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E.O. 12356: N/A TAGS: PARM, PREL, US, UP SUBJECT: SSD: UKRAINIANS PRESS FOR U.S. DETARGETING COMMITMENT

1. THIS IS SSD-94I-001. UNCLASSIFIED -- ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DURING INITIAL MEETING BETWEEN HEADS OF DELEGATIONS (REPORTED SEPTEL), THE UKRAINIAN SIDE STATED THAT ONE OF THE QUESTIONS IT CONSIDERS TO BE OF THE HIGHEST

PRIORITY IS THÉ NEED FOR THE U.S. TO DETARGET UKRAINE. GENERAL PUSTUVOY, DEPUTY CHIEF OF ARMAMENTS, SECONDED BY DEPUTY MINISTER PAVLUKOV OF THE MINISTRY OF MACHINE BUILDING AND THE MILITARY-INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX, ARGUED THAT, WITH THE ONGOING DISMANTLEMENT OF STRATEGIC ROCKET FORCES ON ITS TERRITORY, UKRAINE NO LONGER PRESENTS A THREAT TO THE U.S. THE GOU WOULD LIKE THE U.S. TO RECIPROCATE THIS DEVELOPMENT BY PROVIDING GUARANTEES THAT UKRAINE IS NO LONGER TARGETED BY U.S. SYSTEMS. THE GOU SEES SUCH A COMMITMENT AS A LOGICAL FOLLOW-ON TO THE TRILATERAL STATEMENT AND MAY WISH TO ADDRESS IT DURING THE KRAVCHUK VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

3. GOODBY RESPONDED THAT HE WOULD REPORT THIS PROPOSAL TO WASHINGTON IMMEDIATELY. DEL REQUESTS ANY INFORMATION ON USG INTENTIONS IN THIS AREA FOR CONVEYANCE TO UKRAINIANS PRIOR TO DEL'S DEPARTURE 17 FEBRUARY.

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