

AMENDMENT TO THE
AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND
THE COMMITTEE FOR DEFENSE INDUSTRY OF THE RUSSIAN
FEDERATION
CONCERNING
COOPERATION IN THE ELIMINATION OF
STRATEGIC OFFENSIVE ARMS

Pursuant to Article VIII of the Agreement Between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Committee for Defense Industry of the Russian Federation Concerning Cooperation in the Elimination of Strategic Offensive Arms of August 26, 1993, as amended on April 3, 1995, June 19, 1995, May 27, 1996, and on April 11, 1997, hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement", the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Economics of the Russian Federation, hereby agree to amend the Agreement by:

1) adding after the word "bombers" in paragraph 2, Article I, the words ", and shall share in the overall cost of such elimination activities"; and

2) replacing the words "Committee for Defense Industry of the Russian Federation" wherever it occurs in the title and text with the words "Ministry of Economics of the Russian Federation" due to the transfer of duties of executive agent for the Russian Federation for this implementing agreement.

This Amendment shall enter into force upon signature and shall remain in force for the duration of the Agreement.

DONE at Moscow, this 11th day of February, 1998, in two copies, each in the English and Russian languages, both texts being equally authentic.

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