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KO E LAO 'O E FALE ALEA

(VAHE 4)

TOHI TU'UTU'UNI FILI KI HA FAKAFOFONGA 'O E KAKAI KI HE VĀHENGA FILI

TONGATAPU 7

(KUPU 6)

Ki he Komisoni Fili:

KOE'UHĪ na'e fili 'a Sione Sangster Saulala ko e Fakafofonga 'o e Kakai ki he Vāhenga Fili Tongatapu 7 'i he Fili Fale Alea 'o e 2021.

PEA KOE'UHĪ kuo 'atā 'a e sea 'o e Fakafofonga 'o e Kakai' ma'ae Vāhenga Fili Tongatapu 7, hangē ko ia 'oku hā 'i he kupu 6 'o e Lao ki he Fale Alea (Vahe 4), makatu'unga 'i he mole 'o e tu'unga 'o Sione Sangster Saulala hili hono fakahifo 'e he Fale Alea mei hono sea 'i he Fale Alea 'i he 'aho 10 'o 'Aokosi 2022 'o fakatautu ki he ngaahi tu'utu'uni 'a e Lao ki he Fili Fale Alea, koe'uhi ko e ola 'o e hopo kole tu'unga 'i he fili fika CV74/2021 'i he vaha'a 'o Piveni Piukala mo Sione Sangster Saulala mo e hopo tangi fika AC10/2022 'i he vaha'a 'o Sione Sangster Saulala mo Piveni Piukala, pea mo e tohi fakamo'oni mei he Fakamaau Lahi 'o e 'aho 2 'o Me 2022 'o fakaha kuo fakata'e'aonga 'i hono fili 'o Sione Sangster Saulala ko e Fakafofonga 'o e Kakai ma'ae Vahenga Fili Tongatapu 7.

KO IA AI 'i hono ngāue'aki 'a e ngaahi mafai kuo foaki kiate au 'e he kupu 6 'o e Lao ki he Fale Alea (Vahe 4), 'oku ou tu'utu'uni ke ke fakahoko ha fili 'o fakatautu ki he Lao, 'o ha Fakafofonga 'e tokotaha ke ne kau mo fakahā loto 'i he Fale Alea ko e Fakafofonga 'o e Kakai ma'ae Vāhenga Fili 'o Tongatapu 7 pea ke ke fakahā mo fakafoki mai kiate au 'a e hingoa 'o e mēmipa ko ia kuo fili.

'Oku ou 'oatu 'i he'eku tohi nima mo 'eku sila 'i he 'aho 11 'o 'Aokosi 2022.

Lord Fakafanua

Sea 'o e Fale Alea 'o Tonga

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ACT

(CAP. 4)

**WRIT OF ELECTION FOR A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PEOPLE FOR THE
ELECTORAL CONSTITUENCY OF TONGATAPU 7**

(SECTION 6)

To the Electoral Commission:

WHEREAS the 2021 General Election for a Representative of the People for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7 resulted in the election of Sione Sangster Saulala.

AND WHEREAS the seat of the Representative of the People for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7 has become vacant under section 6 of the Legislative Assembly Act (Cap.4), due to the unseating of Sione Sangster Saulala on 10 August 2022 by the Legislative Assembly from his seat in the Legislative Assembly pursuant to the requirements of the Electoral Act, based on the rulings in election petition number CV74/2021 between Piveni Piukala and Sione Sangster Saulala and the appeal decision in AC10/2022 between Sione Sangster Saulala and Piveni Piukala, and the court certification from the Supreme Court dated 2 May 2022 thereby declaring void the election of Sione Sangster Saulala as the Representative for the People for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7.

NOW THEREFORE in exercise of the powers vested in me by section 6 of the Legislative Assembly Act (Cap.4), I command that you do cause an election to be held according to the law, to elect a successor to sit and vote in the Legislative Assembly as the Representative of the People for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7 and that you make return to me of the name of such member when so elected.

Given under my hand and seal this 11th day of August 2022

Lord Fakafanua

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Tonga

**KO E LAO KI HE FILI FALE ALEA
(VAHE 4) (Kupu 6)**

**FILI SI'I 'O E 2022 KI HE FALE ALEA KI HA FAKAFOFONGA 'O E
KAKAI
MA'A E VAHENGANGA TONGATAPU 7**

KIA Mr. Pita VUKI, 'Ofisa Faifili ma'a e Vahenga Fili 'o Tongatapu 7

KOE'UHI 'o fakatatau pea mo e Kupu 6 'o e Lao ki he Fale Alea (Vahe 4), kuo tuku mai 'e he 'Eiki Sea 'o e Fale Alea, Nopele Fakafanua 'i hono 'aho 11 'o 'Aokosi 2022 'a e Tohi Tu'utu'uni Fili ke fakahoko ha fili 'o ha memipa 'e tokotaha ke ne kau mo fakahaloto 'i Fale Alea ko e fakafofonga 'o e kakai ki he Vahenga Fili Tongatapu 7.

KO IA AI 'i hono ngaue'aki 'o e ngaahi mafai kuo foaki ki he Komisoni Fili 'e he kupu 6 'o e Lao ki he Fale Alea (Vahe 4), pea hili mo ha femahino'aki 'i he vaha'a 'o e Komisoni Fili pea mo e 'Eiki Sea 'o e Fale Alea:

'OKU MAU TU'UTU'UNI AI HENI ko e ngaahi feitu'u mo e taimi ke tali ai mo ho kau tokoni 'a e ngaahi fili ko ia 'a kinautolu 'oku ngofua ken au kau ki he Fili Si'i ko ia 'e 'i he vaha'a 'o e taini 9:00 pongipongi ki he 4:00 efiafi 'o e 'aho **TU'APULELULU**, ko hono **3 'o NOVEMA 2022** 'i he ngaahi feitu'u ko 'eni: -

1. **TOFOA:** Holo 'o e Siasi Uesiliana Tau'ataina 'o Tonga 'i Tofoa
2. **PEA:** Holo 'o e Siasi Uesiliana Tau'ataina 'o Tonga 'i Pea
3. **TOKOMOLOLO:** Holo 'o e Siasi Uesiliana Tau'ataina 'o Tonga 'i Tokomololo
4. **HA'ATEIHO:** Holo 'o e Siasi Uesiliana Tau'ataina 'o Tonga 'i Ha'ateiho
5. **LOTOHA'APAI:** Holo 'o e Siasi 'o Tonga 'i Lotoha'apai
6. **'OFISI 'O E KOVANA, VAVA'U:** ma'ae kakai fili 'o Tongatapu 7 'i Vava'u
7. **'OFISI 'O E KOVANA, HA'APAI:** ma'ae kakai fili 'o Tongatapu 7 'i Ha'apai
8. **'OFISI 'O E FAKAFOFONGA 'O E PULE'ANGA, Angaha, 'Eua:** ma'ae kakai fili 'o Tongatapu 7 'i 'Eua
9. **'OFISI 'O E FAKAFOFONGA 'O E PULE'ANGA, Hihifo, Niuatoputapu:** ma'ae kakai fili 'o Tongatapu 7 'i Niuatoputapu
10. **'OFISI 'O E FAKAFOFONGA 'O E PULE'ANGA, 'Esia, Niuafou:** ma'ae kakai fili 'o Tongatapu 7 'i Niuafou.

PEA KUO PAU ke toki liliu 'a e ngaahi feitu'u kuo tuku atu ni 'aki ha fanongonongo 'e 'oatu ki he vahenga fili 'o Tongatapu 7.

NA'E FAKAHOKO 'i he 'emau tohi nima pea mo e sila 'i hono 'aho 11 'o 'Aokosi 2022.

Rt. Hon. Lord Dalgety Q.C.
Sea 'o e Komisoni Fili

Lord Fakafanua
Sea 'o e Fale Alea

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ACT
(CAP.4) (Section 6)
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY BY-ELECTION 2022 FOR A
REPRESENTATIVE OF
THE PEOPLE FOR THE ELECTORAL CONSTITUENCY OF
TONGATAPU 7

TO Mr. Pita VUKI, Returning Officer for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7:

WHEREAS pursuant to section 6 of the Legislative Assembly Act (Cap. 4), Lord Fakafanua, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly on the 11th day of August 2022 issued a Writ for the election of one member to sit and vote in the Legislative Assembly as a Representative of the People for the Electoral Constituency of Tongatapu 7:

NOW THEREFORE in the exercise of the power vested in the Electoral Commission *inter alia* by Section 6 of the Legislative Assembly Act (Cap. 4), and after consultation by the Electoral Commission with the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

WE HEREBY DIRECT that the places and times at which you or your assistants shall receive the votes of the persons entitled to vote at a such by-election shall be between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm on **THURSDAY 3rd NOVEMBER 2022** at the following places: -

1. **TOFOA:** FWC Hall
2. **PEA:** FWC Hall
3. **TOKOMOLOLO:** FWC Hall
4. **HA'ATEIHO:** FWC Hall
5. **LOTOHA'APAI:** Church of Tonga Hall
6. **GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, VAVA'U:** for Voters of Tongatapu 7 in Vava'u
7. **GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, HA'APAI:** for Voters of Tongatapu 7 in Ha'apai
8. **OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE, Anagaha, 'Eua:** for Voters of Tongatapu 7 in 'Eua.
9. **OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE, Hihifo, Niuatoputapu:** for Voters of Tongatapu 7 in Niuatoputapu
10. **OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE, 'Esia, Niuafu'ou:** for Voters of Tongatapu 7 in Niuafu'ou.

PROVIDED ALWAYS that on cause shown you may alter these polling places upon giving notice thereof within the electoral constituency of Tongatapu 7.

GIVEN under our hands and seals this 11th August 2022.

Rt. Hon. Lord Dalgety Q.C.
Chairman of the Electoral Commission

Lord Fakafanua
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly