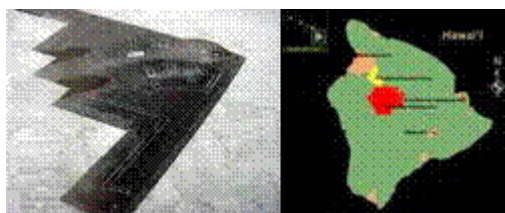


## B-2s Drop Bombs on Hawai'i Island

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Reported in Honolulu Advertiser October 30, 2007; "The Air Force's stealth bomber, the B-2 Spirit, dropped dummy 2,000-pound bombs at Pohakuloa Training Area (PTA) on the Big Island last week under a new agreement with the Army allowing the inert-ordnance bombing runs..." Concerned Hawai'i residents have one major problem with this scenario. Last August the Army confirmed that PTA is contaminated with military radioactive uranium products...



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The red area on the above Hawai'i Island map is the Pohakuloa Training Area and is radioactive from decades of artillery practice. What does a 2000 pound bomb that supposedly does not explode on impact and is supposedly inert do to a radioactive contaminated artillery field when dropped at high altitude?

Did this action cause radioactive dust particles to be raised up and carried in the winds over our communities?

For the full Advertiser article see:

<http://www.honoluluadvertiser.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=2007710300339>

Depleted uranium detected on Big Isle:

<http://the.honoluluadvertiser.com/article/2007/Aug/21/ln/hawaii708210343.html>

The military has stated that the radioactive uranium found on Schofield Barrack on Oahu and Pohakuloa does not present any public health risk and that they are going to test the artillery fields to discover the extent of this contamination. The testing of Pohakuloa should be completed sometime in 2008.

Will the Army give the public a full disclosure and transparency of their test results? Why would they allow this bombing practice before the full test results are completed and made public?

Would this bombing practice help the military destroy radioactive evidence and at the same time pollute the communities downwind?

Many educated, informed and concerned residents in Hawai'i know that aerosolized uranium dust particles are harmful to public health, despite the military's denials. We are asking for and need help from the global community to get at the truth about the full extent on military contamination of paradise.

Please help us Protect Hawai'i. Spread the Aloha and pass this information forward. No Stryker Brigade build-up in Hawai'i. Halt all live-fire training. Clean-up all artillery ranges in paradise. Join Protect Hawai'i email list [tenfingers10toes \[at\] protecthawaii.ws](mailto:tenfingers10toes@protecthawaii.ws)

Please learn more... Help Us Save Hawai'i and sign the following petition at:

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Then, please forward to everyone you know!

READ WHY the Stryker Brigade must not stay in Hawaii!

Ten Reasons to Oppose the Stryker Brigade in Hawaii  
[http://www.dmzhawaii.org/stop\\_stryker\\_hawaii.pdf](http://www.dmzhawaii.org/stop_stryker_hawaii.pdf)

Army Regulation AR 700-48 "Management of Equipment Contaminated With Depleted Uranium or Radioactive Commodities," Headquarters, Department of the Army, Washington, D.C., September 2002, Section 2-4 of United States Army Regulation 700-48 dated Sept. 16, 2002, specifies these requirements.  
[http://www.traprockpeace.org/du\\_pam\\_700-48.pdf](http://www.traprockpeace.org/du_pam_700-48.pdf)

Hawaiian Islands Are Radioactive  
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<http://www.indymedia.org/en/2007/10/893823.shtml>

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<http://www.rense.com/general78/hawa.htm>

No Peace in Paradise by Kyle Kajihiro  
<http://www.haleakalatimes.com/news/story2527.aspx>

Army's Environmental Impact Statement for the Stryker Brigade Invasion of Hawaii:  
<http://www.sbct-seis.org/>

Go to Demilitarize Hawaii  
<http://dmzhawaii.org>

Go to Protect Hawaii website:  
<http://www.protecthawaii.ws/>

<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2007/10/31/18457431.php>

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