

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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## INMATE LEAVES WAIAWA CORRECTIONAL FACILITY UNAUTHORIZED

HONOLULU– Waiawa Correctional Facility (WCF) staff reported inmate Jason Otto Soriano missing from a 7 p.m. headcount. They locked down the facility, did a grounds search and notified Sheriffs and Honolulu Police. How he left the facility is under investigation.

Soriano is 37 years-old, weighs 160 lbs, and is 5'6" tall. He has brown eyes and brown hair but shaves his head bald. Soriano is a minimum custody inmate serving time for Operation of a Vehicle Under the Influence of an Intoxicant. His next parole hearing was scheduled for December 2020.

If you see him, please call 911 or Sheriffs at 586-1352.

Waiawa Correctional Facility is a minimum security, work-camp style facility with dorms for sentenced males. Inmates participate in education or substance abuse treatment programs as they prepare to transition into the furlough program.

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