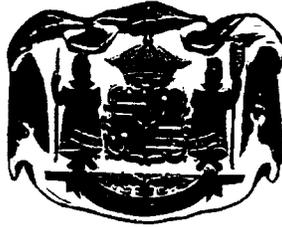


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## THE REINSTATED KINGDOM OF HAWAI'I

### NOTICE OF OBJECTION

December 10, 1999

President William J. Clinton  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Mr. President,

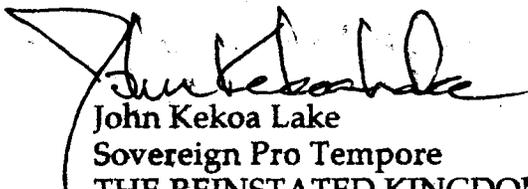
The Lawful Government of the Reinstated Kingdom of Hawai'i hereby denounces and condemns the reconciliation hearings organized by the United States Government, the Department of the Interior, the Department of Justice and their respective representatives-- Mr. John Berry, Assistant Secretary of the Interior and Mr. Mark Van Norman, Deputy Director of the Office of Tribal Justice.

WHEREAS, on March 13, 1999, Nā Kanaka Maoli reestablished the government de jure of Hawai'i in accordance with the authority of international law, the law of nations and United States Public Law 103-150.

WHEREAS, the United States Government rightfully knows that the Department of the Interior and the Department of Justice lack the proper credence of authority to conduct reconciliation hearings.

WHEREAS, the Lawful Hawaiian Government strongly protests and objects to any and all actions by Mr. Van Norman and Mr. Berry. The Lawful Hawaiian Government does not recognize the reconciliation hearings. According to international law, these proceedings are an inappropriate and unlawful intervention of the true and proper communication to take place between the United States of America and the Reinstated Kingdom of Hawai'i.

Any further actions conducted by any representative of the United States Government other than the President of the United States of America or the U.S. Department of State will be regarded as an act of bad faith.

  
John Kekoa Lake  
Sovereign Pro Tempore  
THE REINSTATED KINGDOM OF HAWAII