Aloha to the members of the University of Hawai‘i Board of Regents,

I oppose the construction of the Thirty Meter Telescope and desecration of our sacred Mauna A Wakea. First off, the construction will destroy the natural appearance and beauty of the mountain. Second, by building the TMT (Thirty Meter Telescope) it will create water pollution that supply’s Hawaii island with water. Lastly, I ask you to listen to the native people, the host culture of Hawai‘i Island, who oppose the construction of the TMT. Mahalo for taking the time to read my message and take it into consideration for the cancellation of this project.

Mahalo,
Po‘omaikelani Maipinepine Makinney-Lopez