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TO THE MEMBERS OF UNITED NATIONS SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT:

WE THE UNDERSIGNED HOPI INITIATED LEADERS AND MEMBERS OF THE HOPI SOVEREIGN NATION, ON BEHALF OF OUR HIGHEST HEREDITARY KIKMONGWIS AND ALL TRADITIONAL HOPI PEOPLE, HEREBY PRESENT TO YOU OUR MOST URGENT PETITION CALLING UPON ALL OF YOU TO IMMEDIATELY PUT ASIDE ALL FORMS OF INSTRUMENTS OF WARFARES INCLUDING THE DEVELOPMENT OF NUCLEAR ENERGY FOR DISTRUCTIVE PURPOSES.

AS SPIRITUAL LEADERS KNOWING OUR ANCIENT HOPI PROPHECIES, WARNINGS AND RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION ALL OF WHICH WERE GIVEN US THE ORIGINAL NATIVE PEOPLE IN THIS WESTERN HEMISPHERE WE STRONGLY BELIEVED THAT THE TIME HAS COME FOR US TO REMIND ALL OF YOU THAT ONLY BY HUMBLENESS, KINDNESS, AND TRUE LOVE FOR ALL LIVING THINGS ON THIS MOTHER EARTH CAN ^{WE} SOLVE WORLD PROBLEMS. GREAT SPIRIT MASSAWU HAS WARNED US NOT TO DEVELOP ANY " GOURD FULL OF ASHES", ATOM BOMBS OR NUCLEAR POWERED MISSILES AND DROP THEM UPON OUR MOTHER EARTH. WHOEVER DOES THAT WILL SURELY HAVE TO FACE EVENTUAL PUNISHMENT WHICH WILL BE GREAT.

WE HAVE MANY ANCIENT PROPHECIES, RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS WHICH WE WISH TO SHARE WITH ALL OUR WHITE BROTHERS AND SISTER BUT ONLY BY WORDS OF MOUTH IN OUR PUEBLOS AND BY OUR SPIRITUAL KIKMONGWIS. THEREFORE WE SINCERELY CALL UPON ALL OF YOU TO DO AWAY WITH FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF THESE DEADLY INSTRUMENTS OF WARFARES AND COME AND MEET WITH OUR HIGHEST HOPI SPIRITUAL LEADERS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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