

**US PRESIDENT BILL CLINTON'S  
LETTER OF ASSURANCES IN CONNECTION WITH THE AGREED  
FRAMEWORK BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE  
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA**

Washington, October 20, 1994

THE WHITE HOUSE  
Washington  
October 20, 1994

Excellency:

I wish to confirm to you that I will use the full powers of my office to facilitate arrangements for the financing and construction of a light-water nuclear power reactor project within the DPRK, and the funding and implementation of interim energy alternatives for the Democratic People's Republic of Korea pending completion of the first reactor unit of the light-water reactor project. In addition, in the event that this reactor project is not completed for reasons beyond the control of the DPRK, I will use the full powers of my office to provide, to the extent necessary, such a project from the United States, subject to the approval of the U.S. Congress. Similarly, in the event that the interim energy alternatives are not provided for reasons beyond the control of the DPRK, I will use the full powers of my office to provide, to the extent necessary, such interim energy alternatives from the United States, subject to the approval of the U.S. Congress.

I will follow this course of action so long as the DPRK continues to implement the policies described in the Agreed Framework Between the United States of America and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Sincerely,

Bill Clinton

His Excellency Kim Jong Il  
Supreme Leader of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea  
Pyongyang

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