

LANDS, SURVEYS AND ENVIRONMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2015

SAMOA

Explanatory Memorandum

Introduction

The Bill seeks to amend the Lands, Surveys and Environment Act 1989 (“Principal Act”) to allow other persons (including enforcement officers of the Land Transport Authority) to be authorised to enforce the litter provisions under the Principal Act.

**TULAFONO TAU FAAOFI O TEUTEUGA O LE TULAFONO
O ELEELE, FUAGAFANUA MA LE SIOSIOMAGA 2015**

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Faamatalaga e Faamalamalama ai

Faatomuaga

Ua taumafai le Tulafono Tau Faaofi e teuteu le Tulafono o Eleele, Fuagafanua ma le Siosiomaga 1989 (“Tulafono Autu”) ia avanoa ai isi tagata (e aofia ai tagata ofisa e faamalosia o le Pulega o Felauaiga i le Laualeele) ina ia faatagaina e faamamaluina aiaiga o tulaga o le faaotaota i lalo o le Tulafono Autu.

Clauses:

- Clause 1:** - provides for the short title and commencement.
- Clause 2:** - amends section 4(2)(c) of the Principal Act to replace reference to Deputy Chief Executive Officer of Lands, Surveys and Environment with Assistant Chief Executive Officers.
- Clause 3:** - amends section 106 to empower the Chief Executive Officer to appoint other persons as authorised officers. The enforcement officers of the Land Transport Authority are treated as authorised officers for that purpose.
- Clause 4:** - replaces references to “Conservation Officer” or “Conservation Officers” in the Principal Act or other enactments with “authorised officer” or “authorised officers”.

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Fuaiupu:

- Fuaiupu 1:** - ua aiaia ai le igoa puupuu ma le amataga.
- Fuaiupu 2:** - ua teuteu ai le fuaiupu 4(2)(c) o le Tulafono Autu ina ia suia ai le faasinomaga i le Sui Faatonu Sili o Eleele, Fuagafanua ma le Siosiomaga i le Ofisa Sili Lagolago o Pulega.
- Fuaiupu 3:** - ua teuteu ai le fuaiupu 106 ina ia tuuina atu ai malosiaga i le Ofisa Sili o Pulega e tofia ai nisi tagata e avea ma tagata ofisa faatagaina. Ua faatatauina tagata ofisa e faamamaluina o le Pulega o Felauaiga i le Laueleele, e avea ma tagata ofisa faatagaina mo lea faamoemoe.
- Fuaiupu 4:** - ua suia ai faasinomaga i le “Tagata Ofisa mo le Faasaoina” po o “o Tagata Ofisa mo le Faasaoina” o i totonu o le Tulafono Autu po o i nisi tulafono, i le “tagata ofisa faatagaina” po o “o tagata ofisa faatagaina”.

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