

## SAMOA

### Arrangement of Provisions

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## 2001, No. 2

### **AN ACT to provide for a General Wage Increase for Public Officeholders and Public Servants.** [24<sup>th</sup> January 2001]

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislative Assembly of Samoa in Parliament assembled as follows:-

**1. Short title and commencement-**(1) This Act may be cited as the General Wage Increase (Public Officeholders and Public Servants) Act 2001.

(2) This Act shall come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2001.

**2. Increase in Wage or Salary for Public Officeholders and Public Servants-**(1) Notwithstanding any other Act, Regulation, Order or Direction the wage or salary or

remuneration, as the case may be, for each Public Officeholder and Public Servant referred to in the Schedule to this Act shall be increased by five (5) per centum as from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2001.

(2) Where in any Act, Regulation, Order or Direction the wage or salary or remuneration, as the case may be, for the Officeholders and Public Servants referred to in the Schedule is identified as a nominated amount the relevant Act, Regulation, Order or Direction is amended accordingly so that the nominated wage or salary or remuneration, as the case may be, is increased by five (5) per centum.

(3) For the purpose of avoiding any uncertainty the five (5) per centum increase referred to in subsection (1) does not apply to any allowances or other supplemental payments.

## SCHEDULE

<u>Position</u>	<u>Act, Regulation, Order or Direction</u>
1. Head of State	Article 22, Constitution of Samoa (“the Constitution”) and Section 7, Head of State Act 1965
2. Members of the Council of Deputies	Article 25, Constitution and Section 16, Head of State Act 1965
3. Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister and Cabinet Ministers	Article 35, Constitution and Sections 3,4 and 16 of the Civil List Act 1964
4. Speaker of the House, Deputy Speaker and Leader of the Opposition	Sections 7,8,9 and 16, Civil List Act 1964
5. Parliamentary Under-Secretaries, Chairs of the Public Accounts and Bills Committees and Members of Parliament	Sections 7, 10 and 16, Civil List Act 1964

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6.	Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court and District Court	Article 69, Constitution and Section 29, Judicature Ordinance 1961
7.	Judges and Assessors, Land and Titles Court	Section 32, Land and Titles Act 1981
8.	Controller and Chief Auditor	Article 98, Constitution and Section 9, Audit Office Ordinance 1961
9.	Attorney General	Article 41, Constitution
10.	Ombudsman	Section 7, Komesina o Sulufaiga (Ombudsman) Act 1988
11.	Commissioner of Police, Prisons and Fire Service and Members of the Police Service, Prison Service and Fire Service	Sections 15 and 51, Police Service Act 1977, Sections 14 and 23, Prisons Act 1977 and Schedule 1, Police Service Regulation 1970 and Schedule 2, Prisons Regulation 1954
12.	Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of Samoa, Deputy Clerk and staff of the Legislative Department	Order 167, Standing Orders of the Parliament of Samoa
13.	Heads of Departments	Section 9, all Officeholders referred to in Schedule 1, and Section 2, Second
14.	Public Servants	Schedule of the Public Service (Special Posts) Act 1989
15.	Members of the following Committees and Boards:	
(a)	Treasury Advisory Committee	By Direction of the Financial Secretary
(b)	Agriculture Advisory and Technical Committee	Section 13, Agriculture, Forests and Fisheries Ordinance 1959

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| (c) Public Works<br>Advisory Committee                   | Section 13, Public Works Ordinance<br>1959                |
| (d) Women's Affairs<br>Advisory Committee                | Sections 11 and 16, Ministry of<br>Women Affairs Act 1990 |
| (e) Internal Affairs<br>Executive Committee              | Section 10, Internal Affairs Act 1995                     |
| (f) Transport Control<br>Board                           | Sections 51 and 53A, Road Traffic<br>Ordinance 1960       |
| (g) Trade, Commerce<br>and Industry<br>Development Board | Section 5, Trade, Commerce and<br>Industry Act 1990       |
| (h) Statistics Advisory<br>Board                         | Sections 4 and 9, Statistics Act 1971                     |
| (i) Government Tenders<br>Board                          | Regulations 38, Treasury Regulation<br>1965               |
| (j) National Revenue<br>Board                            | Sections 3 and 10, National Revenue<br>Board Act 1990     |