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MEMORANDUM

May 1, 1992

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FROM: Edwin D. Williamson

RE: Status of Agreements with Russia and Ukraine
(Comments due May 22)

With the dissolution of the former Soviet Union (FSU), the status of bilateral agreements between the FSU and the United States, vis a vis the various republics, will need to be clarified. We believe the applicable rules of international law regarding succession of States indicate that, as a general principle, agreements between the FSU and United States would automatically continue in force between the

United States and the various republics, except where this is not feasible or appropriate in view of the specific nature of the agreement. We understand that Russia agrees with this general approach regarding continuation of agreements in force between Russia and the United States, particularly since Russia takes the view that it is the continuation of the FSU. The other republics have also pledged to respect the agreements and obligations of the USSR.

The general principle indicated above calls for a case-by-case analysis of whether continuation in force with respect to a given republic is appropriate and feasible. In addition, notwithstanding that an agreement may continue in force by operation of law, the parties may still agree to terminate it, or it may be unilaterally terminable in accordance with explicit or implicit termination provisions. Accordingly, in order to clarify the status of international agreements with the FSU, it will be necessary to review the agreements with each of the various republics.

In order to prepare for such a review, we ask for your clearance or comments on the attached, which (1) lists the bilateral agreements in force between, or signed by, the U.S. and FSU, and (2) indicates, for Russia and Ukraine, a proposed United States position with respect to each agreement. (The attached listings do not include agreements on arms control, nuclear test limitation, avoidance of nuclear war, or the "hot line".) It will subsequently be necessary to develop a comparable list for the other republics, but we believe it is easier, and less confusing, to begin with two. **Your clearance or comments on agreements of interest to your agency or bureau is requested by May 22, 1992. (Contact: Ms. Jami Selby, Deputy Legal Adviser, Legal Office, Room 6419, Washington, D.C. 20520-6310, Phone (202) 647-7942.) If we do not hear from you, we will assume that you have no objection.**

The status options indicated on the attached lists are as follows:

RIF: The agreement remains in force. (Where technical modifications are necessary or desirable, this is noted.)

NIF: The agreement should be regarded as not in force with a given republic by operation of law (e.g., an agreement which relates to territory exclusively in another republic or is otherwise irrelevant to republic in question) is obsolete or should be terminated for other reasons.

OBE: Implementation of agreement has been completed.

If you are unable to locate a text of a relevant agreement, you may contact Ms. Wilma Wilson, Office of Treaty Affairs, 647-1345.

Attachments:

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

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Agreement on mutual fisheries relations, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force October 28, 1988.

NOTES: 1 Article 3 obsolete by virtue of Alaska cession treaty (15 Stat. 539; TS 301); article 4 expired April 17, 1834. RIF (Note: this has been confirmed with Russia.)

GENERAL RELATIONS

Arrangements relating to the establishment of diplomatic relations, nonintervention, freedom of conscience and religious liberty, legal protection, and claims. Exchanges of notes at Washington November 16, 1933; entered into force November 16, 1933. Department of State Publication 528; European and British Commonwealth Series 2 [new series]; Eastern European Series No. 1 [old series]; 11 Bevans 1248. RIF (Note: agreement as a whole is antiquated, but provisions are still of interest and should remain in force until there is a replacement agreement.)

GRAINS

Agreement on the supply of grain. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement establishes grain purchase totals for whole of USSR territory; would need to be substantially revised in any case, but is also no longer appropriate to current circumstances.)

HEALTH

Agreement relating to the exchange of medical films. Exchange of notes at Washington March 17 and September 5, 1955; entered into force September 5, 1955. 6 UST 3969; TIAS 3409; 256 UNTS 307. OBE (Note: agreement has been fully performed.)

Agreement on cooperation in the field of medical science and public health. Signed at Moscow May 23, 1972; entered into force May 23, 1972. 23 UST 836; TIAS 7344. RIF (Note: may need to redesignate implementing committee).

Agreement on cooperation in artificial heart research and development. Signed at Moscow June 28, 1974; entered into force June 28, 1974. 25 UST 1331; TIAS 7867. RIF (Note: may need to redesignate implementing committee.)

HOUSING

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in housing and economic development. Signed at Moscow July 30, 1991; entered into force July 30, 1991. RIF

JUDICIAL PROCEDURE

Agreement relating to the procedure to be followed in the execution of letters rogatory. Exchange of notes at Moscow November 22, 1935; entered into force November 22, 1935. 49 Stat. 3840; EAS 83; 11 Bevans 1262; 167 LNTS 303. RIF (Note: agreement is badly out of date but still useful; should remain in force until it can be replaced.)

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in the pursuit of Nazi war criminals. Signed at Moscow October 19, 1989; entered into force October 19, 1989. RIF (Note: must designate implementing agency.)

LEND-LEASE

Preliminary agreement relating to principles applying to mutual aid in the prosecution of the war against aggression, and exchange of notes. Signed at Washington June 11, 1942; entered into force June 11, 1942. 56 Stat. 1500; EAS 253; 11 Bevans 1281; 105 UNTS 285. RIF (Note: pending resolution of lend-lease claims issues.)

Agreement relating to the disposition of lend-lease supplies in inventory or procurement in the United States. Signed at Washington October 15, 1945; entered into force October 15, 1945. 7 UST 2819; TIAS 3662; 278 UNTS 151 and 315 UNTS 249. RIF (Note: pending resolution of lend-lease claims issues.)

Agreement regarding settlement of lend-lease, reciprocal aid and claims. Signed at Washington October 18, 1972; entered into force October 18, 1972. 23 UST 2910; TIAS 7478; 898 UNTS 297. RIF

Agreement regarding settlement of lend-lease accounts. Exchange of letters at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. RIF

MAPPING

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in the mapping sciences, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 14, 1991; entered into force May 14, 1991. RIF

MARITIME MATTERS

Declaration concerning the admeasurement of vessels. Signed at Washington June 6, 1884; entered into force August 1, 1884. 23 Stat. 789; TS 304; 11 Bevans 1223. NIF (Note: Superseded by 1966 Load Lines Convention.)

Agreement on the prevention of incidents on and over the high seas. Signed at Moscow May 25, 1972; entered into force May 25, 1972. 23 UST 1168; TIAS 7379; 852 UNTS 151. RIF (Note: pending renegotiation to amend.)

Protocol to the agreement of May 25, 1972 (TIAS 7379) on the prevention of incidents on and over the high seas. Signed at Washington May 22, 1973; entered into force May 22, 1973. 24 UST 1063; TIAS 7624. RIF (Note: pending renegotiation to supersede.)

Memorandum of understanding regarding marine cargo insurance. Signed at London April 5, 1979; entered into force April 5, 1979. 30 UST 2194; TIAS 9326; 1171 UNTS 93. RIF

Agreement on maritime search and rescue, with exchange of letters. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force July 3, 1989. RIF

Agreement to abide by terms of maritime boundary agreement of June 1, 1990, pending entry into force. Exchange of notes at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990; effective June 15, 1990. RIF

Agreement regarding certain maritime matters, with annexes. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force October 1, 1990. TIAS RIF (Note: Pending conclusion of new agreement, which is under active negotiation at present.)

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Agreement on emergency medical supplies and related assistance. Signed at Moscow July 30, 1991; entered into force July 30, 1991. RIF

NARCOTIC DRUGS

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation to combat illegal narcotics trafficking. Signed at Paris January 8, 1989; entered into force January 8, 1989. RIF

Agreement on a mutual understanding on cooperation in the struggle against the illicit traffic in narcotics. Signed at Washington January 31, 1990; entered into force January 31, 1990. RIF (Note: new implementing agencies must be identified.)

NAVIGATION

Agreement on the establishment of joint Loran-C and Chayka radionavigation systems, with annex. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force March 2, 1989. RIF

OCEANOGRAPHY

Agreement on cooperation on ocean studies, with annexes. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. RIF

PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Treaty for the settlement of disputes. Signed at Washington October 1, 1914; entered into force March 22, 1915. 39 Stat. 1622; TS 616; 11 Bevans 1239. RIF (Note: although agreement is antique, it could still be useful in providing a dispute settlement mechanism.)

PASSPORTS

Agreement concerning mutual visits by inhabitants of the Bering Straits Region. Signed at Jackson Hole (Wyoming) September 23, 1989; entered into force July 10, 1991. RIF (Note: certain areas referred to may be re-named.)

POLLUTION

Agreement concerning cooperation in combatting pollution in the Bering and Chukchi Seas in emergency situations. Signed at Moscow May 11, 1989; entered into force August 17, 1989. RIF

POSTAL MATTERS

Agreement concerning the exchange of parcel post, with detailed regulations for execution. Signed at Moscow (date not known) and at Washington February 25, 1939. NIF (Note: agreement has been superseded by UPU Convention.)

International express mail agreement, with detailed regulations. Signed at Moscow March 31, 1988; entered into force May 1, 1988. RIF

Memorandum of understanding concerning the operation of the INTELPOST service, with details of implementation. Signed at Moscow and Washington February 14 and March 9, 1989; entered into force April 3, 1989. RIF

PRISONERS OF WAR

Agreement relating to prisoners of war and civilians liberated by forces operating under Soviet command and forces operating under United States of America command. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945. 59 Stat. 1874; EAS 505; 11 Bevans 1286; 68 UNTS 175. RIF

PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES

Agreement relating to privileges and immunities of all members of the Soviet and American embassies and their families, with agreed minute. Exchange of notes at Washington December 14, 1978; entered into force December 14, 1978; effective December 29, 1978. 30 UST 2341; TIAS 9340; 1171 UNTS 73. RIF

Agreement relating to immunity of family members of consular officers and employees from criminal jurisdiction. Exchange of notes at Washington October 31, 1986; entered into force October 31, 1986. RIF

PUBLICATIONS

Memorandum of understanding to increase distribution of the magazines ''America'' and ''Soviet Life''. Signed at Washington June 2, 1990; entered into force June 2, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement was subsidiary to agreement on cultural relations; see above.)

REGIONAL COMMISSION

Agreement concerning the Bering Straits Regional Commission. Signed at Jackson Hole (Wyoming) September 23, 1989; entered into force July 10, 1991. RIF (Note: certain areas may be renamed; check reference to "Border Troops")

RULES OF WARFARE

Convention relating to the rights of neutrals at sea. 1 Signed at Washington July 22, 1854; entered into force October 31, 1854. 10 Stat. 1105; TS 300; 11 Bevans 1214. Notes: 1 Declaration of accession by Nicaragua signed at Granada June 9, 1855 (7 Miller 139). RIF

SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

Agreement on cooperation in the field of basic scientific research, with annexes. Signed at Paris January 8, 1989; entered into force January 8, 1989. RIF

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in geoscience, with annexes. Signed at Washington and Moscow May 6, 1989; entered into force May 6, 1989. RIF (Note: need to designate new implementing agencies.)

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in the physical, chemical and engineering sciences. Signed at Moscow May 13, 1991; entered into force May 13, 1991. RIF (Note: need to designate new implementing agencies.)

SEABED OPERATIONS

Agreement concerning the confidentiality of data on deep seabed areas, with related exchange of letters. Exchange of notes at Moscow December 5, 1986; entered into force December 5, 1986. RIF

Agreement relating to the agreement of August 14, 1987 on the resolution of practical problems with respect to deep seabed mining areas. 1 Exchange of notes at Moscow August 14, 1987; entered into force August 14, 1987. 2 NOTES: 1 Parties to the multilateral agreement of August 14, 1987 are Belgium, Canada, Italy, Netherlands and Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. 2 The Soviet Union exchanged similar notes on August 14, 1987 with the Federal Republic of Germany and the United Kingdom. RIF

SPACE COOPERATION

Agreement concerning cooperation in the exploration and use of outer space for peaceful purposes, with annex. Signed at Moscow April 15, 1987; entered into force April 15, 1987. Amendment: May 31, 1988. RIF (Note: agreement expired April 15, 1991 by exchange of notes has extended and confirmed that it continues to apply.)

Implementing agreement concerning cooperation in the space flight of a Soviet Meteor-3 satellite employing a U.S. Total Ozone Mapping Spectrometer (TOMS). Signed at Moscow July 25, 1990; entered into force August 24, 1990. RIF

TAXATION

Convention on matters of taxation, with related letters. Signed at Washington June 20, 1973; entered into force January 29, 1976; effective January 1, 1976. 27 UST 1; TIAS 8225. RIF (Note:

new authorities must be designated. Treasury is seeking to negotiate new replacement treaty.)

TELECOMMUNICATION

Agreement on the organization of commercial radio teletype communication channels. Signed at Moscow May 24, 1946; entered into force May 24, 1946. 60 Stat. 1696; TIAS 1527; 11 Bevans 1291; 4 UNTS 201. NIF (Note: agreement is obsolete and no longer forms the basis for telecommunications between the US and the territory of the former USSR.)

TERRITORIAL ACQUISITION

Convention ceding Alaska. Signed at Washington March 30, 1867; entered into force June 20, 1867. 15 Stat. 539; TS 301; 11 Bevans 1216. RIF

TRADE AND COMMERCE

Agreement regulating the position of corporations and other commercial associations. Signed at St. Petersburg June 25, 1904; entered into force June 25, 1904. 36 Stat. 2163; TS 526; 11 Bevans 1235. RIF (Note: agreement is largely obsolete and should be terminated when and if BIT enters into force.)

Agreement on the establishment of a U.S.-U.S.S.R. Commercial Commission. Communique issued at Moscow May 26, 1972; entered into force May 26, 1972. 26 UST 1334; TIAS 8116; 1006 UNTS 17. NIF (Note: Commission has been reconstituted as U.S.-Russia Commercial Commission. Agreement may be supplanted if and when Trade Agreement enters into force.)

Protocol relating to the possibility of establishing a U.S.-U.S.S.R. Chamber of Commerce. Signed at Washington June 22, 1973; entered into force June 22, 1973. 24 UST 1498; TIAS 7656. OBE (Note: terms of agreement have been fulfilled.)

Protocol relating to expansion and improvement of commercial facilities in Washington and Moscow. Signed at Washington June 22, 1973; entered into force June 22, 1973. 24 UST 1501; TIAS 7657; 938 UNTS 127. NIF (Note: presumably covered by proposed Trade Agreement.)

Protocol relating to a Trade Representation of the U.S.S.R. in Washington and a Commercial Office of the U.S.A. in Moscow. Signed at Moscow October 3, 1973; entered into force October 3, 1973. 24 UST 2222; TIAS 7738; 938 UNTS 135. Amendment: May 21 and October 7, 1974 (27 UST 2987; TIAS 8356). NIF (Note: Presumably covered by proposed Trade Agreement.)

Agreement relating to the status of the Commercial Office of the United States in Moscow and the Trade Representation of the Soviet Union in Washington, with annexes. Exchange of letters at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. NIF (Note: presumably covered by Trade Agreement.)

Visa arrangement concerning textiles and textile products. Signed at Washington July 2, 1990; entered into force September 1, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement obsolete insofar as it requires signatures, etc. by designated officials who no longer exist; if desired to continue regime, new agreement would be required.)

TRANSPORTATION

Agreement on cooperation in transportation science and technology, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force May 31, 1988. RIF

VISAS

Agreement relating to the reciprocal waiver of visa fees to nonimmigrants. Exchange of notes at Moscow March 26 and August 11 and 20, 1958; entered into force August 20, 1958. 9 UST 1413; TIAS 4134; 336 UNTS 269. NIF (Note: already terminated de facto; neither party has been implementing.)

Agreement relating to the reciprocal issuance of multiple entry and exit visas to American and Soviet correspondents. Exchange of notes at Moscow September 29, 1975; entered into force September 29, 1975. 27 UST 4258; TIAS 8448. RIF

Agreement concerning diplomatic and other visas, with agreed minute and oral understanding. Exchange of notes at Moscow July 30, 1984; entered into force July 30, 1984. RIF (Note: would be desirable to replace with new agreement.)

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Convention regarding navigation, fishing, and trading on the Pacific Ocean and along the northwest coast of America. 1 Signed at St. Petersburg April 17, 1824; entered into force January 11, 1825. 8 Stat. 302; TS 298; 11 Bevans 1205. NIF (Note: agreement has not been relevant for many years and should be regarded as terminated de facto.)

Agreement relating to the consideration of claims resulting from damage to fishing vessels or gear and measures to prevent fishing conflicts, with annex and protocol. Signed at Moscow February 21, 1973; entered into force February 21, 1973. 24 UST 669; TIAS 7575; 938 UNTS 38. Amendment: February 26, 1975 (26 UST 167; TIAS 8022). OBE (Note: relates to series of past incidents.)

Protocol to the agreement of February 21, 1973 (TIAS 7575), relating to the consideration of claims resulting from damage to fishing vessels or gear and measures to prevent fishing conflicts, with annex. Signed at Copenhagen June 21, 1973; entered into force June 21, 1973. 24 UST 1588; TIAS 7663; 938 UNTS 49. OBE (Note: relates to series of past incidents.)

Agreement on mutual fisheries relations, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force October 28, 1988. NOTES: 1 Article 3 obsolete by virtue of Alaska cession treaty (15 Stat. 539; TS 301); article 4 expired April 17, 1834. NIF (Note: relevant only to Russia.)

GENERAL RELATIONS

Arrangements relating to the establishment of diplomatic relations, nonintervention, freedom of conscience and religious liberty, legal protection, and claims. Exchanges of notes at Washington November 16, 1933; entered into force November 16, 1933. Department of State Publication 528; European and British Commonwealth Series 2 [new series]; Eastern European Series No. 1 [old series]; 11 Bevans 1248. RIF (Note: agreement as a whole is antiquated, but provisions are still of interest and should remain in force until there is a replacement agreement.)

GRAINS

Agreement on the supply of grain. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement establishes grain purchase totals for whole of USSR territory; would need to be substantially revised in any case, but is also no longer appropriate to current circumstances.)

HEALTH

Agreement relating to the exchange of medical films. Exchange of notes at Washington March 17 and September 5, 1955; entered into force September 5, 1955. 6 UST 3969; TIAS 3409; 256 UNTS 307. OBE (Note: agreement has been fully performed.)

Agreement on cooperation in the field of medical science and public health. Signed at Moscow May 23, 1972; entered into force May 23, 1972. 23 UST 836; TIAS 7344. RIF (Note: may need to redesignate implementing committee.)

Agreement on cooperation in artificial heart research and development. Signed at Moscow June 28, 1974; entered into force June 28, 1974. 25 UST 1331; TIAS 7867. RIF (Note: may need to redesignate implementing committee.)

HOUSING

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in housing and economic development. Signed at Moscow July 30, 1991; entered into force July 30, 1991. RIF

JUDICIAL PROCEDURE

Agreement relating to the procedure to be followed in the execution of letters rogatory. Exchange of notes at Moscow November 22, 1935; entered into force November 22, 1935. 49 Stat. 3840; EAS 83; 11 Bevans 1262; 167 LNTS 303. RIF (Note: agreement is badly out of date but still useful; should remain in force until it can be replaced.)

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in the pursuit of Nazi war criminals. Signed at Moscow October 19, 1989; entered into force October 19, 1989. RIF (Note: must designate implementing agency; may require other adjustments.)

LEND-LEASE

Preliminary agreement relating to principles applying to mutual aid in the prosecution of the war against aggression, and exchange of notes. Signed at Washington June 11, 1942; entered into force June 11, 1942. 56 Stat. 1500; EAS 253; 11 Bevans 1281; 105 UNTS 285. RIF (Note: pending resolution of lend-lease claims.)

Agreement relating to the disposition of lend-lease supplies in inventory or procurement in the United States. Signed at Washington October 15, 1945; entered into force October 15, 1945. 7 UST 2819; TIAS 3662; 278 UNTS 151 and 315 UNTS 249. RIF (Note: pending resolution of lend-lease claims.)

Agreement regarding settlement of lend-lease, reciprocal aid and claims. Signed at Washington October 18, 1972; entered into force October 18, 1972. 23 UST 2910; TIAS 7478; 898 UNTS 297. RIF

Agreement regarding settlement of lend-lease accounts. Exchange of letters at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. RIF

MAPPING

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in the mapping sciences, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 14, 1991; entered into force May 14, 1991. RIF

MARITIME MATTERS

Declaration concerning the admeasurement of vessels. Signed at Washington June 6, 1884; entered into force August 1, 1884. 23 Stat. 789; TS 304; 11 Bevans 1223. NIF/T (Note: Ukraine should join 1966 Load Lines Multilateral.)

Agreement on the prevention of incidents on and over the high seas. Signed at Moscow May 25, 1972; entered into force May 25, 1972. 23 UST 1168; TIAS 7379; 852 UNTS 151. NIF (Note: relevant only to Russia.)

Protocol to the agreement of May 25, 1972 (TIAS 7379) on the prevention of incidents on and over the high seas. Signed at Washington May 22, 1973; entered into force May 22, 1973. 24 UST 1063; TIAS 7624. NIF (Note: relevant only to Russia.)

Memorandum of understanding regarding marine cargo insurance. Signed at London April 5, 1979; entered into force April 5, 1979. 30 UST 2194; TIAS 9326; 1171 UNTS 93. RIF

Agreement on maritime search and rescue, with exchange of letters. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force July 3, 1989. RIF

Agreement to abide by terms of maritime boundary agreement of June 1, 1990, pending entry into force. Exchange of notes at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990; effective June 15, 1990. NIF (Note: not relevant.)

Agreement regarding certain maritime matters, with annexes. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force October 1, 1990. RIF (Note: pending conclusion of new agreement, which is under active negotiation at present.)

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Agreement on emergency medical supplies and related assistance. Signed at Moscow July 30, 1991; entered into force July 30, 1991.

NARCOTIC DRUGS

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation to combat illegal narcotics trafficking. Signed at Paris January 8, 1989; entered into force January 8, 1989. RIF

Agreement on a mutual understanding on cooperation in the struggle against the illicit traffic in narcotics. Signed at Washington January 31, 1990; entered into force January 31, 1990. RIF
(Note: new implementing agencies must be identified; Ukraine may wish understanding modifying Article 15 re: correspondence in Russian.)

NAVIGATION

Agreement on the establishment of joint Loran-C and Chayka radionavigation systems, with annex. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force March 2, 1989. NIF (Note: not relevant to territory of Ukraine.)

OCEANOGRAPHY

Agreement on cooperation on ocean studies, with annexes. Signed at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. RIF
(Note: need to designate new implementing agencies.)

PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Treaty for the settlement of disputes. Signed at Washington October 1, 1914; entered into force March 22, 1915. 39 Stat. 1622; TS 616; 11 Bevans 1239. RIF (Note: although agreement is antique, it could still be useful in providing a dispute settlement mechanism.)

PASSPORTS

Agreement concerning mutual visits by inhabitants of the Bering Straits Region. Signed at Jackson Hole (Wyoming) September 23, 1989; entered into force July 10, 1991. NIF (Note: agreement concerns territory of Russia; not relevant to Ukraine.)

POLLUTION

Agreement concerning cooperation in combatting pollution in the Bering and Chukchi Seas in emergency situations. Signed at Moscow May 11, 1989; entered into force August 17, 1989. NIF (Note: not relevant.)

POSTAL MATTERS

Agreement concerning the exchange of parcel post, with detailed regulations for execution. Signed at Moscow (date not known) and at Washington February 25, 1939. NIF (Note: agreement has been superseded by UPU Convention.)

International express mail agreement, with detailed regulations. Signed at Moscow March 31, 1988; entered into force May 1, 1988. RIF (Note: would be replaced at some point by new agreement.)

Memorandum of understanding concerning the operation of the INTELPOST service, with details of implementation. Signed at Moscow and Washington February 14 and March 9, 1989; entered into force April 3, 1989. RIF (Note: would be replaced at some point by new agreement.)

PRISONERS OF WAR

Agreement relating to prisoners of war and civilians liberated by forces operating under Soviet command and forces operating under United States of America command. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945. 59 Stat. 1874; EAS 505; 11 Bevans 1286; 68 UNTS 175. RIF

PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES

Agreement relating to privileges and immunities of all members of the Soviet and American embassies and their families, with agreed minute. Exchange of notes at Washington December 14, 1978; entered into force December 14, 1978; effective December 29, 1978. 30 UST 2341; TIAS 9340; 1171 UNTS 73. RIF

Agreement relating to immunity of family members of consular officers and employees from criminal jurisdiction. Exchange of notes at Washington October 31, 1986; entered into force October 31, 1986. RIF

PUBLICATIONS

Memorandum of understanding to increase distribution of the magazines 'America' and 'Soviet Life'. Signed at Washington June 2, 1990; entered into force June 2, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement was subsidiary to agreement on cultural relations; see above.)

REGIONAL COMMISSION

Agreement concerning the Bering Straits Regional Commission. Signed at Jackson Hole (Wyoming) September 23, 1989; entered into force July 10, 1991. NIF (Note: agreement concerns territory of Russia; not relevant to Ukraine.)

RULES OF WARFARE

Convention relating to the rights of neutrals at sea. 1 Signed at Washington July 22, 1854; entered into force October 31, 1854. 10 Stat. 1105; TS 300; 11 Bevans 1214. Notes: 1 Declaration of accession by Nicaragua signed at Granada June 9, 1855 (7 Miller 139). RIF

SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

Agreement on cooperation in the field of basic scientific research, with annexes. Signed at Paris January 8, 1989; entered into force January 8, 1989. RIF

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in geoscience, with annexes. Signed at Washington and Moscow May 6, 1989; entered into force May 6, 1989. RIF (Note: need to designate new implementing agencies.)

Memorandum of understanding on cooperation in the physical, chemical and engineering sciences. Signed at Moscow May 13, 1991; entered into force May 13, 1991. RIF (Note: need to designate new implementing agencies.)

SEABED OPERATIONS

Agreement concerning the confidentiality of data on deep seabed areas, with related exchange of letters. Exchange of notes at Moscow December 5, 1986; entered into force December 5, 1986. RIF

Agreement relating to the agreement of August 14, 1987 on the resolution of practical problems with respect to deep seabed mining areas. 1 Exchange of notes at Moscow August 14, 1987; entered into force August 14, 1987. 2 NOTES: 1 Parties to the multilateral agreement of August 14, 1987 are Belgium, Canada, Italy, Netherlands and Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. 2 The Soviet Union exchanged similar notes on August 14, 1987 with the Federal Republic of Germany and the United Kingdom. RIF

SPACE COOPERATION

Agreement concerning cooperation in the exploration and use of outer space for peaceful purposes, with annex. Signed at Moscow April 15, 1987; entered into force April 15, 1987. Amendment: May 31, 1988. NIF (Note: agreement expired April 15, 1991 but could be extended; continued cooperation desired.)

Implementing agreement concerning cooperation in the space flight of a Soviet Meteor-3 satellite employing a U.S. Total Ozone Mapping Spectrometer (TOMS). Signed at Moscow July 25, 1990; entered into force August 24, 1990. RIF

TAXATION

Convention on matters of taxation, with related letters. Signed at Washington June 20, 1973; entered into force January 29, 1976; effective January 1, 1976. 27 UST 1; TIAS 8225. RIF (Note: press release has been issued by Treasury confirming that we regard this agreement as continuing in force. New authorities must be designated.)

TELECOMMUNICATION

Agreement on the organization of commercial radio teletype communication channels. Signed at Moscow May 24, 1946; entered into force May 24, 1946. 60 Stat. 1696; TIAS 1527; 11 Bevans 1291; 4 UNTS 201. NIF (Note: agreement is obsolete and no longer forms the basis for telecommunications between the US and the territory of the former USSR.)

TERRITORIAL ACQUISITION

Convention ceding Alaska. Signed at Washington March 30, 1867; entered into force June 20, 1867. 15 Stat. 539; TS 301; 11 Bevans 1216. OBE (Note: agreement not relevant to Ukraine but should be respected as dispositive treaty.)

TRADE AND COMMERCE

Agreement regulating the position of corporations and other commercial associations. Signed at St. Petersburg June 25, 1904; entered into force June 25, 1904. 36 Stat. 2163; TS 526; 11 Bevans 1235. RIF (Note: agreement is largely obsolete and should be terminated when BIT enters into force.)

Agreement on the establishment of a U.S.-U.S.S.R. Commercial Commission. Communique issued at Moscow May 26, 1972; entered into force May 26, 1972. 26 UST 1334; TIAS 8116; 1006 UNTS 17. NIF (Note: Commission has outlived its purposes and objectives and should be terminated when Trade Agreement enters into force.)

Protocol relating to the possibility of establishing a U.S.-U.S.S.R. Chamber of Commerce. Signed at Washington June 22, 1973; entered into force June 22, 1973. 24 UST 1498; TIAS 7656. OBE (Note: terms of agreement have been fulfilled.)

Protocol relating to expansion and improvement of commercial facilities in Washington and Moscow. Signed at Washington June 22, 1973; entered into force June 22, 1973. 24 UST 1501; TIAS 7657; 938 UNTS 127. NIF (Note: concerns Moscow and therefore not relevant to Ukraine; also presumably would be covered by Trade Agreement.)

Protocol relating to a Trade Representation of the U.S.S.R. in Washington and a Commercial Office of the U.S.A. in Moscow. Signed at Moscow October 3, 1973; entered into force October 3, 1973. 24 UST 2222; TIAS 7738; 938 UNTS 135. Amendment: May 21 and October 7, 1974 (27 UST 2987; TIAS 8356). NIF (Note: concerns Moscow and therefore not relevant to Ukraine; also presumably would be covered by Trade Agreement.)

Agreement relating to the status of the Commercial Office of the United States in Moscow and the Trade Representation of the Soviet Union in Washington, with annexes. Exchange of letters at Washington June 1, 1990; entered into force June 1, 1990. NIF (Note: concerns Moscow and therefore not relevant to Ukraine; also presumably would be covered by Trade Agreement.)

Visa arrangement concerning textiles and textile products. Signed at Washington July 2, 1990; entered into force September 1, 1990. NIF (Note: agreement obsolete insofar as it requires signatures, etc. by designated officials who no longer exist; if desired to continue regime, new agreement would be required.)

TRANSPORTATION

Agreement on cooperation in transportation science and technology, with annexes. Signed at Moscow May 31, 1988; entered into force May 31, 1988. RIF

VISAS

Agreement relating to the reciprocal waiver of visa fees to nonimmigrants. Exchange of notes at Moscow March 26 and August 11 and 20, 1958; entered into force August 20, 1958. 9 UST 1413; TIAS 4134; 336 UNTS 269. NIF (Note: already terminated de facto; neither party has been implementing.)

Agreement relating to the reciprocal issuance of multiple entry and exit visas to American and Soviet correspondents. Exchange of notes at Moscow September 29, 1975; entered into force September 29, 1975. 27 UST 4258; TIAS 8448. RIF

Agreement concerning diplomatic and other visas, with agreed minute and oral understanding. Exchange of notes at Moscow July 30, 1984; entered into force July 30, 1984. RIF (Note: requires re-designation of government positions and entry and exit points; would be desirable to replace with new agreement.)

Agreement modifying the agreement of July 30, 1984 concerning diplomatic and other visas. Exchange of notes at Washington October 31, 1986; entered into force October 31, 1986. RIF (Note: see note above.)

US-USSR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AGREEMENTS

Exploration and Use of Outer Space for Peaceful Purposes

TERM DATE - 4/14/92

Executive agents:

U.S. : NASA
Soviet Union: USSR Academy of Sciences and Glavkosmos

Signed 15 April 1987; amended 31 May 1988

Includes five joint working groups: space biology and medicine; solar system exploration; astronomy and astrophysics; solar-terrestrial physics; and earth sciences. An Annex covers 16 projects and areas of cooperation; exchange of flight opportunities for scientific instruments and studies of unmanned solar-system exploration were added at May 1988 summit

- The NASA-Hydromet TOMS (Total Ozone Monitoring System) Agreement was signed in Moscow July 1990

- At July/August 1991 summit, sides agreed to three new initiatives: monitoring the global environment from space; flight of US astronauts on a Mir mission and USSR cosmonauts on a Space Shuttle Mission; and annual space discussions.

Medical Science and Public Health

TERM DATE - 5/01/92

Executive agents:

U.S. : HHS
Soviet Union: USSR Ministry of Health

Signed May 1972; extended in 1977, 1982, and 1987

Provides for cooperation in cardiopulmonary diseases; malignant neoplasia; environmental health; arthritis and musculoskeletal diseases; viral infections other than HIV, eye diseases; individual health scientist exchanges; primatology; biomedical problems of alcohol and drug abuse; and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection; biomedical communications; mental health; dental and oral health; geriatrics and gerontology; and public health policy.

Artificial Heart Research and Development

TERM DATE - 6/28/92

Executive agents:

U.S. : HHS
Soviet Union: USSR Ministry of Health, All Union Centre
for Cardiology research

Signed June 1974; self-renewing every 5 years

Provides for cooperation in the areas of research on, and joint development and testing of devices, materials, instruments and control mechanisms which will provide cardiovascular support including total heart replacement

Natural Resources

TERM DATE - 5/23/92

Executive agents:

U.S. : DOI (FWS)
Soviet Union:

Exchange of scientists to work on conservation activities relating to wildlife and wildlife habitats.

Environmental Protection

TERM DATE: 9/10/92

Executive agents:

U.S. : EPA
Soviet Union: USSR Ministry for Nature Use and
Environmental Protection (MINPRIRODA)

Signed in May 1972

Currently provides for cooperation in air and water pollution; park management; nature protection; prevention of pollution associated with agricultural production; biological and genetic effects of pollution; climate change; earthquake prevention; arctic and subarctic ecological systems; and environmental economics

Includes USGS MOU on earth sciences, seismological studies.

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Transportation

TERM DATE - 5/31/93

Executive agents:

U.S. : DOT
 Soviet Union: State Committee for Science and Technology

Signed June 1973; cancelled in 1983; new agreement signed in May 1988

Provides for cooperation in civil aviation; railroad safety; highway bridge construction; and highway and traffic safety programs

Agriculture

TERM DATE - 6/19/93

Executive agents:

U.S. : USDA
 Soviet Union: USSR Commission on Food and Food Procurement

Signed 19 June 1973; self-renewing every 5 years

Cooperation includes working groups for agricultural economic research and information; agricultural research and technology development; and food processing.

Basic Scientific Research

TERM DATE - 1/08/94

Executive agents:

U.S. : OSTP
 Soviet Union: USSR State Committee for Science and Technology (SCST)

Signed January 1989

Provides for cooperation in eight broad areas: geosciences; basic scientific research in engineering sciences; scientific problems of the arctic and the north; life sciences; science policy; chemistry; mathematics; ~~and~~ ^{experimental &} theoretical physics, & social sciences.

Memorandum of Understandings (MOU) include

- MOU between the National Science Foundation and the USSR Academy of Sciences
- MOU between the USGS and the USSR Ministry of Geology
- MOU between USGS and State Committee for Geodesy & Cartography
- MOU between NIST and Academy of Sciences

UNDER THE BASIC SCIENCES AGREEMENT

Ocean Drilling Program

- MOU signed in February 1991.
- Provides for Soviet participation in a multinational program of basic research in the marine geosciences. Objective of ODP is to explore the earth's structure and history as they are recorded in the basement rock and overlying sediments accumulated on the seafloor.
- Uses the JOIDES Resolution.
- US-USSR cooperation in ODP will be reviewed annually at the Basic Sciences JCM; but the MOU is not included under the Basic Sciences Agreement.

Memorandum of Cooperation Between the U.S. National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and the USSR Academy of Sciences on Cooperation in the Physical, Chemical and Engineering Sciences

- NIST is cooperating with the USSR Academy of Sciences in the physical, chemical and engineering sciences, as well as coordination and improvement of measurement methods for science and engineering.
- Activities have included areas of physics, nuclear physics, chemistry, engineering science, materials science, and mathematics.
- A new MOU, to be incorporated under the Basic Sciences Agreement, was signed in May 1991 during the Basic Sciences JCM.

Memorandum of Understanding Between the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) and the USSR Committee for Geodesy and Cartography (CGK) in the Mapping Sciences

- Subordinate to Basic Sciences Agreement.
- Signed in May 1991 during Basic Sciences JCM.
- MOU provides for cooperation in following topics: Geographic Information Systems (GIS) applications in resource management decisionmaking; global change investigations; Antarctic programs; satellite product comparison; surveying and mapping terms and definitions; and geographic names.

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Ocean Studies

TERM DATE - 5/31/95

Executive agents:

U.S. : NOAA

Soviet Union: State Committee for Science and Technology

Signed June 1990; replaces 1973 Studies of the World Oceans Agreement

Provides for cooperation in physical oceanography; chemical and biological oceanography; geological, geophysical and geochemical investigations of oceans and coastal regions; biological productivity of functioning of oceanic biological communities; and marine meteorology. Includes USGS MOU.

At the Joint Committee Meeting in September 1990, the sides approved continuation of research projects on Southern Ocean dynamics, mid-Atlantic ridge crest processes, and geochemistry of marine sediments. It also approved projects on Arctic erosional processes and gas hydrates that had been further developed since the last meeting in 1988. Finally, the Joint Committee approved new marine research projects on diving physiology and circulation of the Bering and Chukchi Seas.

Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy

TERM DATE - 6/01/95

Executive agents:

U.S. : DOE

Soviet Union: Ministry of Atomic Power and Industry (MAPI)

Revised agreement signed by Presidents Bush and Gorbachev at June 1990 summit. Original agreement signed in 1973 and extended in 1983, 1986, and 1988 11th JCM held in Moscow in July 1991. Includes several MOC's.

Gov't-to-Gov't agreement on peaceful uses of atomic energy. New agreement strengthens long-standing framework for research in magnetic confinement fusion, fast breeder reactor safety, the fundamental properties of matter, and civilian nuclear reactor safety

Includes a subsidiary MOU¹ on Cooperation in the Fields of Civilian Nuclear Reactor Safety.

2. FPM 3. MCFusion

Also includes a subsidiary MOC in the Fields of Environmental Restoration and Waste Management (signed in September 1990).

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Building Technologies

TERM DATE -7/96

Executive agents:

U.S. : HUD
Soviet Union: USSR State Construction Committee (GOSSTROY)

Provides for cooperation in building design and construction technology, building codes and standards.

Proposed Agreement on Scientific and Technical Cooperation in the Field of Non-Nuclear Fuels and Energy (Under Consideration by the U.S. and USSR)

- U.S. proposed text provides for cooperation in energy data exchange; fossil energy; conservation and end-use efficiency; and renewable energy.
- Soviet response added fifth area: energy and ecology.
- Significant differences remain regarding U.S. proposed IPR language and role of U.S. direct capital investment in Soviet energy sector.
- If differences can be resolved, next possible signature venue may be during a possible visit to Soviet Union by DOE Secretary Watkins in September.

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**EXECUTIVE AGENTS: USDA
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**EXECUTIVE AGENTS: HHS
USSR MINISTRY OF HEALTH, ALL UNION CENTER FOR
CARDIOLOGY RESEARCH**

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4. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TERM: 5/23/92

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USSR STATE COMMITTEE FOR NATURE USE AND
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MINISTRY OF ATOMIC POWER AND INDUSTRY**

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FUTURE COOPERATION

EXISTING S&T AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE US-USSR WILL INFLUENCE FUTURE COOPERATION.

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