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We, the undersigned, declare the following:

As members of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, we urgently appeal to you, esteemed members of the United States Congress, to continue America's unified, robust, moral and material response towards the Russian Federation's aggression against Ukraine.

Russia's aggression is not merely an affront to national sovereignty and territorial integrity; it revives ominous echoes of the past when hesitancy led to global conflict.

Bipartisan support in the Congress, has played a crucial role in bolstering Ukraine's valiant struggle. It is testament to our common defense of democratic values and our firm opposition to authoritarianism.

Supporting Ukraine's courageous self-defense now is paramount. It is not just about protecting one nation, but about safeguarding our collective peace, deterring future conflicts, and upholding the tenets of international law.

The choices the US Congress makes will decisively shape the future of global relations and protect the cherished principles of democracy, human rights, and the rule of law, which we share with you.

Your support at this time is critical for the sake of those shared values and for the future.

Signed (see overleaf)

Signed[1]*:*

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1. ALDE: Alliance of Liberals and Democrats for Europe
EC/DA: European Conservatives Group and Democratic Alliance
EPP/CD: Group of the European People's Party
SOC: Socialists, Democrats and Greens Group
NR: Representatives not belonging to a Political Group