

SAMOA
CIVIL AVIATION (SAFETY AND SECURITY LEVY)
REGULATIONS 2015

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PURSUANT to sections 37 and 126 of the Civil Aviation Act 1998 (“the Act”), **I, TUI ATUA TUPUA TAMASESE EFI**, Head of State, acting on the advice of Cabinet, **MAKE** the following Regulations:

DATED this 9th day of September 2015.

signed: (Tui Atua Tupua Tamasese Efi)
HEAD OF STATE

REGULATIONS

1. Citation and commencement-(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Civil Aviation (Safety and Security Levy) Regulations 2015.

(2) These Regulations commence on a date nominated by the Minister.

2. Interpretation - In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires:

“passenger” means a person departing from Samoa to another country on an aircraft from an airport operated or managed by the Airport Authority.

3. Safety and security levy and exemptions-(1) The safety and security levy is \$11.00.

(2) The following persons are exempted from paying the safety and security levy:

- (a) the Heads of State or of Government departing Samoa from a private flight or aircraft;
- (b) transit passengers who are in Samoa for less than 24 hours;
- (c) a person under the age of two (2) years.

4. Payment - A passenger must, before departing Samoa, pay the safety and security levy to fund:

- (a) national civil aviation oversight activities; and
- (b) the maintenance of safety and security equipment, in any Samoa international airport.

5. Collection-(1) Regulation 5(1) to (5) of the Airport Authority (Fees, Charges and Levies) Regulations 2013 applies to the collection of payment for the safety and security levy.

(2) The Chief Executive Officer and the owner or operator of an aircraft may enter into an arrangement regarding any commission payable to the owner or operator for collecting safety and security levy.

6. Offences - A person who fails to pay the safety security levy commits an offence and is liable upon conviction to a fine not exceeding 10 penalty units.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Ordinance 1953.

Date of Commencement: These Regulations commence on a date nominated by the Minister.

These Regulations are administered by the Ministry Works, Transport and Infrastructure.

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