

**39TH LEGISLATURE
2ND REGULAR SESSION**

(ADMIN/BY REQ)

**S.R. NO. 39-35
IN THE SENATE**

17 JULY, 2025

INTRODUCED BY: Sen. Tuaolo Manaia Fruean, D-6

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON:

SUBJECT:

CONFIRMATION—DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE AND WILDLIFE RESOURCES

SUMMARY:

This resolution confirms the Governor’s appointment of Mr. Nathan Ilaoa as the Director of the Department of Marine and Wildlife Resources.

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“A SENATE RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE GOVERNOR’S
NOMINATION OF MR. NATHAN ILAOA AS THE DIRECTOR OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF MARINE AND WILDLIFE RESOURCES.”

WHEREAS, by letter dated July 11, 2025, to Tualo Manaia E. Fruean, President
of the Senate, Governor Pulaali’i Nikolao Pula, submitted the name
of Mr. Nathan Ilaoa to the Legislature, pursuant to Sections
4.0111(b) and 4.0112(a)(f), A.S.C.A. for confirmation as Director
of the Department of Marine and Wildlife Resources; and

WHEREAS, in his letter the Governor stated in part:

“...I hereby submit my appointment of Mr. Nathan Ilaoa as Director
of the Department of Marine & Wildlife Resources.

I respectfully request that you and your colleagues review his
nomination and confirm him as Director of the Department of
Marine & Wildlife Resources.”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE
TERRITORY OF AMERICAN SAMOA:

THAT, the nomination of Mr. Nathan Ilaoa as Director of the Department of
Marine and Wildlife Resources is hereby confirmed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to
transmit this resolution to the Honorable Pulaali’i Nikolao Pula, Governor of
American Samoa; and a copy to Mr. Nathan Ilaoa.

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(TALOSAGA/KOVANA)

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17 IULAI, 2025

FA'AULUFALEINA E: Senatoa Tuoalo M. Fruean, Itumalo - 6

TU'UINA ATU I LE KOMITI:

MATA'UPU:

FAAMAONIGA—FAATONUSILI—MATAGALUEGA O ALAMANUIA O LE SAMI MA LE VAOMATUA

'OTO'OTOGA:

O lenei iugafono e faamaonia ai le tofiga a le Kovana o Nathan Ilaoa e avea ma Faatonusili o le Matagaluega o Alamanuia o le Sami ma le Vaomatua.

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2 FAAULUFALEINA E: _____

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4 “O SE IUGAFONO A LE MAOTA MAUALUGA E FAAMAONIA AI LE
5 TOFIGA A LE KOVANA O NATHAN ILAOA E AVEA MA FAATONUSILI O
6 LE MATAGALUEGA O ALAMANUIA O LE SAMI MA LE VAOMATUA.”

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8 TALUAI, i lana tusi ia Iulai 11, 2025, i le Afioga ia Tualo Manaia Frucan,
9 Peresetene o le Maota Maualuga, na faaoo atu ai e le Afioga i le
10 Kovana Pulaali’i Nikolao Pula le suafa o Nathan Ilaoa ina ia
11 faamaonia e avea ma Faatonusili o le Matagaluega o Alamanuia o le
12 Sami ma le Vaomatua e tusa ai ma le maga 4.0111(e) ma
13 4.0112(a)(f), T.T.A.S; ma

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15 TALUAI, i se vaega o lana tusi, na faapea ai le afioga i le Kovana:
16 “...ua ou faaoo atu la’u tofiga o Nathan Ilaoa e avea ma Faatonusili
17 o le Matagaluega o Alamanuia o le Sami ma le Vaomatua.
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19 Ou te fautuaina ma le fa’aaloalo lau Afioga ma le maota ina ia iloilo
20 ma faamaonia o ia e avea ma Faatonusili o le Matagaluega o
21 Alamanuia o le Sami ma le Vaomatua.”

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23 O LENEI, O LE MEA LEA, IA FAAIUGAFONOINA AI E LE MAOTA
24 MAUALUGA O LE TERITORI O AMERIKA SAMOA:

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26 E FAAPEA, ua faamaonia nei le tofiga o Nathan Ilaoa e avea ma Faatonusili o
27 Alamanuia o le Sami ma le Vaomatua; ma

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29 IA TOE FAAIUGAFONOINA FOI, e faapea e talosaga le Failautusi o le Maota
30 Maualuga e faaoo atu lenei iugafono i le Afioga ia Pulaali’i Nikolao Pula, Kovana
31 o Amerika Samoa; ma se kopi ia Nathan Ilaoa.

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