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Aloha! Welcome and congratulations on your selection for assignment to the 25th Combat Aviation Brigade in the beautiful state of Hawaii. The CAB's motto, "Lele Makou No Na Puali," which is Hawaiian for "We Fly for the Troops," is one we take very seriously. We are a regionally committed Brigade whose missions reach throughout the vast Pacific theater.

You and your Ohana, Hawaiian for "family," are very important to our team. Take care of getting your Family settled as soon as you get here. Your Wings of Lightning Ohana, our Family Readiness Group, is here to assist you and your Family members. Your Chain of Command and FRG will be the most reliable source of information, and we encourage you to get involved at a level that is most comfortable for you and your Family.

We encourage you and your Family to visit the 25th Infantry Division homepage <http://www.25idl.army.mil/>. Ensure you have properly completed blocks 1,2,4 and 5 on the automated DA form 5434 through <https://actnow.army.mil/>. A sponsor will then be assigned to you and can be the key to a successful transition. He or she can answer important questions prior to your PCS move that will help you save time and money when trying to get settled on the island. Many people have questions regarding preparation for traveling with pets, shipping of automobiles, public and private schools, hotel options, traffic issues before and after work, medical facilities, and the expense of housing and utilities. Sponsors can help answers these questions or provide you with resources that will.

Once again, welcome to the 25th Combat Aviation Brigade, Wings of Lightning. We need your experience and your input to make the team better. We pride ourselves in being the reliable, credible, and disciplined aviation force of choice in the Pacific.

We look forward to serving with you while we lead, train, maintain, and care for the very best of Soldiers in the United States Army.

If you have any questions or inquiries about the 25th Combat Aviation Brigade, feel free to contact the Brigade Adjutant CPT Sebastian (808) 656-3227 or DSN (315) 456-3227.

"Wings of Lightning!"

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