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Dr. Fujio Matsuda  
President, University of Hawaii  
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Dear Dr. Matsuda,

It has recently come to our attention that some aspects of our physical facilities will be substantially altered from what we have been lead to expect for this fall semester. More specifically, the location of two of our classrooms in temporary buildings near the Music Building represents a substantial lowering of our previous classroom conditions.

The third year class has now spent two years in classrooms with severe noise and dust problems with little complaint. The planned location of these two buildings, however, is close to being intolerable. The buildings will be placed between the Manoa exit from the freeway, the freeway entrance to the parking lot, and the Dole Street entrance and exit from the parking lot. Additionally, the guard station and a speed-bump adjacent to the classrooms means all cars entering or leaving the parking lot will slow and accelerate next to the classrooms, contributing to the noise level.

The conditions of the past years have not been pleasant, but it appears that this location will not only be uncomfortable, but also a severe interference with classroom lectures and concentration. We therefore would like to draw the attention of your office to this matter and request a meeting so that we might discuss this and other plans for the School of Law.

Thank you for your concern.

cc: Harold Masumoto, Director of Administration  
Douglas Yamamura, Chancellor  
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