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**Press Release**

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### **1. \$10,000 Tala mo le Asosi Fana ‘Aū a Samoa**

Na faamaonia e le Kapeneta le tuuina atu o le fesoasoani tupe e \$10,000 tala i le Asosi Fana ‘Aū a Samoa mo ana tapenaga mo le Taamilosaga e Filifilia ai Sui mo le Olimipeka, e faataunuaina i Ueligitone, Niu Sila, mai le aso 31 Tesema 2007 – 10 Ianuari, 2008.

E to’avalu sui o Samoa o le a tauva i lenei faamoemoe.

Na tulaga maoa’e le taumafaiga a le Asosi Fana ‘Aū a Samoa i Taaloga o le Pasefika na se’i mavae atu nei lea e tasi( 01) le pine auro, lima (05) pine siliva ma pine apamemea e tolu (03) na o latou mauaina.

#### **\$10,000 Tala for Samoa Archery Association**

Cabinet had approved financial assistance of \$10,000 tala for the Samoa Archery Association to assist in its preparations for the upcoming Continental Olympic Qualifying Tournament, that is scheduled to take place in Wellington, New Zealand, from the 31 December 2007 – 10 January, 2007.

Samoa’s Archery Team consists of eight (08) players who will compete for a placing in next year’s Beijing Olympics.

Samoa’s Archery Team also displayed remarkable results in the recent South Pacific Games with which it won one (1) gold, five (5) silver, and three (3) bronze medals.

### **2. Lipoti o Fono a Pa’aga Faaitulagi o le Pasefika mo le Atiina A’e o Tupulaga Talavou.**

Ua faamaonia e le Kapeneta le Lipoti o Fono a Paaga Faaitulagi o le Pasefika mo le Atiina A’e o Tupulaga Talavou, sa usuia i Rarotonga, Atu Kuki, mai le aso 17 – 21 Setema, 2007.

**I. Fono a le Ofisa mo Atunuu o le Pasefika (SPC), 17 – 18 Setema, 2007**

O lea Fono sa mataituina ai le tuufaatasia o se faafanua o galuega atiina a'e mo tupulaga talavou o loo faatino i atunuu eseese o le Pasefika ma sa fautuaina ai faia o se faavae mo le faatinoga o galuega atiina a'e ia faapei o le Polokalame o le TALAVOU a le Malo o Samoa, a e le gata i lea o le auai uma o Faalapotopotoga Faaitulagi Faavaomalo i le faatupeina o polokalame manaomia.

**II. Fono a le Komiti Faufautua a le Itulagi o le Pasefika mo le Atiina A'e o Tupulaga Talavou, 19 Setema, 2007.**

Sa talanoaina i lea Fono le lipoti o galuega faatino faapea le tala i le tupe a le Ofisa Tutotonu, faatasi ai ma fuafuaga mo le agai i luma o galuega a le Ofisa mo le isi tolu tausaga o lumanai. Na faamaonia foi le talimalo o le Malo o Vanuatu i le isi fono a le Komiti Faufautua Faaitulagi o le Pasefika o lumanai.

**III. Fono a le Komiti o Tupulaga Talavou mo le Itulagi o le Pasefika.**

Sa laualuga i lea Fono mataupu e tatau ona ave i ai le faamuamua a le Komiti e aofia ai aoaoga ma avanoa mo le faatinoga o atiina a'e laiti, atiina a'e o le soifua maloloina ma tagata lilo o tupulaga talavou aemaise ai o pulega lelei ma tomai faaleta'ita'i e saofaga i ai tupulaga talavou.

O le Pule Sili o le Matagaluega o Tina ma le Atiina A'e o le Soifua Lelei o Tagata Lautele, Afioga Luagalau Foisagaasina Eteuati Shon, Pule Lagolago Vaega o Tupulaga Talavou, Susuga Sydney Faasau, ma le Tamaitai Ofisa Sinia o le Vaega o Tupulaga, Susuga Fiasili Vaeau, na auai atu i ia fono.

**SPC Pacific Regional Youth Development Meetings .**

Cabinet had approved the Report on the Secretariat of the Pacific Community's Regional Youth Development Meetings, which took place in Rarotonga, Cook Islands, from the 17 – 21 September, 2007.

**I. Pacific Youth Mapping Project Meeting 17 – 18 September, 2007**

This Meeting discussed the Pacific Youth Mapping Exercise which involves collecting data on ways in which SPC member governments, civil society organizations, youth groups and regional organizations involve young people in their work. The information collected will be published on a website

**II. SPC Youth Advisory Committee, 19 September, 2007**

Important issues addressed at this Meeting include the Committee's activities and financial statements as well as action plans for the next three years. Vanuatu was also endorsed as the host for the next Advisory Committee Meeting.

### **III Pacific Regional Youth Committee Meeting**

At this Meeting, the Regional Youth Committee addressed its priorities which include promoting educational and training opportunities for youth development in areas of health, leadership as well as good governance.

The CEO, Ministry of Women, Community and Social Development, Luagalau Foisagaasina Eteuati Shon, the Assitant CEO Youth Division, Sydney Faasau, and Talavou Programme Coordinator, Fiasili Vaeau, represented Samoa at this Meeting.

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