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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 8 -1989

TRANSFER OF M/V MATA'ALA

By the authority vested in the Governor of American Samoa by the Revised Constitution and laws of American Samoa, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. TRANSFER.

a. The M/V Mata'ala is transferred from the Department of Port Administration to the Department of Public Safety.

b. The crew of the M/V Mata'ala, unspent funds appropriated to the operation of the vessel during fiscal year 1990, and all materials, equipment and supplies under the jurisdiction of the Department of Port Administration and purchased with funds appropriated to the operation of the vessel are transferred to the Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. FUNCTIONS.

The M/V Mata'ala shall continue to be utilized in connection with the enforcement of the Harbors and Navigation Code, and other laws and the rules related or incidental thereto, and the conduct of search and rescue missions.

Section 3. RESCISSION.

Executive Order No. 008-1985 and all prior executive orders and general memoranda that may deal with the transfer of the M/V Mata'ala to the Port Administration are rescinded except Section 3 of Executive Order 008-1985 which gives the crew members of the M/V Mata'ala authority to act as deputy law enforcement officers.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Executive Order is effective immediately.

Dated: _____

10/18/89

Handwritten signature of Peter Tali Coleman in cursive script.

PETER TALI COLEMAN
Governor of American Samoa