

Abbreviations

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| ABM: | Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty |
| BWC: | Biological Weapons Convention |
| C3: | Command, Control and Communications |
| CBM: | Confidence-Building Measure |
| CD: | Conference on Disarmament |
| CRT: | Cooperative Threat Reduction |
| CTBT: | Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty |
| CWC: | Chemical Weapons Convention |
| DOD: | Department of Defence (U.S.) |
| DOE: | Department of Energy (U.S.) |
| FMCT: | Fissile Materials Cut-off Treaty |
| HEU: | Highly Enriched Uranium |
| IAEA: | International Atomic Energy Agency |
| ICC: | International Criminal Court |
| ICJ: | International Court of Justice |
| INF: | Intermediate-range Nuclear Forces |
| MINATOM: | Ministry of Atomic Energy (Russia) |
| MNWC: | Model Nuclear Weapons Convention |
| MPI: | Middle Powers Initiative |
| MOX: | Mixed Oxide (fuel) |
| MUF: | Material Unaccounted For |
| NAC: | New Agenda Coalition |
| NATO: | North Atlantic Treaty Organisation |
| NEM: | Nuclear Explosive Materials |
| NGO: | Non-Governmental Organisation |
| NNWS: | Non-Nuclear Weapon State |
| NPT: | Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty |
| NTI: | Nuclear Threat Initiative |
| NTM: | National Technical Means |
| NWC: | Nuclear Weapons Convention |
| NWFZ: | Nuclear Weapon Free Zone |
| NWFW: | Nuclear Weapon Free World |
| NWS: | Nuclear Weapon State |
| OPCW: | Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons |
| PTBT: | Partial Test Ban Treaty |
| PSI: | Proliferation Security Initiative |
| SS&M: | Stockpile Stewardship and Management Program (U.S.) |
| SORT: | Strategic Offences Reduction Treaty |
| START: | Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty |
| UN: | United Nations |
| UNSCOM: | United Nations Special Commission |
| UV: | Ultraviolet |

On the Cover: **“Sunflowers instead of missiles planted in the soil will ensure peace for future generations”**

- U.S. Secretary of Defense as he joined Russian and Ukrainian defense ministers in planting sunflowers on former missile bases to commemorate the removal of all nuclear missiles from the Ukraine.

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