

## SAMOA

### Arrangement of Provisions

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2019, No. 6

**AN ACT to amend the Constitution of the Independent State of Samoa 1960 (“Constitution”).** [31<sup>st</sup> January 2019]

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislative Assembly of Samoa in Parliament assembled as follows:

**1. Short title and commencement:**

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Constitution Amendment Act 2019.
- (2) This Act commences on the date of its assent by the Head of State.

**2. Article 19 amended:**

In Article 19(2) of the Constitution, substitute:

- “(2) Subject to the provisions of this Constitution, a person who holds, or who has held for one (1) term, office as Head of State, is only eligible for re-appointment to that Office once.
- (2A) A person who has held the office as Head of State for two (2) terms is not eligible to be re-appointed to that Office.”.

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The Constitution Amendment Act 2019 is  
administered by the Office of the Attorney General.

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