

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT

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GENERAL MEMORANDUM NO. 135 – 24

To: Secretary of Samoan Affairs, CEOs, Presidents and Executive Directors of

Authorities, Directors, Agency and Office Heads

From: Governor of American Samoa

Subject: Recess Appointment to the Medical Center Board of Directors

Pursuant to A.S.C.A. § 4.0112(b) and § 13.0103(h), I am making the following recess appointments to the Medical Center Board of Directors (Board). This appointment will be submitted to the Senate pursuant to A.S.C.A. § 13.0103(b) at the next legislative session.

After serving as a valuable member of the Board since March 2021, Dr. Malouamaua "Malo" Tuiolosega has resigned. The Board is left with one vacancy that must be filled by an active or retired Medical Doctor. Therefore, I appoint the following member to serve on the Board:

Name Effective Date Term to Expire Qualification

Patrick P. Pedro Immediately June 7, 2027 Medical Doctor

Dr. Pedro will serve until the end of the of the next legislative session or his full term once confirmed by the Senate in accordance with A.S.C.A. § 13.0103(h).

Please give Dr. Pedro your full support in his new role.

Governor