



FOR THE RECORD:

## Clinton, Kravchuk talk in Kyiv

*News summary on tri-partite US-Ukraine-Russia nuclear accord and statements by US President Bill Clinton and Ukrainian President Leonid Kravchuk in Kyiv.*

*Monitor* has included the text of the trilateral Accord and its Annex in the previous pages.

### BILL CLINTON'S ADDRESS

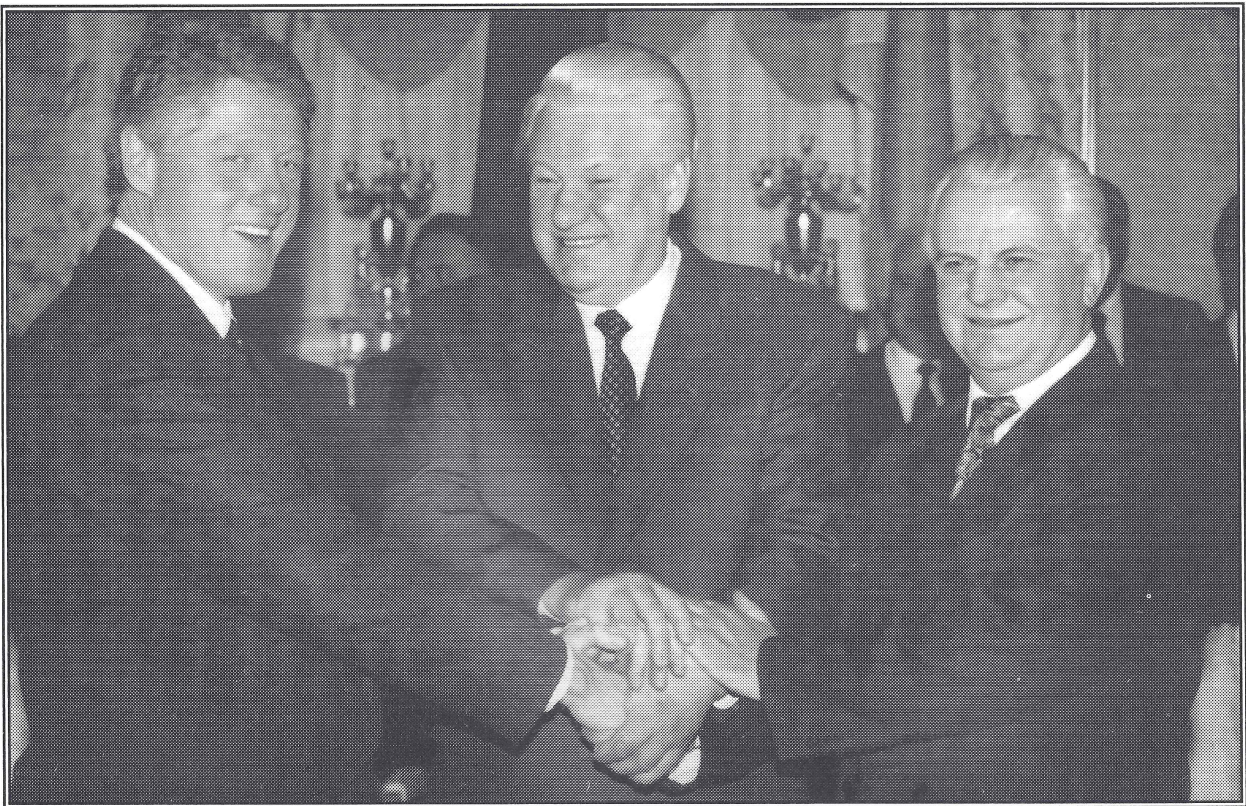
*Kyiv, Jan. 12, 1994* ...President Kravchuk, President Yeltsin and I are ready to sign on Friday an agreement committing Ukraine to eliminate 176 intercontinental ballistic missiles and some 1,500 nuclear warheads targeted at the United States. This breakthrough will enhance the security of Ukraine, United States, Russia and the entire world.

Ukraine is a nation with a rich heritage, enormous economic potential and a very important position in European security. The ties between our two nations have deep roots. From America's birth to the present day, Ukrainian immigrants have helped to shape my nation's history.

containing 100 tons of low-enriched uranium.

*Moscow, Jan. 14, 1994*-- The presidents of Ukraine, Russia and the United States agreed on the procedures to transfer Ukrainian nuclear warheads to Russia and on associated compensation and security guarantees. Following a trilateral meeting in Moscow, Presidents Clinton, Boris Yeltsin and Leonid Kravchuk decided on simultaneous actions to transfer SS-19 and SS-24 warheads from Ukraine to Russia for dismantling and to provide compensation to Ukraine in the form of fuel assemblies for nuclear power stations

Yeltsin and Clinton told Kravchuk that they are prepared to provide security assurances to Ukraine once the Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START) enters into force and Ukraine becomes a non-nuclear weapon state party to the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) as Kravchuk has committed his country to do. The Russian and US presidents also told Kravchuk that the United Kingdom is prepared to offer the same assurances once Ukraine accedes to the NPT. The



*Presidents Bill Clinton of the US (l), Boris Yeltsin of Russia (c) and Leonid Kravchuk of Ukraine shake hands in the Kremlin Friday Jan. 14, 1994, during the formal ceremony on the nuclear agreement. (AP Photo/Denis Paquin)*