

## **International Conference**

## **Building a Nuclear Weapon Free World**

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## Authorities, Ladies and Gentlemen,

here in Kazakhstan, in Alma Ata, the World Health Organization, at the International Conference: "Health for All in year 2000", stated in 1978 the health as condition of complete physical, psychological and social wellbeing. The Conference goal has been failed and the use of nuclear weapons, even unintentionally or for terroristic purposes, is in the global agenda.

Therefore global answers must be urgently given to the mankind, as a human imperative.

In september 2006 IPPNW titled it's Helsinki World Congress "Peace through Health".

In november 2006, at the World Summit of Peace Prize Nobel Laureates in Rome, a delegation of IPPNW proposed to use the twentieth anniversary of the INF Treaty (that dismantled from Europe SS20, Cruise and Pershing II nuclear missiles) to rethink to the Reykjavik's Reagan's and Gorbachev's Summit starting from that in favour of a new great nuclear disarmament.

From that proposal, listened even by the President of Mayor for Peace, prof. Akiba Tadatoshi, Mayor of Hiroshima, President Gorbachev was invited in American

Universities to testify what happened in Reykjavik, together with Americans witnesses of that Summit.

After that, IPPNW founded in 2007 ICAN, the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons. By coincidence or not, in 2008 the logo of the first Obama's American Presidential Campaign was "I CAN".

Just before his election, IPPNW sent to candidate Obama a long document, where was asked to work immediately for Nuclear Disarmament, and I found the key concepts of that document in the intents he declared later at Prague Airport, in 2008, immediately after his election as President of the United States, while going to Moscow to meet President Medvedev.

Later, Russian President changed and the empathy USA/RUSSIA came down.

In november 2009, in Sicily, the Italian Affiliate of IPPNW worked for the International Conference "Peace is in our hands", putting together Iranian, Italian and Iraqi Mayors for Peace, and from there began a successful path that has brought to solve very dangerous misunderstandings about the Iranian Nuclear Program issue.

Just leaving from urgent comments about that meeting with Iranians, from a precious cooperation between representatives of IPPNW and ICRC/HC in Rome, april 2010, organizing the Hiroshima's World Summit of Peace Prize Nobel Laureates (october 2010), through the two ICRC's Resolutions calling its global organization to work for the elimination of nuclear weapons, the Humanitarian Initiative was born.

Through the Diplomatic International Conferences in Oslo (march, 2013), Nayarit (february 2014), and Wien (december 2014), the Humanitarian Initiative has been so strongly developed to be brought to United Nations, at the OEWG, Open Ended Working Group on Multilateral Talks on Nuclear Disarmament.

I personally remember that thirty years ago, after having received (accompanied by an IPPNW strong global medical Delegation) the 1985 Nobel Peace Prize to have convinced USA and USSR to start serious Talks to dismantle their nuclear missiles from Europe, our Co-Presidents professors Bernard Lown (USA) and Eugene Chazov (USSR) flew to Moscow, being received at the Kremlin by President Gorbaciov. After a whole afternoon of intensive intellectual dialogue between them, USSR decided unilaterally for six months a ban to every Soviet nuclear tests.

Six years later, Independent Kazakhstan President Nazarbayev made even more: he decided to close the Semipalatinsk Nuclear Test Site, renouncing to the nuclear arsenal.

That is why I feel particularly honoured to be here today.

The agendas of World Health Organization and of United Nations, through our Humanitarian Initiative must be urgently integrated, developing an international strategy to build really the 1986 Reykjavik's Vision, by Presidents Reagan and Gorbachev, of a World Free from Nuclear Weapons.

Strong base to build it must be, seventy years after the Yalta Agreement between the winners of the II World War, a new global agreement: "Yalta Agreement Two".

NATO and Russia, with the participation of all Nuclear Powers, deciding to accept scientifically, culturally and diplomatically our common Humanitarian Initiative, will have the chance to start to work together for a Nuclear Weapons Free World, thought by Reagan and Gorbachev together in october 1986, and rethought and renamed by President Obama visiting after seventy years Hiroshima Ground Zero, where the Emperor of Nuclear and Global Evil showed itself for the first time.

NATO and Russia, with the participation of all Nuclear Powers and states, must urgently stabilize the world with a second "Yalta Agreement" in a way similar to what happened in october 1962 for Cuba: retiring nuclear missiles and nuclear military modernization programs on a bipartisan basis, and simultaneously recognize forever the rights of their bilateral national security on the seas.

It is necessary that USA and Russia will agree to dismantle and destroy, with a second START agreement, most of their intercontinental missiles and warheads, as a very first and necessary step towards a United Nations Nuclear Weapons Convention and the consequent urgent abolition of nuclear weapons.

In the meanwhile, I bring to your attention the Statement adopted by IPPNW in occasion of the seventy-first anniversary of the atomic bombings of the nuclear martyr cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, that calls to the responsibility of the immediate removal of nuclear warheads from the NATO's base of Incirlik, Turkey, where recent strong events produced again, directly or indirectly, the menace of an unintentional or terroristic use of nuclear weapons.

In december 2015, after the terrorist attacks in Paris and after the menace of military real use of nuclear weapons on battlefield, the Italian Affiliate of IPPNW, through ISIAMED, Italian Institute for Asia and Mediterranean, asked to Kazakhstan to work immediately to contribute to avoid the menaced real use of nuclear bombs.

After that, on april 2016, in occasion of the UN World Day for Earth, the Italian Scientific Organizations met in Naples, Italy, in the City of Science, at the Conference:

"To make empty Arsenals. To build Peace", and called to the urgent necessity of nuclear military abolition.

As my personal opinion and initiative, I ask to Kazakhstan to work to build "Yalta Agreement Two", a new global strategic political agreement that, leaving from the complete recognition of the Russian right to keep its access to Black and Mediterranean Seas through the global acceptance of its historical national sovereignty on Crimea, will permit a second Distension and the definitive conclusion of the Cold War, first condition for the real abolition of nuclear weapons, for the promotion of the Nuclear Weapons Free World Vision, and for the real and practical building of Peace, through agreements to close all the wars and to work for a humanitarian new global order.

Thank you for your attention.

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