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PRESIDENT GEORGE W. BUSH

Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons must take strong action to confront the threat of noncompliance with the NPT in order to preserve and strengthen the Treaty's nonproliferation undertakings.

#### U.S. NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION POLICY

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STEPHEN G. RADEMAKER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR ARMS CONTROL

New proliferation threats require new tools and a willingness to improve and creatively adapt the nonproliferation regime that helps protect us all.

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JACKIE WOLCOTT SANDERS, AMBASSADOR, CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT AND SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PRESIDENT FOR THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

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GAVIN CAMERON, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY

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HENRY D. SOKOLSKI, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,  
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COLONEL CHARLES D. LUTES, USAF, SENIOR  
MILITARY FELLOW, INSTITUTE FOR NATIONAL  
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RICHARD PELLIS, PROFESSOR OF HISTORY, UNIVERSITY  
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