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To: U.S. Congressional Ukrainian Caucus
Washington Room 2400 RHOB- Rayburn House Office Building
50 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20515
To: U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

EMERGENCY HUMANITARIAN PLEA FOR UKRAINE

I, Veronika Mudra, have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein and if called to testify as a witness, I would and could competently testify under oath therein. I am a resident of Los Angeles, California.

I'm the founder and chairwoman of the nonprofit organizations **White Ribbon USA** and **White Ribbon Ukraine** related to the global White Ribbon Campaign the world's largest movement of men and boys ending gender-based violence towards women and girls. I'm human rights advocate, TEDx speaker, participant of "Women. Peace. Security Ukraine" and Ukrainian Days in the US Congress. I'm also a **refugee from Ukraine** and received asylum in the United States.

We at White Ribbon partnered up with an international voluntary freedom force, the **Georgian National Legion** that has been fighting for Ukrainian sovereignty since 2014 and a medical rehabilitation organization **Revived Soldiers Ukraine** based in the US and Ukraine.



In this critical time we are making a joint emergency humanitarian plea with an immediate call to action based on **the Budapest Memorandum on Security Assurances 12/05/1994 signed between U.S., U.K., Russia and Ukraine against threats or use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of Ukraine** upon its nuclear weapons withdraw.



1. Supporting Ukraine with AIR DEFENCE TECHNOLOGIES that will save lives of civilians and will shelter such strategic objects of international security as nuclear power plants based in Ukraine.
2. Assisting Ukraine with green corridors upon guaranteed safer airspace that will help to immediately evacuate refugees from major regions that experience heavy shelling;
3. Preventing potential human trafficking and child trafficking humanitarian crisis in Ukraine;
4. Assisting Ukraine in mediating of peaceful negotiations with Russia to end the war crisis.
5. Supporting the ICC investigation of alleged war crimes, crimes against humanity and the crime of genocide after Russian President Vladimir Putin approved "a special military operation" in Ukraine on 02/24/22.

Our organizations recently held a series of public awareness events in California #PLEAFORUKRAINE widely supported by communities and press. Representatives of our organizations are ready to fly to DC immediately with a prepared itemized reports related to emergency humanitarian plea. As a recognized campaigner for governmental and NGO programs I'd like to offer our services for humanitarian aid development programs in Ukraine. Link to the campaign: <https://www.whiteribbonusa.org/emergencyukraine>

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Best regards,
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