




AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT  
PAGO PAGO, AMERICAN SAMOA 96799  
LEGISLATURE OF AMERICAN SAMOA

In reply refer to:

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

House Chamber  
February 7, 1987

I certify that House Bill No. 27 passed third reading on this date in the House of Representatives during its First Regular Session of the Twentieth Legislature of American Samoa.

  
WALLY F. UFU  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

Senate Chamber  
March 5, 1987

I certify that House Bill No. 27 passed third reading on this date in the Senate during its First Regular Session of the Twentieth Legislature of American Samoa.

  
MRS. SALILO K. LEVI  
Secretary of the Senate

THE TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE OF AMERICAN SAMOA

First Regular Session

Begun and held at Fagatogo, Tutuila, American Samoa on Monday, the twelfth day of January one thousand nine hundred and eighty seven

AN ACT MAKING THE WRITING OF GRAFFITI ON PUBLIC PROPERTY AN OFFENSE PUNISHABLE IN COURT; CREATING A NEW SECTION 46.4810 ASCA.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF AMERICAN SAMOA:

Section 1. There is created a new section 46.4810 which reads: "46.4810 Graffiti prohibited.

(a) A person commits the crime of graffiti if he marks the exterior face of any public property, including roads, buildings, and equipment, with any figures, drawings, or other writings, using paint lacquer, varnish, dye or other substance intended to last on such exterior face for more than 24 hours.

(b) Graffiti prohibited by subsection (a) is not an offense if committed under the supervision of public officials who authorize such figures, drawings or writing as part of a beautification project.

(c) Graffiti is punishable, at the discretion of the court, as follows:

- (1) as a class B misdemeanor, or
(2) by ordering the defendant to do a fixed number of hours of community service work cleaning public property defaced by graffiti."

LETULI TOLOA
President of the Senate

TUANA'ITAU F. TUIA
Speaker of the House

Hereby Approved this 20 day of March, 19 87

Governor of American Samoa

NOFOAIGA LUASEFULU FONOFAITULAFONO O AMERIKA SAMOA

Fono Tele Muamua

Nofoia ma usuia i Fagatogo, Tutuila, Amerika Samoa  
Aso Gafua, aso sefululua o Ianuari  
tasi le afe iva selau valusefulu fitu

O SE TULAFONO I LE FAIA O TUSITUSIGA O MEA MATAGĀ I LUGA  
O MEATOTINO LAUTELE O SE SOLITULAFONO IA FAASALAINA I LE  
FAAMASINOGA; FAAVAEINA SE MAGA FOU 46.4810 TFAS.

IA FAATULAFONOINA E LE FONOFAITULAFONO O AMERIKA SAMOA:

Maga 1. Ua faavaeina se maga fou 46.4810 e faitauina:

"46.4810 Faasaina mea aogā faatamaia.

(a) O se tagata e faia se solitulafono o le faatamaia  
o mea aogā pe afai ua osiosi foliga i fafo o so o se meato-  
tino lautele, aofia ai auala, fale tetele, ma mea faiga-  
luega, faatasi ma so o se faatagata, atatusi, po o isi tusi-  
tusiga, fa'aaogaina vali, vanisi iila malosi, vanisi, vali  
po o isi suavai lanu e umi ona iai i foliga i fafo mo le  
sili atu mai le 24 itula.

(e) Mea aogā faatamaia faasaina e le soamaga (a) ua  
le o se solitulafono pe afai ua faia i lalo o le va'a-  
vaaiga a tagata faigaluega lautele e faataga ia faatagata,  
atatusi po o tusitusiga e pei o se vaega o se galuega faa-  
matagofie.


(i) Mea aoga faatamaia ua faasalaina, i le ta'ita'iga  
o le faamasinoga, epei ona faatulagaina:

(1) o se solitulafono mamā Vasega E, po o

(2) ia faatonuina le ua molia i le faia o se faa-  
tulagaga i le aofa'i o itula e galue ai i nofoaga mo le  
fufuluina o meatotino lautele ua faamatagaina mai tusi-  
tusiga."

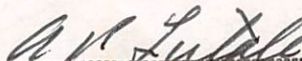
  
LETULI TOLOA

Peresetene, Maota Maualuga

  
TUANA'ITAU F. TUIA

Fofoga Fetalai, Maota o Sui

Hereby Approved this 20 day of March, 1987

  
Governor of American Samoa

