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HAWAII ISLAND EXTENDED FURLOUGH INMATE FAILS TO CHECK IN AT SCHEDULED TIME

MISSING HALE NANI (HAWAII ISLAND) WORK FURLOUGH CENTER INMATE IS IN POLICE CUSTODY

HAWAII – Extended furlough inmate John Towle failed to check in at noon at the Kona Furlough House. Public Safety is working with Hawaii Police to issue a warrant for not abiding by the conditions set forth in his extended furlough plan.

Inmates in the extended furlough program live and work outside of the facility but must check in at various times.

Towle is 44 years old. He is 6'0" tall and weighs 155 lbs. He has brown hair and brown eyes.

Towle is serving time for Unlawful Methamphetamine Trafficking. His next parole hearing was scheduled for June of this year.

If you see him call 911.

Meanwhile, a Hale Nani furlough inmate who was reported missing on February 16 is in Hawaii Police custody tonight. Police notified the Hawaii Community Correctional Center (HCCC) of Railee Santos' capture at about 8:15 p.m. He was picked up on an all-point bulletin with the warrant that was issued by the HCCC.

Once Santos is charged and released by Hawaii Police Detectives, HCCC will be notified to take custody and return Santos to the facility.

Santos is serving time for Terroristic Threatening. His sentence end date was June of this year. Escape 2 is expected to be added to his charges.

Hale Nani, HCCC's reintegration program, is located in Panewa. Hale Nani offers offenders reintegration services and a work release program for sentenced inmates who will be released on the island of Hawaii.

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(See attached file: John Towle picture and Railee Santos picture)

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