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Dear Waianaе Intermediate Parents and Guardians,

Our administration was made aware of an alleged threat on social media. The post was generated from another community and never mentioned any specific school by name. The Honolulu Police Department and the Federal Bureau of Investigation were notified immediately and the source of the threat has been identified. There is no imminent threat to our campus and all schools will be open.

All threats to our school or students are taken very seriously and are investigated thoroughly. Terroristic threats are considered Class A student conduct offenses. Penalties can range from detention to dismissal with the possibility of arrest and serious criminal charges.

We appreciate your help as we work together to keep all of our students safe. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our administration at (808) 697-7121.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Wataoka".

John Wataoka
Principal