

No. 442

The Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine and has the honor to inform the Ministry of the following.

Pursuant to the Agreement between the United States of America and Ukraine Concerning Assistance to Ukraine in the Elimination of Strategic Nuclear Arms, and the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, dated October 25, 1993, as amended August 27, 2002 and September 18, 2003, and extend July 29, 1999 (U.S.-Ukraine Cooperative Threat Reduction [CTR] Umbrella Agreement), the Embassy of the United States of America has the pleasure of forwarding proposed text for the extension of the CTR Umbrella Agreement (enclosure 1) for the Government of Ukraine's consideration.

The expiration date of the CTR Umbrella Agreement is December 31, 2006. This agreement must be extended well before it is due to expire in order to ensure the continuity of CTR projects in Ukraine. If the Government of Ukraine approves the text and is prepared to sign the extension, the United States Government will provide

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English and Ukrainian texts and their alternats for signature.

The Embassy of the United States of America has provided a copy of this note and proposed text of the CTR Umbrella Agreement extension to the National Security and Defense Council.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine the assurance of its highest consideration.

Enclosure: as stated



Embassy of the United States of America

Kyiv, July 19, 2006

EXTENSION OF THE  
AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND UKRAINE  
CONCERNING  
ASSISTANCE TO UKRAINE IN  
THE ELIMINATION OF STRATEGIC NUCLEAR ARMS,  
AND THE PREVENTION OF  
PROLIFERATION OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION

Pursuant to Article XIII of the Agreement Between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine Concerning Assistance to Ukraine in the Elimination of Strategic Nuclear Arms and the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, dated October 25, 1993, as amended and extended, hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement",

The United States of America and Ukraine hereinafter referred to as the Parties, have agreed to extend the Agreement until December 31, 2013.

This extension shall enter into force upon the date of its signature by both Parties.

DONE at Washington, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006, and at Kiev, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006, in duplicate, each in the English and Ukrainian languages, both texts being equally authentic.

FOR THE UNITED  
STATES OF AMERICA:

FOR  
UKRAINE:

Unofficial translation

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**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF UKRAINE**

Ref. # 414/23-196/54-2114

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine and, referring to the Embassy Note ref. # 442 dated July 19, 2006, and pursuant to the Article XIII of the Agreement between the United States of America and Ukraine Concerning Assistance to Ukraine in the Elimination of Strategic Nuclear Arms, and the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, dated October 25, 1993, as amended August 27, 2002 and September 18, 2003, and extended July 29, 1999 (CTR Umbrella Agreement), has the honor to inform you that Ukraine agrees with the proposal of the United States of America concerning the extension of the aforementioned Agreement until December 31, 2013.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine proposes that this note along with the note from the Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine constitute an Agreement between the United States of America and Ukraine to extend the Agreement between the United States of America and Ukraine Concerning Assistance to Ukraine in the Elimination of Strategic Nuclear Arms, and the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, dated October 25, 1993, as amended August 27, 2002 and September 18, 2003, and extended July 29, 1999, which will come into effect starting from the delivery date of the last of these two notes.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine avails itself of this opportunity to renew the assurance of its highest consideration to the Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine.

**Kyiv, December 8, 2006**

**Embassy of the  
United States of America  
to Ukraine  
Kyiv**

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No. 821

The Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine and, in response to the Ministry's note 414/23-196/54-2144 dated December 8, 2006, has the honor of informing you that the United States of America agrees to the proposal of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine to extend the Agreement between the United States of America and Ukraine Concerning Assistance to Ukraine in the Elimination of Strategic Nuclear Arms, and the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, dated October 25, 1993, as amended August 27, 2002 and September 18, 2003 and extended July 29, 1999 (U.S.-Ukraine Cooperative Threat Reduction [CTR] Umbrella Agreement) until December 31, 2013.

The Embassy of the United States of America to Ukraine confirms that the aforementioned Ministry note and this note constitute an Agreement between the United States of the America and Ukraine to extend the U.S.-Ukraine CTR

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Umbrella Agreement, which shall be considered effective as of the date of receipt of this note.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine the assurance of its highest consideration.



Embassy of the United States of America

Kyiv, December 15, 2006



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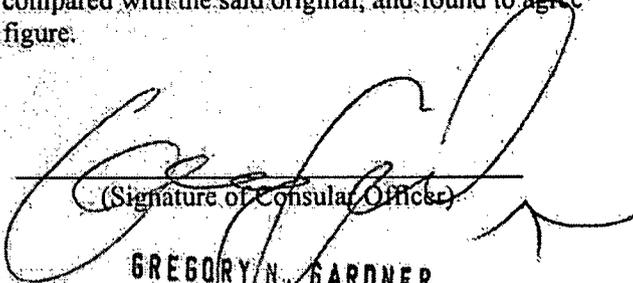
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Ukraine .....)  
Kievskia Oblast .....)  
City of Kiev .....)  
Embassy of the United States of America .....)

SS:

I certify that the annexed document is a true and faithful copy of the original, and that it has been carefully examined by me, compared with the said original, and found to agree with it word for word and figure for figure.



  
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