

The Norwegian Nobel Committee 0255 O s l o Henrik Ibsens gate 51 N o r w a y

Honorable members of the Committee for the Nobel Peace Prize,

We are writing to you on behalf of the Belgrade Forum for a World of Equals, Club of generals and admirals of Serbia and Foundation United for youth, independent non-profit, non-partisan organizations from Serbia and Serbian diaspora.

We have learned from media that the NATO Alliance is official candidate for the Nobel Peace Prize award 2020. In this regard, please allow us to draw your attention to the following:

1. Exactly 21 years ago, NATO Alliance launched illegal military aggression on Serbia (FRY) which lasted 78 days, from March 24th to June 10th 1999 thus violating UN Charter, OSCE Helsinki Final document, as well as its own Founding Act (1949). It was a crime against peace and humanity.

2. The aggression left over 3500 dead including 89 children, as well as about 12500 wounded people. Direct economic damage was estimated at over 100 billion US dollars. The number of human victims due to the subsequent consequences of the aggression and the damage to the natural environment is yet to be assessed.

3. As the first war after the Second World War on European soil, the NATO aggression on Serbia (FRY) was a turning point introducing the practice of unrestricted aggressions and interventions all around the globe. This aggression was the start of transformation of NATO itself from the defensive into offensive alliance, ignoring the UN principle that peace should be defended by all means.

4. The aggression conducted in alliance with the separatist terrorist KLA organization set the precedent encouraging separatism, terrorism and disrespect of international law.



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5. During the aggression, NATO forces had been using missiles with depleted uranium and other forbidden armaments and methods strongly condemned in European Parliament, Parliamentary assembly of the Council of Europe and national parliaments of many NATO (EU) member countries. This has left lasting consequences, causing dangerous malign deceases and taking away lives of thousands of innocent persons.

6. This crime against peace and humanity provoked lasting instability in the Balkans. It has seriously affected stability of Europe. At the same time, NATO has inflicted irreparable damage to the European (OSCE) and the World Peace and Security Order (UN), thus introducing the era of new Cold war.

Hoping that these facts deserve your attention and evaluation, please accept assurances of our highest consideration.

Belgrade, March 2020.

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