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The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr. The President The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President Biden,

As Russian President Putin continues to wage a ruthless war against another sovereign nation, and as the casualty figures mount and the refugee flows increase, we wish to express our full, unreserved support for American leadership in mobilizing global solidarity and assistance for Ukraine.

We believe the stakes could not be higher for the very future of a democratic country which was assured of its sovereignty and territorial integrity when it signed the Budapest Memorandum in 1994, together with the United States, United Kingdom, and Russian Federation. And, as you yourself have articulated so compellingly, our global security architecture hangs in the balance as well in the throes of President Putin's brinkmanship, war crimes, and nuclear threats.

Therefore, as you consider additional steps to support Ukraine's struggle to defend itself and to meet the urgent needs of its citizens, as well as to punish Moscow and to isolate it from the global economy, you can count on the full support of American Jewish Committee and our hundreds of thousands of advocates across the country.

Mr. President, we wish you every strength and success in this defining hour. Our prayers are with you, as are the hopes and aspirations of so many freedom-loving people in Ukraine, the United States, and throughout the world.

Respectfully,

David Harris