Petition for a Peace Treaty

Dear Senator/Rep.

While we struggle to end the terrible war in Iraq, it is also urgent that we end "the Forgotten War" now. This year, we are observing the 55th anniversary of signing the Armistice Agreement that, in 1953, stopped the horrendous fighting in the Korean War.

Unfortunately, the Korean War is still continuing because the Armistice Agreement is yet to be replaced by a formal peace treaty. The temporary ceasefire arrangement, which has fueled a dangerous arms race across the DMZ, is now outdated and in tatters. Koreans today want North-South reconciliation and peaceful reunification of their country. However, some 30,000 U.S. troops are still stationed in South Korea, costing billions of our tax dollars each year. It is about time to call for a new U.S. policy toward Korea.

As concerned Americans, including veterans of the Korean War, we urge you to take an active role in ending the longest, costly war between the United States and North Korea as soon as possible, so that real and lasting peace, reconciliation and cooperation can take place in Korea and in the surrounding Northeast Asia region.

Sincerely yours,

Signature	City/State	E-mail	Date

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