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EXECUTIVE ORDER 002-2021

AN ORDER TO AMENDING COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHIPYARD SERVICES AUTHORITY AND THE AUTHORITY TO APPOINT THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Section 1: Authority

This executive order is hereby issued in accordance with the powers and authority granted to the Governor by Article IV, Sections 6 and 7 of the Revised Constitution of American Samoa, and the American Samoa Code Annotated, Section 4.0111 (b).

Section 2: Appointment of an Executive Director

(a) Executive Order 002-2011, Section 6, Paragraph (2) is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(2) appoint and prescribe the compensation for the Deputy Executive Director and Finance Manager, who will perform duties assigned by the Executive Director subject to all applicable laws and rules, the bylaws of the Authority, and directions of the Board;”

(b) Executive Order 002-2011, Section 7 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(1) The Governor shall appoint the Executive Director and who will serve at the pleasure of the Governor. The Executive Director will be the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority and exercise all executive functions. The Executive Director’s compensation shall be set by the Board.

“(2) All officers and employees of the Authority other than the Executive Director, Deputy Director, and the Finance Manager will be appointed and compensated in accordance with the requirements of the government employee laws in Title 7 of the American Samoa Annotated Code (“A.S.C.A.”); however, the Board may adopt administrative rules, pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act, Title 4, Chapter 10 of the A.S.C.A., to supplant government employee laws and rules in the specific categories of personnel recruitment, employment, termination of employee services, disciplinary actions, and compensation.”

Section 3: Number of People Appointed to the Board of Directors


- (a) Executive Order 006-2013 Section 3(a), which amended Executive Order 002-2011 is rescinded.
- (b) Executive Order 002-2011 Section 5, Paragraph (a) is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(a) The Authority is governed by a Board of 11 Directors, appointed by the Governor. At least 2 of the Directors shall be experienced in the management of shipyards and/or sea going vessels, at least one shall have a financial background, and at least one shall have a legal background.

Section 4: Effective Date

This order shall take effect immediately upon the signature of the Governor.

Date: 2/8/2021


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Governor of American Samoa