMISSION

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Application Forms (R&S Form 2) are to be used by ALL Applicants and are to be addressed to the Chairman. Applications must be submitted to PSC by, Wednesday 19th July 2023 before 5.00pm.

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

Invitation For Bids. Date 12th June 2023

"The Savalalo Flea Market Redevelopment Project" is a Government of Samoa (GOS) project co-funded with the support of the Government of New Zealand.

The GOS through Samoa Land Corporation as the Implementing Agent hereby invites bids for "Design and Build" Project for the new "Savalalo Flea Market Redevelopment" project in the Apia CBD.

Bid Documents are available on the Samoa Land Corporation website www.samoaland.gov.ws and will be accessible for interested bidders as of midday 12.00pm Samoan time on Monday, 12th June 2023.

There are registration requirements that bidders must comply with and these are also included on the same website.

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General Manager
Samoa Land Corporation

Friendship sealed for Samoa and the Nevada National Guard

**"Many hands make light work and we want to be the many hands to work with you to make light work". -
Adjutant General of the Nevada National Guard Major General Ondra Berry.**

By: Leota Marc Membrere

Samoa's friendship with the United States of America (USA) continues to grow as the Government of Samoa has now signed a Declaration of Partnership with the Nevada National Guard through the National Guard State Partnership Programme.

The signing ceremony held at the U.S. Embassy Residence at Vailima was attended by Government officials of Samoa and the US Government, and members of the Nevada National Guard.

The Declaration was signed by Minister of Police, Prisons, and Corrections Honourable Faualo Harry Schuster and The Adjutant General of the Nevada National Guard Major General Ondra Berry.

Speaking on behalf of the Nevada National Guard, Major General Berry says that Samoa marks the 100th State partnership.

"We will be your long term consistent friends and we have learned from the short time of being here in the country that family matters and that family comes first," he says.

"Many hands make light work and we want to be the many hands to work with you to make light work."

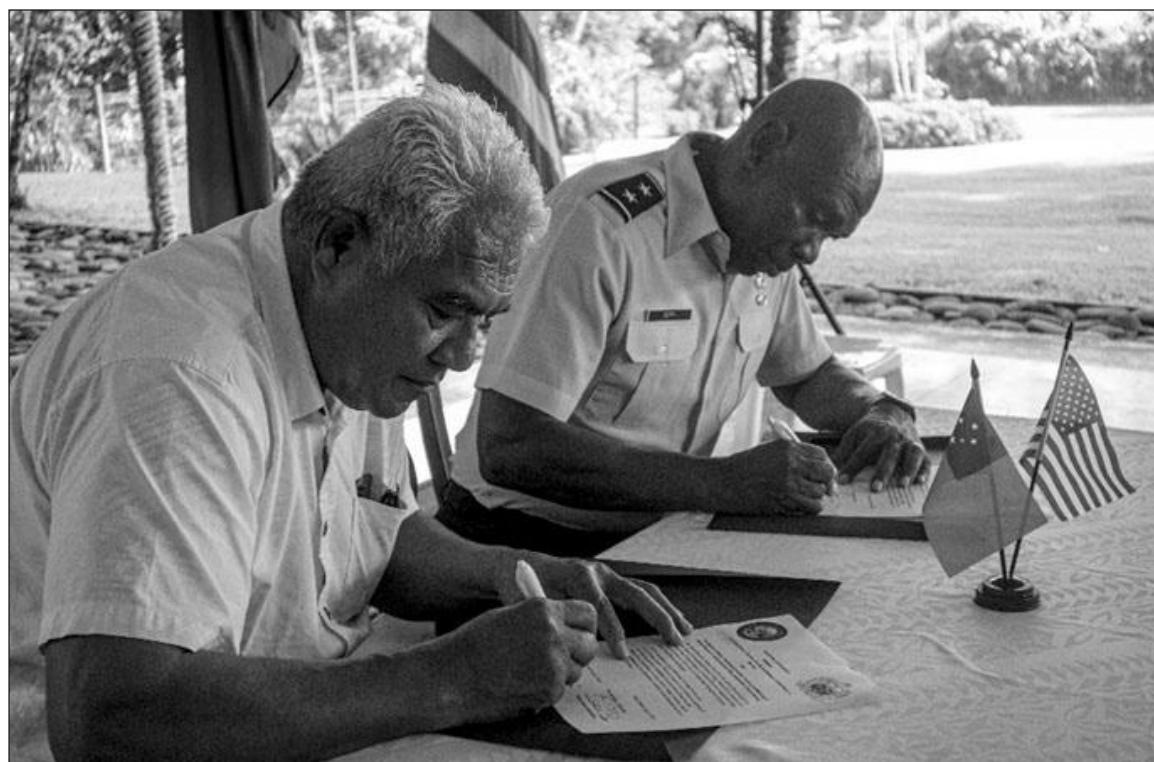
He said they will work hard to be that extended family and take seriously the importance of knowing that the relationship drives the level of openness and willingness to engage for the good of all.

"The Nevada National Guard has deep ties to the Blue Pacific and enduring relationships and partnerships with Tonga and Fiji," said the Major General.

He also emphasised strongly to the gathering to know that this State partnership with Samoa, this new beginning, this new journey of collaboration of teamwork and readiness will be an opportunity and an experience that will tell the story of how synergy and respect will lead to a successful future that all members of the partnership will be proud of.

Speaking on behalf of the Government of Samoa, Minister of Police, Prisons, and Corrections, the Honourable Faualo Harry Schuster thanked the State of Nevada, the Ambassador of the U.S. to Samoa Thomas Udall for bringing the partnership to fruition and that he looked forward to working with them.

The new established partnership means the Nevada National Guard and Ministry of Police,



FRIENDSHIP SEALED:
*Minister of Police,
Prisons, and Corrections
Honourable Faualo
Harry Schuster and The
Adjutant General of the
Nevada National Guard
Major General Ondra
Berry. Photo: Leota Marc
Membrere*



*Governor of Nevada's Chief of Staff Ben Kieckhefer,
Ambassador of the USA to Samoa Thomas Udall, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment Honourable Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster, Adjutant General of the Nevada National Guard Major General Ondra Berry, Minister of Police, Prisons and Correction Services Honourable Faualo Harry Schuster, Commissioner of Police Auapaaau Logoitino Filipo and U.S. Chargé d'affaires Noriko Horiuchi. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere.*

Prisons, and Corrections and the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment will benefit from working together in the fields of

disaster preparedness, disaster management, humanitarian resources, climate change response, search and rescue response, law

enforcement, and professional development for a more peaceful world.



(PRESS RELEASE, July 5th 2023) - The Board and Trustees of the Unit Trust of Samoa have once again declared another profitable year by announcing a total distribution to unitholders of SAT\$8.5 million for the financial year ending 30th June 2023.

This payout has surpassed last years payout of \$7.5 million making it the largest payout

by the Trust since it started operation in 2010.

Unitholders with accounts up to the 30th of June 2023 will be entitled to receive 8 sene per unit from this distribution and will be able to cash out their dividend from Monday, 10th of July 2023. The 2023 payout has increased the total returns to unitholders for this financial year to 10.95%, a 1.7% increase if compared to the previous financial year.

Since Samoa's borders were re-opened in August 2022, the Unit Trust of Samoa has remained vigilant in seeking out new investment opportunities and at the same time monitor its existing portfolio to ensure maximum returns for its unitholders.

The Management Company continues to promote the high security of its UTOS investments as reflected by this positive financial performance. Even through the pandemic and the global impact of Covid-19 remains on the financial markets, the Trust exceeded expectations by recording profitable returns for its investors for the last three years.

Tevaga Viane Tagilima the CEO of the Unit Trust of Samoa conveyed on behalf of the Board and Trustees, his gratitude and appreciation to all its unitholders and stakeholders, for trusting UTOS as their investment vehicle. For the last three years we faced trialing times, however our commitment to serve our unitholders backed by a competent team led us to achieve satisfactory results adapting to the ever-changing financial market.

Tevaga also acknowledged the contribution from the previous board of directors, with former chairman Afiofa Asiata Afoa Kolone Vaai who led UTOS for the first three quarters of the financial year for their inputs and expertise which guided the Trust Fund to another successful performance.



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Samoa Conservation Society marks 10 years

By: Leota Marc Membrere

A decade protecting Samoa's wildlife and native plant species, the Samoa Conservation Society fights on with a celebration last Saturday on 01 July 2023 to mark their 10th year Anniversary.

President of the SCS James Atherton when it was time to say a few words reminisced on the beginning of the group.

Which came to be as a result of a few concerned Samoans and expatriates joining forces to create what SCS is now.

"We felt at the time that there was a niche or opportunity for a new environmental group to focus firmly on action to conserve Samoa's natural heritage and in particular her highly threatened species and their habitats," said Mr Atherton.

But, since those initial days SCS has grown from a small group with one project and one staff to six staff, an annual grant income of around half a million tala and projects stretching from Falealupo to Uafato.

Although there were countless lessons from the 10-year journey but Atherton pointed to three very stand out factors;

- Power of partnerships
- Importance of innovation
- Absolute urgency of action

"No society like SCS can succeed without many partnerships at numerous levels. Take tonight's event for example. So many great organisations have stepped up to sponsor tonight and we thank them all," he says.

Mr. Atherton thanked all the organisations they have partnered with over the years and to Government Ministries; Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment (MNRE), and the Samoa Tourism Authority (STA).

He also thanked Samoa's bilateral partners the United Kingdom and New Zealand, and organizations such as Conservation International, Botanic Gardens Conservation, and the South Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP).

Feeling grateful for the ten years the Society



Samoa Conservation Society (SCS). SCS/Facebook Page

has served the nation, the President gave a special thanks to the Society's Executive Members and staff for their commitment protecting Samoa's environment.

Held at the National University Fale Samoa at Papaigagalaga the work of the society has not gone by without notice from the Government of Samoa according to the Honourable Minister of Natural Resources and Environment Afioa Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster in his address at the event.

He congratulated the group for their commitment to service to the country for the past ten years.

"Looking at the people associated with it, it feels more like the organization has been around much longer, especially since I have worked with many of these folks either during their time with MNRE or in the private sector as consultants."

He also acknowledged the engagement of the younger generation in the work of the society.

According to the minister this gives him hope that SCS will continue to grow stronger over time.

"You have a very impressive donor and project portfolio as well the expertise of your

staff. Even MNRE and STA are amongst your partners, in both work and funding support with publishing some of the great books you have produced," he said.

"I can only encourage you all for another fruitful 10 years to continue the growth and important work on conserving and preserving our natural heritage, as well encouraging the new generation of greenies to join and continue the work."

The event was well attended by; Government officials, members of the Society, and partners of the Society.



Haylani Pearl Kuruppu Crowned Miss Samoa 2022-2023. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere



Former Miss Samoa's Priscilla Olano – Ah Young (2016-2017) and Taralina Gae (1999-2000) and General Manager of the Samoa Tourism Authority (STA), Pativaine Petaia-Tevita. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere

Onomea Productions is the official Miss Samoa pageant organiser

By: Leota Marc Membrere

The Onomea Productions has won the bid to be official organisers for the Miss Samoa Pageant for the next 3 years from 2023 to 2025.

The firm takes over from Manaia Events Inc. that has been at the rein of the pageant organising since they took over in 2019 from Sei Events.

Their last staged event was the 2022 Vodafone Miss Samoa Pageant that attracted eight contestants from New Zealand, Los Angeles USA, three representatives from Samoan communities in Victoria, Melbourne, and New South Wales, and representatives from the local community.

Honourable Minister of Tourism Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster said the organising of this annual event was initially the responsibility of the Samoa Tourism Authority (STA) until 2014 when tendered out to companies in Samoa.

The new organisers are not new to the scene said the minister.

The firm's services are also well known in designing the guidelines of the competition (mamanu faavae e manumalo ai) in the pageants in Tokelau, Niue, Cook Islands, Miss Samoa New Zealand pageant, Miss Samoa and the Miss Pacific Islands.

In fact, Director of Onomea Productions Vaito'a Peletisala Toelupe was behind the organising of the 1999 Miss Samoa Pageant he elaborated.

The Minister bid the group all the best in their journey ahead as they take on centre stage to deliver a pageant that is uniquely shaped to highlight Samoa's cultural heritage and the cultural attributes of young tamaitai Samoa.

Onomea Productions is led by Chairperson Leituala Kuiniseleni Toelupe Tago, and the Minister of Samoa Tourism Authority.

It was also announced during the event that Digicel Samoa will partner with the group in organizing the pageant.



Honourable Minister of Tourism Afioa Toeolesulusulu Cedric Schuster. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere



The parade was led by the Police Band. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere

Worship Center Christian Church Worldwide opens week-long conference

By: Leota Marc Membrere

The Worship Centre Christian Church Worldwide conference officially commenced last Saturday with a service in front of F.M.F.M. II Government Building at Eleele Fou and the Honourable Prime Minister Afioga Fiame Naomi Mataafa as keynote speaker.

The gathering boasted hundreds of members of the church from around the world all gathered together to worship the Lord before the start of the week-long conference.

A moment of silence was observed to pay respect to the late leader of the Worship Center Christian Church Worldwide Apostle Viliamu Mafao'e who passed away earlier this year.

Prime Minister Fiame Naomi Mataafa speaking on behalf of the Government of Samoa conveyed her blessings for the church's conference.

She thanked the church for the prayers for the Government and Samoa.

"O Samoa o le atunu Kerisiano, ma e le se'e ese a'u nei ma le faigamalo i le faasinomaga a lo tatou Faavae, 'E faavae i le Atua le Malo Tutoatasi o Samoa," the Prime Minister says.

The event also saw the announcement of the church's new leader Pastor Toouta Aloalii.

The Prime Minister also conveyed her blessings to the newly chosen leader.

"Ia manua le tofiga o le Susuga i le Taitai o le Ekalesia. O le tatalo, ia manua le galuega, ma ia so'ofau le taitaiga o le Ekalesia e pei ona faavaeina ai," she says.

The Prime Minister also presented the church with a gift of \$10,000.

A parade from Eleele Fou to the Worship



Members of the Worship Centre Christian Church Worldwide who marched the streets of Beach Road last Saturday 01 July 2023 officially opening their conference. Photo: Leota Marc Membrere

Center Christian Church Worldwide at Sogi soon followed the service.



We wish you all the best: PM to Manu Samoa

By: Leota Marc Membrere

Early this week the Manu Samoa met with Honourable Prime Minister Afioaga Fiame Naomi Mataafa where she relayed to them the Government's best wishes and support while they prepare for the Rugby World Cup 2023 scheduled to be hosted in France later this year.

The team here to prep for the RWC 2023 will have their first test match against Japan in Hokkaido on 22 July.

The Manu Samoa will then return home for back-to-back matches against their traditional Pacific rivals, Fiji and Tonga on July 29th and August 5th which will be the first time Manu Samoa plays at Apia Park since 2019.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Education, Sports, and Culture Seuula Ioane Tuaau were there on behalf of the government to welcome the team home and extend to them prayers and well wishes.

"I was the Minister of Sports in 91 when the Manu went to its first World Cup in Cardiff and here, we are so many years later," said Fiame.

She told the team her government although new recognize sports offers so many opportunities for young people.

"I don't need to tell you as athletes all the benefits that we gain from playing sports, the development of skills, the building of your physicality, the developing of teamwork, learning how to work collectively, build trust



Prime Minister of Samoa Honourable Fiame Naomi Mataafa, "...win or lose, you are our team!"

but we also know the challenges that face us in the developing of our respective sports.

"I am here with the Minister of Sports to

convey to you all Government support and well wishes for the World Cup."

She wishes the team all the best and relayed

prayers for their safety and wellbeing and that the campaign is a success.

"Win or lose, you're our team!"

PRIME MINISTER CONVEYS BEST WISHES TO MANU SAMOA FOR UPCOMING WORLD CUP

"...win or lose, you are our team!" Those were the very words spoken by the Honourable Prime Minister to members of the Manu Samoa team when they met early this week Monday 03 July 2023 for a faigalotu at Tanoa Tusitala Hotel.

The team were relayed the Government's best wishes and prayers as they delve into their

preparations for the September 2023 Rugby World Cup in France. The Minister of Education, Sports, and Culture, Honourable Seuula Ioane Tuaau, was also in attendance.

Photos: Leota Marc Membrere & Eirenei Ariu Toleafao



With support from the Prime Minister and rest of the country the team are ready for the Rugby World Cup 2023 in France this September.



Defence Coach for the Manu Samoa team Tana Umaga with Honourable Minister of Education, Sports, and Culture, Seuula Ioane Tuaau.



Manu Samoa Head Coach Vaovasamanaia Seilala Maposua.



Manu Samoa Assistant Head Coach Mase Mahonri Schwalger (facing) with Team Manager Su'a Hezed Ieremia (right)and Prime Minister Honourable Fiame Naomi Mataafa.

O le ā se lafoga a le tou Minisitā, ‘aua ne’i umi ona ta’atia i se finagalo; Valasi

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

E lagona le agaga fa’afetai o le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina iā Valasi Luapitoifanua To’ogamaga Tafito Selesete ona o le tautua matavela i le pāia ma le mamalu o lana Matāgaluega e aofia ai ma foma’i fa’apea tauis soifua.

I le alia’e ai o se matā’upu e tusa o totogi ma ovataimi o foma’i, na fa’ailoa manino e le afioga i le Minisitā, e le’o ita i se foma’i, o ana saunoaga fo’i sa faia i totonu o le Fono Aoao Faitulafono a Samoa, o saunoaga fa’atamā, auā e fa’alagi ia e lana Matāgaluega, o ia o le Tamā o le Matāgaluega, o le Sa’o fo’i o le Matāgaluega.

E mauāluga i lona taofi, le atoatoa ma le lelei o le auaunaga e ofoina atu auā le soifua mālōlōina o le atunu’u ma ia ‘aua lava ne’i motusia.

“O le a se lafoga, o le a fo’i se ‘upu a le tou Minisitā, ‘aua ne’i umi ona ta’atia i se finagalo, auā o lea lava ou te talanoa a’u ia i mea na tutupu e le’i fa’atinoina i lenā vaitau, lea ua amata ona fa’ata’oto.

“E momoli atu le fa’afetai, ma e avatu fo’i le fa’amālūlū i ‘upu felafoa’i ma tala e pei fo’i ona i ai le ma’ema’e, e lē tio fo’i se isi, i ne’i ita se foma’i iā te a’u, a’o a’u lava ia, ou te le’o ita i se foma’i, o le agaga sili ona tāua iā te a’u, o le fetogia’i o ‘upu ma tala, ae o le Minisitā lava ma lana Matāgaluega.

I le feiloā’iga a le Minisitā ma le Fa’atonu o le Savali iā Nanai Taofiga Laveitigā Tuiletufuga, na ia saunoa manino ai, o le fuafuaga o lo’o faia i le taimi nei, ua leva ona pāsia i le 3 i le 4 tautaga talu ai.

O le Tulafono i le 2016, na ta’ialaina ai galuega a le Auaunaga Fa’alesofua Mālōlōina (N.H.S.), e pei ona tu’u ‘ese’ese ai ma le Matāgaluega, o lenā vaitau, sa tu’u sa’oloto ai ovataimi o foma’i ma le aufagaluega.

Peita’i ina ua toe pāsia i le 3 – 4 tausaga ua mavae, le Tulafono mo le toe tu’ufa’atasia o le Auaunaga ma le Matāgaluega i le fa’amalu a le Pulega e tasi, o iinā na afua ai ona galulue le Ofisa o le Komisi o Galuega a le Mālō (P.S.C.) e fa’ata’oto le fua fa’atulagaina mo totogi e laugatasia uma ai le aufagaluega a le Mālō.

Saunoa Valasi, ua tele soālaupulega ma fe’utana’iga a le P.S.C. ma le Matāgaluega ua faia e tusa o totogi ma ovataimi fa’atulagaina, ma na molimauina i le Tulafono o le 2016, ni totogi pito i maoa’e ma ovataimi tetele sa le’i fa’atulagaina, na maua e foma’i fa’apitoa ma konesale.

O le toe tu’ufa’atasia ai o le Auaunaga ma le Matāgaluega, ua leva ona pāsia le Tulafono ae sa le’i fa’amalosia, o le taimi nei, ua amata fa’atino aiaiga uma i ta’iala ma Tulafono a le P.S.C. ina ia mulimulitu’i e tusa ma ala o le Tulafono mo tagata faigaluega a le Mālō.

Fa’ailoa e le Minisitā, o le fuafuaga fou ua fa’ata’oto e le P.S.C. o le a fa’atulaga tutusa ai totogi mo foma’i fa’apitoa ma konesale, ma e maua lava o latou alauni ua fa’igoaina o le Responsibility Allowances, ma e 60%, tusa pe ova pe lē ova fo’i.

Ae mo foma’i fa’atoā fa’au’u ma mua’i galulue mo le auaunaga, e agava’ fo’i i lea alauni, ae ei lalo ifo pasene latou te mauaina, ma o lo’o fa’atulagaina lava fa’alekulafono e tusa ma ta’iala a le P.S.C.

Ae afai e ova tele se foma’i, e mafai lava ona fa’atumu le



Afiofa i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina iā Valasi Luapitoifanua To’ogamaga Tafito Selesete.

pepa ova ma fa’amatala lelei mafua’aga talafeagai, e fa’amanino ai mafua’aga tonu, na ala ai ona ovataimi, ma e talia fo’i e le Matāgaluega ma le P.S.C. lenā tulaga pe afai e sa’o, moni ma atoatoa lelei le mafua’aga tatau na ala ai ona galue ovataimi sea foma’i.

Na ia toe momoli le fa’afetai i le ‘āiga foma’i ma tausi soifua i lo latou soifua ofoina mo le tautuaina o Samoa.

Fa’ailoa e Valasi, o lo’o to’o pe a ia, ma e talitonu lona taofi, o le malu o le Minisitā o le Tamā o le Matāgaluega, e afua mai i le puipuiga malu a lana Matāgaluega e aofia ai foma’i ma tausi soifua.

“Ae o le mea sili ona tāua, ou te fa’afetai i le Pulega a le P.S.C. i le Ta’ita’ifono ma le Komisi i le fa’atulagaina o lenei galuega tele, ma e le’o fo’i lava le fautua ma le tu’uālalo i le auala e momoli ai le feau i ‘ai latou o le aufagaluega.”

Fuafua e auina mai foma’i fa’apitoa e to’ao no mo Samoa



Falema’i Tuasivi, Savai’i (Ata Pu’eina: Nanai Taofiga Laveitigā Tuiletufuga).

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Ua fa’alauiloa e le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina iā Valasi Luapitoifanua To’ogamaga Tafito Selesete, e to’ao no foma’i fa’apitoa ua fuafuina e auina mai e galulue mo le auaunaga tau soifua mālōlōina i le atunu’u.

O le agaga mauāluga i le Mālō, ia matuā si’itia le auaunaga a le soifua mālōlōina e tali atu ai i le mamalu lautele o le atunu’u, o lo’o autova’ atu mo se fesoasoani mai lea taimi

i le taimi.

Ua fa’ailoa e Valasi, e le’o toe mamao ae taunu’u lea fuafuaga tāua, ma o le naunauta’iga, ia le gata e fesoasoani mo le auaunaga, a ia a’oa’o atili ai tatou foma’i i Samoa nei, auā nisi tomai fa’aoopo mo le fa’aleleia atili o le tautua.

O Initia ma Saina lea o lo’o fuafuaga e auina mai ai nei foma’i fa’apitoa, ma ua mae’ona sainia le maliega ma Saina e tusa o lea fuafuaga tāua tele.

I le taimi nei, ta’utino e le Minisitā, e le’o lava foma’i e faia le auaunaga, ma o le tele

o nai foma’i o lo’o i Samoa nei, o lo’o matuā fausasaga galuega tupito o lo’o fetai’ai pea ma i latou, ma e mo’omia ai pea, le i ai o nisi o foma’i fa’apitoa mai fafo, e fesoasoani mo lenei galuega tāua tele.

E lē fou, le utiuti o foma’i, ae o le va’ai mamao a le Mālō, ia sa’ili auala talafeagai, e fo’o ma fa’aitiitia ai lu’itau o lo’o feagai pea ma le Matāgaluega i aso ta’itasi.

O lo’o galulue pea le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina, o le P.S.C. ma le Matāgaluega o Tupu, e fa’atulaga le mafai lea ona galulue ma a’o’oga pea foma’i ma tausi soifua o lo’o i le

Matāgaluega, e fa’alautele lo latou silafia, auā le fa’aleleia atili o le auaunaga.

Fa’ailoa e Valasi, o le tāua lenā o le auina mai o foma’i fa’apitoa mai fafo, e fa’asoai mai lo latou iloa ma lo latou agava’auā tatou foma’i i Samoa nei.

O le molimau a le afioga i le Minisitā, o le to’atele o nai foma’i ma tausi soifua o lo’o galulue pea i le Matāgaluega, o lo’o mana’omia fo’i e i latou le toe fa’alauteleina o lo latou silafia, auā le tautua fa’afoma’i ma tausi ma’i.

Silia i le 10 tausaga o avea Tagaloa ma Peresetene o le Lakapi Liki a Samoa

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

"O le vi'iga ma le fa'afetai e fo'i i le Atua, ona o lona agalelei, ma le tofia o lo'u fa'atauvaa'a, ou te tau'aveina lenei tofiga tāua i totonu o le fa'agatama o le Lakapi Liki i Samoa.

"E lē itiiti le lagona fa'agae'etia, pe a toe to manatu i le taumafaiga sa finau ai auā se ai mo Samoa i lenei fa'agatama, lea ua tatou va'aia le mapu'e a'e o lenei ta'aloga i le atunu'u ma ua lauloa ai Samoa i le lalolagi atoa."

I le mae'a ai o le Ipu o le Lalolagi i le Lakapi Liki i le tausaga ua mavae, na fa'alauiloa aloā'ia ai le fa'amavae o Tagaloa Fa'afouina Su'a mai lona tofiga o le Peresetene o le Lakapi Liki a Samoa.

O lenei vaiaso, na faia ai le Fono Fa'aletausaga a le Lakapi Liki, ma toe filifilia ai se Laulau Fou latou te tau'aveina tofiga o le Komiti Fa'atonu a le Asosi.

O le mae'a ai o lea Fonotaga, ua tofia ai le afioga iā Fiu Ponifasio Vasa e avea ma Peresetene fou mo le Lakapi Liki a Samoa, o le Afioga iā Toilolo Tupa'i Klaus Joseph Stunzner ma Sui Peresetene fa'atasi ai ma isi tofiga o le Komiti.

I le feiloā'iga a le Savali ma Tagaloa Fa'afouina Su'a, ua 50 tausaga o le soifua, na ia fa'ailoa ai, o le 2008 i le 2009 na tofia ai e avea ma Peresetene o le Lakapi Liki se'ia o'o mai lava i lenei tausaga 2023.

Mo le silafia o le Lakapi Liki i Samoa, sa amata fa'avaeina mai le tausaga 1986, ua fa'amauna fo'i o Samoa o lo'o tulaga lua i le ta'amilosaga o le Ipu o le Lalolagi 2022, e pei ona sa'ili siampupini ai ma le au malosi a Ausetalia.

Fa'ailoa e Tagaloa, o le lumana'i o lana tautua mo le Lakapi Liki, e fa'auau pea, ma e 100% lana lagolago mo le afioga iā Fiu ma lana Komiti, ina ia mautinoa, e si'itia pea taumafaiga ma le atina'ega o le Lakapi Liki i totonu o le atunu'u.

Na ia ta'utino o Fiu, ua leva o lotolotoi ai i le Lakapi Liki, sa avea fo'i ma Kapeteni o le Toa Samoa i ta'aloga a le Pasefika i le 2007, o se tasi o lo'o i pulega a nisi o kalapu liki i le atunu'u, ma e lē tau fa'amatalaina lona sao tāua i le atina'ega o lenei ta'aloga i o tatou laufanua.

Na momoli fo'i lana fa'afetai ma lana fa'amālō i le atunu'u atoa fa'apea latou na lagolagoina lona tula'i mai, a'o taumafai ai mo se lelei auā lenei fa'agatama ua lauloa ai Samoa i le lalolagi atoa.

O le afioga iā Tagaloa ua tolu ai nei ta'amilosaga o le Ipu o le Lalolagi i le Lakapi Liki, o avea pea ma Peresetene o le Toa Samoa.



Tagaloa Fa'afouina Su'a – Le sa avea ma Peresetene o le Lakapi Liki a Samoa mo le silia i le 10 tausaga
(Ata Pu'eina: Savali)



Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting for **Rugby League Samoa Incorporated** for the year ends 31 December 2022 will be held at Rugby League Samoa Headquarters – Lotopa, on Wednesday 5th July 2023 at 5 pm.

AGENDA FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS AGM

1. Present
2. Apologies
3. To receive and discuss the minutes of the Annual General Meeting of 2022
4. Notice of matters from Overseas Chapters
5. To receive and approve the Annual Audited Financial Report for the year ended 31 December 2022
6. To elect an Auditor for 2023
7. To Elect Executive Members
8. General Matters

Given by the order of the Executive Committee

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Komisi o Galuega a le Malō

Please address all correspondence to the PSC Secretary
Faamolemole faatuātusi uma feso'otā'iga i le Fallautusi a le Komisi

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.

SAMOA LAW REFORM COMMISSION

- 1. Position:** Assistant Executive Director (LC000014)
Salary: SAT \$90,067 per annum

The Application Form and Job Description can be uplifted from the Public Service Commission, Level 2, Fiame Mataafa Faumuina Mulinuu II (FMFM II) Building, Apia or can be downloaded from website: <http://www.psc.gov.ws/employment/contract-vacancies/>

Application Forms (R&S Form 2) are to be used by ALL Applicants and are to be addressed to the Chairman. Applications must be submitted to PSC by, **Wednesday 14th June 2023 before 5.00pm.**

Late Applications after 5:00pm will not be considered. All incomplete Applications will not be considered for Shortlisting. Request for reconsideration will NOT be Accepted.

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

Manumālō le Onomea Production mo le tapenaga o le tauvaga lalelei o Samoa 2023 – 2025

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Ua tolu ai nei Kamupanī ua tu'uina atu ai le fa'atutuaga o le Mālō, mo le tapenaga o le tauvaga o le Lalelei o Samoa talu mai le tausaga e 2014.

Mo le silafia, o le tele o tausaga sa tapena lava e le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Mai Fafo (S.T.A.) lea fa'amoemoe tele, ae o le tu'uina atu i Kamupanī Tumā'oti, o se itu lelei mo le aga'i atu i le lumana'i o le fa'atinoga o lenei fa'amoemoe tāua o le Mālō.

I le mae'a ai o tausaga sa nafā ai ma le Manai Events le tapenaga o lenei fa'amoemoe, sa toe sa'iili ai se isi Kamupanī e fa'auauina, peita'i o lea ua tu'uina atu i le Onomea Production, ma e lē fou lea vaega i tulaga fa'apea.

Saunoa le Afioga i le Minisitā o le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Maimoa mai Fafo iā Toeolesulusulu Cedric Posē Schuster e fa'apea;

"Fa'atalofa atu i lenei aso matagofie i le alofa matalasi o lo tatou Matai Sili oi le lag. E sausau fialele le manu a le Tagaloa nai Utufiu, i se lagona fa'agae'etia. Auā ua malama i ulugalu, le malu o le Tapuitea, i le pāia ma le mamalu, ua e'e ma pāpā'ā'o.

"Ua malu tau'e, auā ua susū, iau Susuga i le Ta'ita'i o le Sauniga. Rev. Dr. Latū Latai. Tainane le Ali'i Pule o le Kamupanī a le Digicel Samoa, O le mamalu fo'i o sui o le Tausala o Samoa i

tausaga ua tuana'i.

"O le fala na 'ā'mi o Matāgaluega a le Mālō, aemaise o Fa'alapotopotoga Tumā'oti, ma le pāia mauāluga o le 'Auvalā'aulia.

"Outou sa ma faigā, ta'oto ia a'o se ala ua o'o. E lē toe paopaoina fa'atupemuli o le taulafoga. Ta'alolo ia.

"I le agaga fa'agae'etia iā te a'u, e fa'afeiloa'i atu ai, i le pāia ma le mamalu ua aofia auā le fa'alauiloaina aloā'ia o le Kamupanī ua fa'amatu'u atu i ai le fa'atutuaga o le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Mai Fafo latou le ta'imua ma tapenaina tauvaga mo se Lalelei o Samoa, mo le tausaga 2023 i le 2025.

"Pei ona silafia, o le tauvaga mo se Lalelei o Samoa o se tasi taumafaiga a le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Mai Fafo e fa'atāuaina ai ma aloā'ia Tama'ita'i Samoa, e ala i le fa'aāliga o ā tatou tu ma agaifanua, fa'apea taleni 'ese'ese ua fa'aoaina ai i latou. O se tasi fo'i o atina'e e tāua lona sao mo le fa'alauiloaina o Samoa i atunu'u i fafo.

"O le tapenaina ma le faatinoina o le tauvaga mo se Lalelei o Samoa sa ulua'i tau'aveina e le Pulega, peita'i sa fa'amatu'u atu lenei fa'amoemoe i Kamupanī Samoa amata mai i le 2014. Ma o le tolu ai nei o Kamupanī ua o latou fa'aoeina lenei fa'amoemoe, e aofia ai le SEI Events, ma le MANAIA Event.

e \$18 miliona.

Ona totoe mai ai lea o le 6.3%, tusa lea ma le \$55 miliona, ma o le a tu'usa'o lava i teugātupe a sui fai saofaga i le Aso Faraile, 30 luni 2023.

O lea tului ua fa'aāogaina ai paleni o lo'o i ai i fa'aputugātupe a sui fai saofaga mai le Aso 01 lulai 2022.

Fa'iloa manino e Mulipola, o lea fa'amanuia o le a auala atu i nonogātupe läiti masani (entitle) a le aufaisaofaga, ae o le a leai ni tupe tu'u sa'oina atu.

I le aofa'iga atoa o le 8.3% o le a fa'asafua atu mo le mamalu lautele o le atunu'u, e tusa lea ma le \$73,967,335.00.

Saunoa le Ta'ita'ifono o le S.N.P.F. iā Papāli'i Panoa Tavita Moala, o taimi o fa'alavelave fa'afuse'i ma ni fa'ama'i tetele e a'afia ai Samoa, e mafai ona faia ai ia fesoasoani tu'usa'o a le Fa'alapotopotoga e pei fo'i ona faia i le vaitau tonu o pesia ai Samoa ma le lalolagi atoa i le Koviti – 19.

O le va'ai mamao a le Mālō, ia o'o mai aso leaga, ae o lo'o lava se seleni e tua i ai le mamalu o le atunu'u, e ala iā latou saofaga.



Afioga i le Minisitā o le Pulega o Tagata Tafafao Maimoa mai Fafo iā Toeolesulusulu Cedric Posē Schuster (Ata Pu'eina: Leota Marc Membrere).

"O lenei la aso, ua o tatou tu'uina aloā'ia atu ai le sulu lenei, ma e ī te a'u le agaga fiafia tele, e fa'alauiloa atu ai, O tulatoa o le a fa'afoeina le Lalelei o Samoa mo le tausaga 2023 i le 2025.

"O le ONOMEA PRODUCTION.

"Mālō tapena i iau afioga i le Tai'itaifono o le Onomea Production, iau afioga Leituala Kuiniselani Toelupe Tago ma le Pulega, talitonu o le a ave i ai lo outou faimea lelei, i le tapenaina ma le fa'atinoina lelei o Lalelei o Samoa, aemaise lava ina ia tutū'atasi, e le gata o Samoa nei, ae o tausala Samoa mai atunu'u i fafo.

"O le Onomea Production, e lē fou i le polokalame lenei, o le Lalelei o Samoa, ma le

Lalelei o le Pasefika. O le Fa'atonu Sili o Va'ato'a Peletisala Toelupe, sa ia fa'atinoina le Miss Samoa i le tausaga 1999.

"O le Onomea Production, ua loa fo'i lana tautua i fa'amoemoe fa'apenei, e aofia ai le fausia, ma le tu'ufa'atasia, o mamanu fa'avae e manumālō ai, e pei o le tauvaga a le lalelei Tautiti Tokelau, lalelei Samoa Niu Sila, lalelei o Niue ma Ausetalia, Miss Tiare o le Atu Kuki, Lalelei o Samoa, ma le Pasefika.

"Manuia lo outou alofaiva, fa'atasi ma mo'omo'oga, i lo outou valā'auina, ou te fa'ailoa atu ai, ua tatalaina aloā'ia nei i le asō.

"Soifua ma ia Manuia."

8.3% le tului mo le aufaisaofaga a le S.N.P.F.

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O le tausaga fa'aletupe 2022 – 2023, ua leai ai se seleni tu'usa'o atu e aunoa ma se nonogātupe masani mai le S.N.P.F. e pei ona i ai i le tausaga ua mavae.

O se faiga ua toe silasila toto'a ai le Fa'alapotopotoga o Fa'aputugātupe mo le Lumana'i Manuia o Tagata Samoa, ina ia 'aua ne'i fa'aāogaina lea fa'amanuia e tagata mo na'o se taimi pu'upu' lava, a ia fa'ata'avalé i le tamā'āiga o Samoa, ma si'itia ai lana tupe maua i le lumana'i, e tua i ai auā se mea lelei mo le 'āiga.

Saunoa le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tupe iā Mulipola Anarosa 'Ale – Molio'o, e tusa ai ma le Vaega 36 o le Tulafono o le Fa'alapotopotoga o Fa'aputugātupe mo le Lumana'i Manuia o Tagata 1972, ua fa'amaonia ai le tului 8.3% mo le aufaisaofaga i le tausaga fa'aletupe 2022 – 2023.

O lea tului, o lo'o aofia ai le 2% sa mua'i fa'asafua atu i sui fai saofaga iā lanuari 2023, ma na fa'aaluina ai le seleni tupe

e \$18 miliona.

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10 tausaga o le tautua a le Fa'alapotopotoga a le Samoa Conservation Society mo le atunu'u

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Ua afu le tautua matavela a le Fa'alapotopotoga o le Samoa Conservation Society i le atunu'u, o se itu e lagona ai le agaga fa'afetai o le Mālō ona o lo latou sao tāua iā Samoa ma ona tagata.

O le umi na fa'avaeina o lea Fa'alapotopotoga, o le telē fo'i lenā o lana auaunaga ofoina atu mo tagata Samoa patino i tulaga tau i le si'osi'omaga.

I le saunoaga autū a le Afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Punaoa Fa'alenatura ma le Si'osi'omaga iā Toeolesulusulu Cedric Posē Schuster na ia momoli ai le fa'afetai fa'apitoa a le Mālō i le galuega fitā a lea Fa'alapotopotoga o lo'o fa'aauau pea i aso ta'itasi.

Saunoa le Minisitā;

"Susū lau susuga i le fa'afeagaiga, Rev. Fuao Fetalaiga, Members of the Diplomatic Corps, 'Afifio le mamalu ole auvalā'aulia. Ma pa'aga tuofe a le Samoa Conservation Society

"E tu atu i lenei afiafi, ona o le fa'amoemoe, a le Fa'alapotopotoga a le Samoa Conservation Society.

"E fa'apōpō ae oni aso ua, ae o aso folau fo'i ua le tu'ua. O lafoga a le 'Aumātutua e fua ai le saoasaoa, ma le telegese o le natura.

"Ua fa'apenā se lagona i lenei afiafi auā o lea ua tufala le lafoga, ae o lenei ua o tatou pōpō i falemanū, i le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua.

"E momoli tele atu le fa'afetai, ma le fa'amālō, i lau Susuga James Atherton, le Peresetene,

fa'apea le nofo a to'o, i le Fa'alapotopotoga a le Samoa Conservation Society i le atoa ai o le 10 tausaga o lau tautua matavela. Mālō fa'afetai.

"A tu ma va'ai i le outou galuega fai. E lē faigofie la outou matāfaioi. E a'e i mauga ma ifo i vanu, e tofusia le puna i vasa. Aemaise o le fa'asaoina o le si'osi'omaga o le atunu'u lautele, o se galuega fa'apitoa.

"E lē gata i le lau'ele'ele ae fa'apea fo'i i le gataifale. O le fa'anaunauta'iga lea o lo tatou Mālō auā a saogālēmū le laufanua, le lau'ele'ele, ma fa'atamāo'āigaina le gataifale i a ma figota, o le ata manino lea o se atunu'u soifua mālōlōina. O le mafua'aga, e lē fa'atauva'a le afiafi lenei, i lo'u tu atu o le Sui o lo tatou Mālō.

"E lē gata i le lau'ele'ele ae fa'apea fo'i i le gataifale. O le fa'anaunauta'iga lea o lo tatou Mālō, e momoli atu le fa'afetai, i lau'ele'ele ma le sami, i finagalo ma fa'amoemoe o le Fa'alapotopotoga o le Samoa Conservation Society, e saga faia ai pea measilisili mo Samoa e ala i le fa'asaoina o le si'osi'omaga, ma fa'afotai i pe aea le vi'iga o le Atua.

"Soifua ma ia manuia."

Fa'amalosi'au le Palemia i tapenaga a le Manu Samoa 15



Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

A'o alo atu le Manu Samoa 15 mo le Ipu o le Lalolagi i lenei tausaga 2023, na maua le avanoa e momoli ai le fa'amalosi'au ma le saunoaga fa'amanua a le Ta'ita'i o le Mālō iā Fiamē Naomi Mataafa i le Pulega fa'apea le au atoa, auā o latou tapenaga mo lea fa'amoemoe fa'avāomālō.

O se avanoa tāua, ua toe fa'amanatu atu ai e le Palemia i le Manu Samoa 15, le mauāluga o le fa'aeaea a Samoa i lo latou fa'amoemoe, auā o lo'o latou tau'aveina le tagāvai o Samoa i nei ta'aloga tetele.

O se lu'itau tele mo le au, a'o se fiafiaga fa'aosofia i o latou loto, le va'aia o le afio atu o le afioga i le Palemia, e momoli atu se 'upu fa'amalosi'au mo i latou, a'o tapena ai mo lea fa'amoemoe tele.

E i ai nisi o ta'amilosaga fa'aitulagi o lo'o muamua mai, ma o lo'o matuā tapena fo'i i ai le Manu Samoa 15, ma sauni ai mo le ta'amilosaga tele o le Ipu o le Lalolagi i lenei tausaga.

Saunoa Fiamē, o le tauāluga lea o taumafaiaga uma a le Mālō, o le Manu Samoa Ta'ito'afitu ma le 15, e pei ona fa'afailele ai le tele o fanau i ta'amilosaga lakapi a fanau 'āoga mai lava i 'āoga tulagalua se'ia o'o mai kalapu lakapi tetele i le atunu'u.



O se itu ua leva ona galulue ai le Matāgaluega o 'Āoga, Ta'aloga ma Aganu'u fa'apea le Lakapi Samoa, ina ia matuā unā'ia le lava o fanau a le atunu'u e filifilia ai au fili fa'avāomālō a Samoa mo le lumana'i.

Na momoli le fa'afetai fa'apitoa a le Manu Samoa 15, e pei ona fofogaina e le afioga iā Su'a atunu'u e filifilia ai au fili fa'avāomālō a Samoa mo le lumana'i.

Hesed Jeremia, o le Ta'ita'i Malaga i le sao o le Mālō ma le fesoasoani atu i tapenaga uma a le Manu Samoa 15, i tausaga ta'itasi.

mai le itulau muamua

O lo'o fa'agasolo pea galuega fa'aleleia mo Falema'i

faigatā tele ona fa'aleleia e o tatou tagata, ona o lo'o sosolo lava le Mālō o Saina i fausaga o fale a lo latou atunu'u.

Fa'ailoa e Valasi, o le fa'ata'ita'iga lelei lava, o le ea mālūlū, e i ai lava le āla paipa fa'apitoa sa fausia mo le ea mālūlū peita'i ina ua amata liki le vai o le ea, sa faigatā ona toe fa'aleleia, auā e 'ese'eise ma vaega o lo'o maua i Samoa nei.

O le ala lea, ua amata faia ai ea mālūlū ta'itasi masani o lo'o fa'aāogaina nei e Samoa, e talafeagai fo'i ma le tomai o lo'o maua e o tatou tagata, mo le toe fa'aleleia o ia ea pe a leaga i le lumana'i.

O moega, o meafaigaluega 'ese'eise, ma e lē tasi se taimi e faia uma ai ia galuega fa'aleleia, e fai lava si umi.

Peita'i na fa'ailoa e le Minisitā, o lo'o fa'agasolo galuega fa'aleleia mo le falema'i tuai, e tua i ai le Matāgaluega pe a tumutumu potu taofia o lo'o fa'aāogaina i le taimi nei i le falema'i fou.

"O le tele o Mālō tetele, e ta'i 10 lava tausaga e fausia ai sea falema'i ma toe tu'u i lalo, peita'i o Samoa, e utiuti lana fa'aso, ae o lo'o taumafai pea, e faia se fesoasoani talafeagai mo vaega ua mana'omia auā le toe fa'aleleia o falema'i ta'itasi nei.

"O isi vaega o le falema'i sa va'aia ai ua faia tali tutulu, pei o se tutulu peita'i e leai, o le vai o le ea ua sao mai i le tauāluga o le falema'i."

O le isi itu sa va'aia fo'i ua fa'aleagaina, o lifi i le falema'i, o le saunoaga a Valasi, e mo'omia fo'i latou e i ai tomai fa'apito mai fafo, latou te faia ma va'aia lelei nei lifi i taimi uma.

Fa'ailoa fo'i e le Minisitā, mo falema'i fa'aitumālō, e faigofie lava ona ofo le fesoasoani mo le toe fa'aleleia peita'i o lo'o i ai fo'i matā'upu tau 'āiga e ona fanua o lo'o lisi ai le Matāgaluega, ma o lo'o unā'ia pea le mautū o fe'utana'i gāmo ia matā'upu a'o le'i o'o atu galuega fa'aleleia.

O le tatalo a le Minisitā, ia malamalama lelei le atunu'u i le taumafai atu, auā e lē faigofie galuega toe fa'aleleia o ia auaunaga uma, auā le aga'i atu i le lumana'i.

Toe fa'aa'e Tuila'epa ma Lealailepule

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

I le tuana'i ai o le 13 masina talu ona fa'amālōlō lē tumau Tuila'epa Lupesoliai Dr. Sa'ilele Malielegaoi ma Lealailepule Rimoni Aiafi mai le Palestene, o le Aso Luu, 04 Julai 2023, na tu'uina mai ai le fa'ai'uga aloāia a le Fa'amasinoga Mauāluga, e toe fo'i i lāua i totonu o le Palestene.

O le soloia ai e le Fa'amasinoga Mauāluga o le fa'ai'uga a le Palestene, e tusa o le fa'amālōlō lē tumau o i lāua nei mai o la tofiga Faipule, o se finagalo, ua fa'aālia manino e le afioga i le Fa'amasino Sili iā Sātiu Simativa Perese ma le Fa'amasino iā Leiataualesā Daryl Clarke, e tatau ona tofu Itumālō Palota e 51 o Samoa ma Faipule filifilia, latou te momoliina le sao o Itumālō i le Fono Usu a le atunu'u, ma o lo'o manino lenā mau i le Vaega 44(1) o le Fa'avae o le Mālō Tuto'atasi o Samoa.

O lo'o manino, e le'o faitioina e le Fa'amasinoga le fa'asalaga sa tu'uina atu mo ia Faipule peita'i o le finagalo o le Fa'amasinoga, e lē tatau ona tu'uina atu ni fa'asalaga e a'afia ai faiga fa'avae fa'atemokarasi ma Faigāmālō lelei, aemaise o le leai ai o se leo o Itumālō lē tumau o Tuila'epa ma Lealailepule mo le 2 tausaga.

Palota o Lepā ma Faleata #3.

O le masina o Aokuso 2022, sa fa'alēāogaina ai e le Fa'amasinoga Mauāluga lea lava matā'upu mo le fa'atula'i 'ese o Tuila'epa ma Lealailepule mai le Palestene, e pei ona faia ai le fa'ai'uga a le Palestene mo le fa'amālōlōina o i lāua ne'i se'i a i ai se aso.

Peita'i na toe fa'amautū ai loa iinā ma le fa'ai'uga a le Fono Aoao Faitulafono mo le umi e 2 tausaga o le a fa'amālōlō lē tumau ai ia Faipule, e aunoa ma ni totogi po'o ni fa'amanuiaga tau tofiga Faipule, e toe maua ei lāua nei.

O le fa'ai'uga a le Fa'amasinoga, ua le gata e toe a'e Tuila'epa ma Lealailepule i le Palestene, ae o le a toe maua o la totogi e le'i mafai ona maua i lenei 13 masina, e aofia ai ma fa'amanuiaga uma tau tofi Faipule.

O le fa'asalaga o i lāua nei, na afua i le fautuaga sa tu'uina atu e le Komiti Fa'apitoa o Amioga Tauāloa a Faipule o le Palestene, e pei ona Ta'ita'ifono ai le afioga iā Valasi Luapitoifanua To'ogamaga Tafito Selesel, ma pāsiai ai e le Fono Usu a le atunu'u, le mālōlō lē tumau o Tuila'epa ma Lealailepule mo le 2 tausaga.

Pa'ū mauālalo le tau o le suā'u mo Iulai 2023

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O se tala fiafia lea mo le mamalu o le atunu'u, ina ua fa'alauiloa e le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tupe iā Mulipola Anarosa 'Ale – Molio'o le pa'ū mauālalo lea o le tau o le suā'u mo le masina lenei o Iulai 2023.

Mo le Penisini, sa \$3.40 i le masina o luni, lenei ua fa'aitiitia i le 23.9 sene ma ua maua ai lona tau mo lenei masina e \$3.16 i le lita.

O le Tiso, sa \$3.35 lea fo'i ua fa'aitiitia i le 19.3 sene, ma ua maua ai lona tau fou e \$3.35 i le lita a'o le Karasini, ua pa'ū i le 19.4 sene i le lita, e pei ona i ai lona tau e \$2.98 ia luni lenei ua \$2.79 mo le masina lenei o lulai.

Fa'alioa e le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tupe;

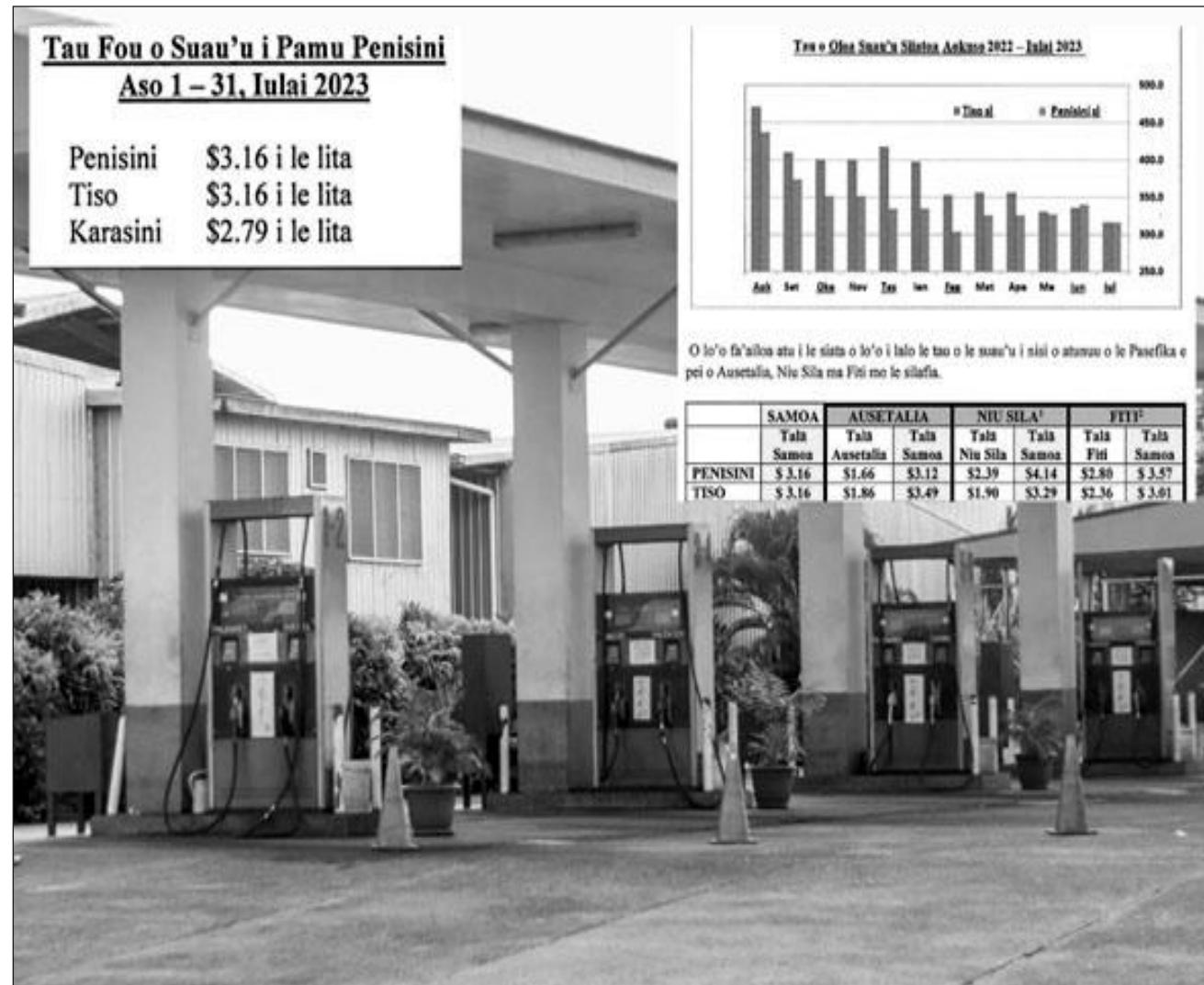
"E lua masina talu ona fa'alauiloa le fa'aitiitia o le suā'u gaosia, ae toe faia le Fonotaga i Vienna, a Sui o le Fa'alapopototoga o Atunu'u e Gaosia ma Tufatufaina le Suā'u (O.P.E.C.) e aofia ai Rusia ma isi atunu'u, e toe talanoaina ai pe mo'omia le fa'aitiitia o le suā'u gaosi.

"O lo latou fa'amoemoega, o le toe si'itia o le maketi mo suā'u ua tau fa'aletonu.

"O le tau o le suā'u talu mai le ogātotonu o Aperila sa pa'ū, e sili atu ma le 12%.

"O le mafua'aga autū o le pa'ū, ona o popolega faifaipea i a'afiaga i le tamāo'āiga o le lalolagi, lea ua mafua ai popolega i le aufaipisinisi ma tagata fa'atau.

"Ma e ono mauālalo ai le mana'oga mo oloa tau suā'u ma isi oloa."



Pamu a Toleafoa i Savalalo – ma le suiga o le fa'aitiitia o le tau o le suā'u mo lenei masina o Iulai 2023.

Matāti'a maoa'e le si'itia i le \$1 miliona tupe fa'aagaaga a le U.T.O.S. mo le aufaiiunite

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

I le amata fa'avaeina ai o le U.T.O.S. mai le tausaga e 2010, o le ulua'i taimi lenei, ua fa'amauna ai i lona tala fa'asolopito, le si'itia i le \$1 miliona tupe fa'aagaga fuafuaina mo le aufaiiunite ua maua fa'atusatusa i tausaga fa'aletuple ua mavae.

Ua fa'alauiloa e le Pulega mo Fa'aputugātupe Teufa'afaigaluega o Mavaega Tausi a Samoa (U.T.O.S.) le si'itia ai i le \$1 miliona o seleni fa'aagaga fuafuaina, e tufatufa atu mo le aufaiiunite a le U.T.O.S. mo le tausaga fa'aletuple 2022 – 2023, lea e fa'ai'uina i le Aso 30 luni 2023.

I le pepa o fa'amatalaga sa folasia manino ai e fa'apea;

"Ua toe fa'alauiloa e le Komiti Fa'atonu a le Pulega mo Fa'aputugātupe Teufa'afaigaluega o Mavaega Tausi a Samoa fa'apea le Tausi Mavaega se isi tausaga manuia mo le Fa'aputugātupe ina ua latou fa'amaoina ma fa'alauiloa le \$8.5 miliona o le ā tufatufa atu i sui faiiunite i le mae'a ai o le tausaga fa'aletuple i le Aso 30 o luni 2023.

"O lenei tufatufaga ua sili atu nai lo le tufatufaga i le tausaga ua tuana'i atu, lea sa ausia ai le \$7.5 miliona, ma ua fa'amauna o se matāti'a fou lenei ua ausia talu ona fa'avae mai le Fa'aputugātupe i le 2010.

"O sui faiiunite sa i ai latou teugātupe e o'o mai le Aso 30 o luni 2023, o le ā agava'a i le 8 sene i le iunite mai lea tufatufaga ma o le ā mafai ona tala uma i tua a latou tufatufaga, pe toe tului i totolu o latou teugātupe e amata atu le aso 10 o lulu 2023.

"A fa'apasene e 10.95% le aofa'iga o fa'amanuiga mo lenei tausaga ma e 1.7% ua si'itia ai pe ā fa'atusatusa i le tausaga fa'aletuple sa fa'ai'uina iā luni 2022.

"Ina ua toe tatalaina o tuāoi mo faigāmalaga mai Samoa iā Aokuso 2022, ae o lo'o fa'aauau pea ona sa'ilili e le Fa'aputugātupe Teufa'afaigaluega o Mavaega Tausi a Samoa nisi avanoa fa'opo'opo e ono maua mai ai nisi tupe fa'asili mo ana sui faiiunite ma ana pa'aga masani, a'e o lo'o fa'aauau pea ona mata'itūina



Afioga i le Ofisa Sili o Pulega o le U.T.O.S. iā Tevaga Viane Tagiilima, le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tupe iā Mulipola Anarosa 'Ale – Molio'o fa'apea le Komiti Fa'atonu o le U.T.O.S. i lana Fonotaga Fa'aletausaga i lenei tausaga 2023.

vaegātupe o lo'o teufa'afaigaluega i le taimi nei, ia mautinoa le ausia o se si'itagia o tupe maua mo le aufaiiunite.

"O lo'o fa'aauau pea ona fa'alauiloa e le Kamupanī o Pulega le malu puipuia o ana tupe teufa'afaigaluega e pei ona i ai lenei taunu'uga lelei o galuega fa'atino a le Fa'aputugātupe.

"E ui o lo'o pagātia pea si o tatou atunu'u ma le lalolagi atoa ona o a'afiaga o le fa'ama'i o le Koviti – 19, peita'i na mafai lava e le Fa'aputugātupe ona ausia ni taunu'uga lelei mai ana galuega fa'atino i totolu o nei tausaga e tolou.

Na fa'aalia e le Ofisa Sili o Pulega o le U.T.O.S. iā Tevaga Viane Tagiilima e fai ai ma sui o le Komiti Fa'atonu ma le Tausi Mavaega, le agaga fa'afetai i le mamalu o le aufaiiunite fa'apea pa'aga masani a le U.T.O.S. mo le fa'atuatuaina o le tatou Fa'aputugātupe e avea ma auala e teufa'afaigaluega ai latou teugātupe.

"Ua tolu tausaga talu ona feagai tatou ma faigatā ona o le fa'ama'i o le Koviti – 19, peita'i na fa'aauau pea ona tu'uina atu e le aufaiiunite, lea ua mafua ai ona ausia se taunu'uga lelei, mo lenei tausaga fa'aletuple.

Na fa'afetai fo'i e le Ofisa Sili le Komiti Fa'atonu ua mavae atu, sa Ta'ita'ifono ai le tofā iā Asiata Afoa Kolone Va'ai, mo le fa'afoeina mai o le Kamupanī o Pulega i kuata muamua e tolu o le tausaga fa'aletuple lenei, ma tausaga e tele ua mavae, mo le telē o le latou sao i galuega fa'atino ma tomai fa'asoai mai, lea ua manuia ai galuega fai a le Fa'aputugātupe i lenei tausaga fa'aletuple.

"O le Fa'aputugātupe Teufa'afaigaluega o Mavaega Tausi a Samoa, o se Fa'aputugātupe Tumā'oti e pulea e le aufaiiunite ma ua tu'uina atu le fa'atuatuaga i le Kamupanī tau Mavaega Tausi, e va'aia ma tausia uma ana aseta.

"O nei vaegātupe e teufa'afaigaluega i ni auala ese'ese e maua mai ai ni seleni fa'aa'opo'opo, e pei o tupe teu fa'avaitaimi i faletupe, nonōgātupe malupuipuia i le Mālō o Samoa ma sea i totolu o Kamupanī Tumā'oti i Samoa nei ma le Pasefika. O le anava fa'aagafeso'ota'i a le Fa'aputugātupe, o le manuia lea o tagata uma, ia saunia ni auala faigofie ma taugofie e teufa'afaigaluega ai seleni a so'o se tagatānu'u Samoa. Ae o lana anava fa'apisinisi, ina ia ausia ni tupe fa'asili mo ana aufaiiunite mai ana teugātupe ua mae'a ona iloilo toto'a."

Mo nisi fa'amatalaga e uiga i lau teugātupe teufa'afaigaluega i le U.T.O.S. fa'amolemole fa'afeso'ota'i ane le latou Ofisa i le +685 29916 po'o le +685 26949.

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Taimi muamua iā Vaisigano #2 ua faia ai sa latou Ulua'i Seleselēga

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O le agaga o le fa'afetai ma le fa'agae'tia i ali'i ma faipule o afio'aga ta'itasi o le Itumālō Palota o Vaisigano #2, ona ua mafai ona o'o atu lenei polokalame fa'apitoa a le Mālō mo Itumālō Palota e 51 i le atunu'u.

O le fa'aāliga o fua o fa'ato'aga, o lafumanu fa'apea figota ma i'a o le sami mai le fa'asao i le gataifale o Vaisigano #2, o se itu lelei lea, ua mautinoa ai e le Mālō, le tulaga lelei o le galueā'ina o le lau'ele'ele ma le fa'asao o le gataifale e ia afio'aga, ma o se tapenaga mautū lea, ina ne'i lofia Samoa i aso leaga ma taimi faigatā.

Na lolofi ane le aufaifa'ato'aga, aufailafumanu ma le aufaifaiva, e fa'aālii fua o a latou taumafaiga sa gapātia ai i le tele o tausaga, o se va'aiga maofa ma le matagofie, le tulaga 'ese o le soifua galulue o le Itumālō.

O le pine fa'amau lea, o lo'o mulimulitu'i lava o tatou tagata, i le augani atu a le tatou Mālō, ina ia tu'uitiitia le ola fa'alagolago i galuega fa'avaitaimi i fafo, ae atia'e ma fa'ato'a o tatou laufanua o lo'o tanumia ai le tele o le tamāo'āiga o nu'u ma 'āiga ta'itasi.

O se va'aiga fiafia i le Mālō e pei ona ta'imua ai le Matāgaluega o Fa'ato'aga ma Faigāfaiva, ona ua lē gata o fua o fa'a'ele'eleaga ma i'a o le sami, ae ua fa'aālii ai fo'i ma meataulima a'o fala nini'i, ie lauie Samoa ma fala lili'i e aofia ai ma salutū po'o salulima fo'i, o iinā o lo'o matuā mautinoa ai le telē o le fa'atāua o lo'o 'ave e o tatou tagata, e tusa ma le finagalo o lo tatou Mālō.

O Vaisigano #2, o le Itumālō Palota lea, o le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina iā Valasi Luapitoifanua To'ogamaga Tafito Seleselē.

O le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Fa'ato'aga ma Faigāfaiva iā La'auli Leuatea Polāta'ivao Fosi, sa ia momoli le fa'afetai fa'aptioa a le Mālō e tusa o le tautigā o le Itumālō ua folasia nei e ala i le Ulua'i Seleselēga mo le Tausaga Fa'aletupe 2022 – 2023.



Fono Fa'avae mo Vaisigano #2

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O le tatala aloā'ia o le Ofisa Autū o le Fono Fa'avae mo le Itumālō Palota o Vaisigano #2, o se amataga fou lea mo lea Itumālō, e tapena ai a latou fuafuaga mamao mo le lumana'i manua o afio'aga ta'itasi o le Itumālō.

O lea Ofisa Autū, o le ogātonugālēmū lea, o le ala o fa'amaniuga mo le Polōketi \$1 miliona mo Itumālō Palota e 51 i Samoa.

O lea faiga fou a le Faigāmālō ua ta'ita'ia Samoa mo lenei paeā'iga, le Fa'atuatua i le Atua Samoa ua Tasi (F.A.S.T.), o le va'ai mamao, ina ia fa'amatu'u atu lava le fesoasoani tu'usa'o i 'āao o tagatanu'u o lo'o alala ma pāpā'ao i nu'u ta'itasi.

O se faiga ina ia matuā iloa tino ai e le Mālō, mana'oga o lo'o nanau i ai tagatanu'u o Samoa, nai lo le tu'u i le Mālō latou te fa'asoasoaina atu i le taimi i lea taimi.

O le mae'a fausia o lea Ofisa Autū o le Fono Fa'avae, o le a galulue ai le Komiti Filifilia ma le aufaigaluega a Vaisigano #2, e so'oso'otauau ma le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafeso'ota'i ma lo latou Faipule, auā le fa'ata'atiaina o fuafuaga autasi a nu'u



uma o le Itumālō, i ni polōketi po'o ni atina'e e fa'atino, e manua ai 'āiga, nu'u ma ekalesia.

O lea fo'i Ofisa, o le a taula tasi i ai talosaga uma, o mana'oga o le Itumālō ma fa'agasoilo i ai le iloilogia a le Komiti Filifilia, a'o le'i pāsia ma fa'atupeina i le fa'amalu o le Polokalame \$1 Miliona a le Mālō.

Mo le silafia, o le taimi nei, e 'ese'ese lava

vaega o lo'o 'ave i ai le fa'amuamua a Itumālō Palota uma e 51 i le atunu'u, e aofia ai nisi o Itumālō, ua fa'atau pasi e feoa'i ai fanau i 'āoga, o loli mo galuega a le Itumālō, o le totogiina o pili'āoga o le fanau mo le lunivesite ma isi Matātā 'Ese'ese, ma isi lava fuafuaga lelei.

O ia polōketi fuafuaina, e tatau ona o gatasai ma ta'iala ua fa'ata'oto, i lalo o le

fa'amoemoega mauāluga na fa'avaeina ai lenei fuafuaga lelei.

Na molimauina lenei fa'amoemoe, e le afioga i le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafeso'ota'i iā Leota Laki Lamositele, o nisi o Minisitā o le Kapaneta fa'apea Sui o le Mālō ma le Itumālō o Vaisigano #2.

Fa'amanuia le Palemia i taumafaiga uma a le Ekalesia Worship Centre Worldwide

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

O lo'o fa'agasolo i lenei vайaso le Fonotaga Tele a le Ekalesia Aoao a le Worship Centre Worldwide i le lalolagi atoa, e pei ona talimālō ai Samoa.

Ua o gatasi lea Fono Tele, ma le mae'a lelei o le galuega tele, o le malumalu tapua'i autū o le Ekalesia i Sogi, o se fiafiaga sili lea i le pāia o le Ekalesia auā ua i'u manua lenei taumafaiga sa fitātuga i ai i le tele o tauaga ua mavae.

I le savali iā Keriso, sa fa'ataunu'uina i le Aso To'ana'i o le vайaso ua mavae, na momoli ai le fa'afetai fa'apitoa a le Mālō e tauala atu i le afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa, a'o se fa'amanuiafa fo'i mai lana afioga, ona o le agaga kerisiano o lo'o fa'atupulā'ia pea, i loto ma fa'amoemoe o tatou tagata Samoa.

Na momoli ai le meaalofa tupe e \$5,000 a le Mālō mo le Ekalesia, fa'atasi ai ma le \$5,000 o le taulaga a le afioga i le Palemia iā Fiame Naomi Mataafa.

I le saunoaga a le Ta'ita'i o le Mālō, e tusa o lea fa'amoemoe, na ia fa'iloo ai le tāua tele o le sao o le Worship Centre Worldwide i le fafagaina pea o agaga o tagata Samoa e ala i le 'upu fa'aleagaga a lo tatou Matai Sili o i le lagi.

"O lea ua suluia ulufanua i le mālama o lenei taeao fou, ae gāfoa le ata ma totogo a'e le sau o lagē e puaina mai le soifua laulelei o si o tatou atunu'u. O le asō, e mafua ona o le Atua. Ua tini ma taunu'u le fa'amoemoe na tu'ulagi, ona o lona fa'amaoni. O le mea lea, tatou te molimau fa'atasi, e lelei, e lelei lava le Atua.

"Lau Susuga i le Ta'ita'i o le Sauniga, le pāia i le nofo a fa'afeagaiga, fa'apea tulaga tofi mamalu o le Ekalesia Worship Centre Worldwide, aemaise le pāia mauāluga o Samoa ua o tatou fai taulaga fa'atasi i lenei taeao, ou te fa'atalofa atu.

"O lea ua tu le failā, auā le 'ala ma le mila, o le mauga pāia o le Atua e tapua'i ai lana fanau. O le vi'iiga ma le fa'afetai e fo'i i le Atua, auā o lea ua o tatou patipatia le fa'ai'uga manuia o lenei galuega tele. Ou te mautinoa sa tau fuafua ma fa'ataatau lenei fa'amoemoe i le tele o tauaga, talu ona fa'avae le Ekalesia, ma sa outou momoli i le Atua le mana'oga mo se malumalu tapua'i. A lea ua taunu'u i le taeao nei. O ai ea na mafua ai? O le Atua fai vavega lenā, o ia na foa'iina le tamāo'aiga ma le sosia i o outou 'āao.

"Ou te fa'afetai atu i le Ta'ita'i o le Ekalesia, aemaise le soifua finafinai o le Susuga i le Apostolo iā Viliamu Mafo'e ua fai i lagi le folauga, ma le loaloa o le Ekalesia aoao. O lo outou soifua ofoina atu e auauna i le Atua, e leo tele i le tino mai o lenei galuega. E i ai fa'afitauli, e lē taugofie, atoa ai ma le tele o taimi na mo'omia e fa'ataulagaina mo le galuega. Fa'afetai le fa'atoatoa, fa'amālō le faiataulaga.

"O lea fo'i e usu mai i Samoa nei le Fonotaga a le Ekalesia ma fa'amoemoe e tofia ai lo outou Ta'ita'i.

"Ou te tatalo, ia ta'ita'ifono le Agaga Pāia, auā o la o lo tatou fesoasoani sili, e a'oa'o, fa'atonu ma ta'ita'i tatou i mea tonu uma lava, e ala iā Iesu Keriso.

"E avea ai a'u nei ma sui o le tatou Mālō, e momoli atu ai fa'amanuiafa mo le fa'alagamaea a le Ekalesia, e ala i lana fonotaga i lenā vайaso fou. Ia manuia le tofiga o le Susuga i le Ta'ita'i o le Ekalesia. O le tatalo, ia manuia le galuega, ma ia so'ofau le ta'ita'iga o le Ekalesia e pei ona fa'avaeina ai.

"E fa'atāua pea e le tatou Mālō le tapu'eina o le soifua tapua'i o Samoa i lo tatou Atua. O Samoa o le atunu'u Kerisiano, ma e lē se'e 'ese a'u nei ma le Faigāmālō i le fa'asinomaga a lo tatou Fa'avae, 'E fa'avae i le Atua le Mālō Tuto'atasi o Samoa'.

"O le laolao fo'i lenei ou te momoli atu ai le fa'afetai tele i le pāia o le Ekalesia i lo outou fai tatalo mo le Mālō ma si o tatou atunu'u. Tatou te lē mafaa se mea, pe afai e lē auai mai le Atua.

"E fa'apei o la Iesu 'e lē mafai e lālā o le vine ona fua, pe afai e lē pipi'i i le vine'.

"Le pāia e, o le vasega o Fa'afeagaiga ma Tiākono, o le 'au tatalo ma le vasega o Misionare o le Ekalesia, tatou fa'amalolosi i lo



tatou valā'auina ma le poloā'iga tele ua tu'uina mai mo tatou, ina ia papatiso atu i le Suafa o le Tamā, ma le Alo ma le Agaga Pāia, ma fai nu'u uma lava ma so'o.

"Ia manuia le loaloa o le Ekalesia i tagata lotu uma i Samoa nei ma atunu'u e mamao. Ia fa'amanuia mai le Atua i le tatalaina o lenei

galuega tele aemaise le tofiga o le Ta'ita'i o le Ekalesia Aoao, fa'apea le fonotaga a le Ekalesia i le vайaso fou."

Mo le silafia, ua mae'a tofia le Ta'ita'i fou o le Ekalesia Worship Centre Christian Church Worldwide, e pei ona filifilia ai le susuga i le Fa'afeagaiga iā Apostolo To'outa Aloali'i e sui

tulaga i le afioga iā Apostolo Viliamu Mafo'e ua tu'umālō.

O Apostolo Aloali'i, o le Fa'afeagaiga Sinia mo lana Ekalesia Worship Centre i Melepone i Ausetalia.