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**FA'AMATALAGA O UIGA LOULOUĀ OLE TAU NUMERA IVA (9) – UIGA  
FA'ATUPULAIA O TA'AVILIGA VAIVAI O MATAGI.  
FA'AMAUINA E LE OFISA OLE VA'AI-TAU ILE ITULA E 5:00 ILE TAEAO NEI  
ASO LUA 18 FEPUARI 2020**

**...LAPATA'IGA MO SAVILI MALOLOSI MO SAMOA ATOA...  
...LAPATA'IGA MO TIMUGA MAMafa MO SAMOA...  
...O LAPATAIGA MO LOLOGA I VAITAFE MA NOFOAGA E A'AFIA GOFIE...  
... FAUTUAGA MO LOLOGA I NOFOAGA TU MATAFAGA ONA O GALU FAFATI  
MAUALULUGA...  
...FAUTUAGA MO PAOPAO MA ALIA FAGOTA LAITI OLO'O FA'AMALOSIA PEA MO  
OGASAMI UMA O SAMOA...**

O vaega fa'atupula'ia o peau māmā o le 'ea fa'apea se vaega tele o ao ma matagi malolosi o lo'o iai nei i luga o Samoa. Ae peita'i ole Ta'aviliga Vaivai o Matagi 08F ono fa'atupula'ia ae o aga'i i Saute-i-Sasa'e ma mamao atu mai Samoa.

O lenei Ta'aviliga Vaivai o Matagi e tumau pea ona aga'i Saute-i-Sasa'e ma fa'asolo ina fa'atupula'ia. Ole peau māmā ole ea sa ta'oto i Matu-i-Sisifo mai Savai'i ua fa'aititia ma avea ma vaega o peau mama ole ea ae olo'o ta'oto i Matu ole Atunu'u le fetai'iga o savili ma timuga lea e ono toe aumaia timuga mamafa fa'apea savili malolosi e a'afia ai Samoa. O le sami e matua sousou faapea galu fafati ole a fa'atupulaia le maualuluga.

O le Ta'aviliga Vaivai o Matagi 07F o lo'o tumau pea ona ta'aoto lata ane i Tuvalu.

**A'afiaga mo le Atunu'u:**

E mamafa timuga ma e puaoa, e malolosi ma fa'ata'uta'u savili ma e ono felelei solo meafaitino, e mase'ese'e ma puaoa auala i nofoaga maualuluga, e malolosi le tatafe o vaitafe ma e ono iai ele'ele solo, e lolovaia nofoaga i tafāala ma vaega e a'afia gofie fa'apea alavai. E a'ave ma tatafe au ma sousou fo'i le sami. E pau'u ma gau'i la'au e ma'aleale

*(O leisi fa'amatalaga 'o uīga loulouā 'ole tau 'ole 'a tu'uina ātu 'ile 5:00 ile afiafi)*

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**SEVERE WEATHER INFORMATION NUMBER NINE (9) – DEVELOPING TROPICAL  
DISTURBANCE WITHIN THE REGION  
ISSUED BY THE SAMOA METEOROLOGY DIVISION AT 5:00AM  
TUESDAY 18<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2020**

**...WIND WARNING FOR ALL OF SAMOA...  
... HEAVY RAIN WARNING FOR SAMOA...  
...FLOOD WARNING FOR ALL MAJOR RIVERS AND VULNERABLE AREAS...  
...COASTAL FLOOD ADVISORY REMAINS IN EFFECT FOR SAMOA....  
...SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY REMAINS IN EFFECT FOR ALL COASTAL WATERS...**

A broad area of low pressure system with an extensive cloud band and gale winds now lies over the Samoan Is. Meanwhile a Tropical Disturbance 08F lies Southeast with slight intensification though this system tends to move further away from Samoa.

This system is expected to maintain its southeast movement within the next 24hours with slight development. The low pressure system previously analyzed to the Northwest of Sava'ii has dissipated into a trough of low pressure, while an active convergence zone lies to the North of the islands may bring heavy rain with strong winds and damaging heavy swells affecting the group at times.

Tropical Disturbance 07F remains stationary near Tuvalu.

**Potential Impacts:**

Heavy downpours with poor visibility, strong and gusty winds with flying objects, foggy and slippery roads over mountain passes and ranges, strong river outflow and landslides, pooling near roadsides and waterways. Strong currents as well as rough seas and coastal inundation. Uproot breakable trees.

*(The next severe weather information will be issued at 5:00pm this evening)*