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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 13 -1987

CLARIFICATION OF DUTIES OF  
SWAIN'S ISLAND GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE

RESCISSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 9-1987

Section 1 - Designation of Representative:

By the authority vested in the Governor of American Samoa under the provisions of Sections 5.0401 through 5.0403, American Samoa Code Annotated, Mr. Papaali'itelele Jack E. Thompson is hereby appointed to serve as government representative for Swains Island.

Section 2 - Duties of Government Representative:

It is the duty of the government representative to:

- (1) act as the representative of the Governor on Swains Island;
- (2) mediate disputes between employees and their employer;
- (3) enforce laws of the United States, and American Samoa applicable on Swains Island;
- (4) enforce village regulations;
- (5) keep the Governor advised as to the state of affairs on Swains Island, particularly as to the health, education, safety, and welfare of the people thereon;
- (6) insure that the people of Swains Island continue to enjoy the rights, privileges and immunities accorded to them by the laws of the United States and American Samoa;
- (7) insure that the proprietary rights of the proprietor are respected.

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Section 3 - Coordination with Other Agencies:

The government representative shall, in case of government program activities being conducted on Swains Island under the authority of another government agency, be responsible to coordinate and assist where necessary the carrying out of such activities, but shall not supplant either the authority or responsibility of those legally in charge of same.

Section 4 - Rescission:

Executive Order No. 9-1987 is hereby rescinded.

Section 5 - Effective Date:

This executive order shall be effective upon signature of the Governor.

Dated: August 14, 1987

  
A. P. LUTALI  
Governor of American Samoa