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The President
of the Republic of Kazakhstan

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To the
President of the
United States of America
Mr. George Bush

Dear Mr. President:

In connection with the ratification by Kazakhstan of the Treaty between the United States of America and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on the Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive Arms of 1991, I have the honor to inform you that for the purposes of implementing the above-mentioned Treaty, Kazakhstan undertakes the following obligation.

Kazakhstan guarantees the carrying out of the elimination of all kinds of nuclear weapons, including strategic offensive weapons, located on its territory, over a period of seven years in accordance with the START Treaty.

Sincerely yours,

[s.] N. Nazarbayev
President of the
Republic of Kazakhstan