



GOVERNMENT OF AMERICAN SAMOA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
PAGO PAGO, AMERICAN SAMOA, 96799

In reply refer to

May 16, 1977

EXECUTIVE ORDER 3-77

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY - HIGHWAY SAFETY PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, The Governor is authorized and directed to do all things necessary on behalf of American Samoa to secure the full benefits of the Federal Highway Safety Act of 1966, P.L. 89-564, 80 Stat. 731 as amended, to improve the highway safety of American Samoa; and

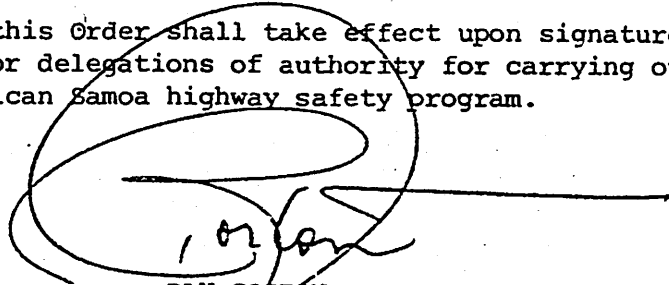
WHEREAS, The Governor as the officer ultimately responsible for the highway safety programs pursuant to the said Highway Safety Act of 1966, the American Samoa Constitution and directives of the Secretary of the Interior, and thereby is authorized and directed to coordinate the highway safety activities of any and all departments and agencies of American Samoa; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to document the establishment of a formal organization and delegate thereto certain of the Governor's powers and authority for the execution of the said highway safety program:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ray Coston, Acting Governor of American Samoa, order and direct as follows:

1. That there is hereby delegated to the Governor's Representative for Highway Safety the powers and authority vested in the Governor necessary to carry out American Samoa's highway safety program.
2. That there is hereby established in the Office of the Governor the Office of Traffic Safety, headed by a Traffic Safety Coordinator and reporting to the Governor's Highway Safety Representative, appointed by the Governor.
3. That all departments and agencies within the Government of American Samoa are to cooperate with the Governor's Representative and the Office of Traffic Safety in the performance of highway safety functions, to the full extent permitted by law.

4. That this Order shall take effect upon signature and supersedes any prior delegations of authority for carrying out the Government of American Samoa highway safety program.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ray Coston', is written over a large, hand-drawn circular scribble. A horizontal line extends to the right from the end of the signature.

RAY COSTON
Acting Governor of American Samoa