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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 009 – 2013

**AN ORDER AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 004-2010 TO CLARIFY THE
LEADERSHIP ROLES ON THE AMERICAN SAMOA RENEWABLE ENERGY
COMMITTEE**

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, § 4.0111(a).

Section 2: Purpose

Executive Order 004-2010 created the American Samoa Renewable Energy Committee and directed the development and implementation of a strategic energy plan for the territory. The Executive Order directed that the Committee shall be headed by the Chief Executive Officer of the American Samoa Power Authority and the Director of the Territorial Energy Office.

A more practical leadership model is to name a Chairperson, and if necessary a Vice Chairperson of such a committee, in order to foster a more well organized leadership team, and to provide greater clarity to the direction of the committee.

Section 3: Order

Section 2 of Executive Order 004-2010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“There is established the American Samoa Renewable Energy Committee, which shall have as its Chairperson the Director of the Territorial Energy Office. The Vice Chairperson shall be the Executive Director of the American Samoa Power Authority, who shall assume the responsibilities of the Chairperson in his or her absence. The Committee shall include individuals from the various stakeholder entities that have an interest in the establishment and development of renewable energies in the territory.

The Renewable Energy Committee shall:

- Develop a vision, mission, and goals for reducing dependence on fossil fuels, improving energy efficiency, and developing renewable energy resources
- Establish an organizational structure to appropriately develop a comprehensive, long term Strategic Energy Plan for American Samoa
- Work with territorial and federal officials to secure technical assistance in the form of expertise and funding in order to move the Committee's mission forward.

All departments and agencies of the American Samoa Government shall support and where appropriate assist the Committee in the development and implementation of its goals.

Section 4: Effective Date

This order shall take effect immediately.

Dated: April 18, 2013

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