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EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 002-2007

AN ORDER DESIGNATING THE FIRST WEDNESDAY AFTER THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY AS THE DAY FOR THE TERRITORIAL PRAYER BREAKFAST

Section 1. Preamble

Whereas, the Territory of American Samoa has, since the arrival of Christianity in these islands, embraced fully and wholeheartedly the Christian practices and principles which form the spiritual basis of our parent democracy the United States of America, as well as provide the foundation for our own Territorial government; and

Whereas, these principles have largely shaped and molded our people and our culture, as well as the lives of those who have lead and served our families, villages, churches and island government for the past one hundred and seven years; and

Whereas, spirituality in our Territory is celebrated on a daily basis in all aspects of life in American Samoa; and

Whereas, it is just and right to give thanks and praise for the blessings of our God that American Samoa receives, as well as to pray for His blessings for our Nation and all countries and their leaders, regardless of race, creed, ethnicity, and religious affiliation, across the globe who face challenges in our world; and

Whereas, the official motto of the Territory of American Samoa is designated as "Samoa-Muamua le Atua."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TOGIOLA T.A. TULAFONO, GOVERNOR OF AMERICAN SAMOA, pursuant to the power vested in me by Article IV of the Revised Constitution of American Samoa, do hereby order and proclaim that the first Wednesday after the first day of the month of February each year be designated as the day on which shall be held the **TERRITORIAL PRAYER BREAKFAST**. All residents of the Territory are asked to remember their local and national leaders in their prayers, as well as all leaders across the world, during this special day.

Section 2. Participation

Participation in the National Prayer Breakfast shall be inclusive.

Section 3. Effective Date

This order shall take effect immediately.

Dated: Feb. 1st, 2007.



TOGIOLA T.A. TULAFONO
Governor

cc: Per Standard List