



Joint Situational Awareness Bulletin (U//LES) Bomb Threats

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(U//LES) OVERVIEW

(U//LES) Over the past several days numerous bomb threats have been called in or emailed to schools in Massachusetts. We are advising regional Law Enforcement and private sector partners for situational awareness and proper reporting protocols should you respond to a threat to a school or business in your jurisdiction.

(U//LES) Please follow the guidelines set out below:

Email Threat

- Save the email and DO NOT delete it.
- Print, photograph or copy the email.
- Obtain full email header data from the original email.
- Obtain IP address visitors logs to the website.
- Research all IP addresses to determine the telecommunications provider.

VIA Telephone/Swatting/VOIP/Skype

- Record call if possible.
- Identify the number calling.
- Document Date, Time and Duration of the call.
- Interview the recipient of call and identity if threat was made in person or by a pre-recorded voice

(U//LES) Responding Law Enforcement agencies should conduct their own logical investigation and report these incidents to their designated Fusion Center in as timely a manner as possible. Fusion Centers will report these incidents to the FBI JTTF. This reporting will assist other agencies with similar events, identify trends, and enable further analysis.

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