



INVITATION TO A CONSULTATION ON

# PRIORITIZING THE NPT ACTION PLAN

Thursday, 9 September, 2010

3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Conference Room 3

United Nations

New York, NY

On the occasion marking the International Day against Nuclear Tests, the EastWest Institute and the Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan to the United Nations would like to invite you to a high-level consultation on *Prioritizing the NPT Action Plan*. The consultation will discuss the Final Document of the 2010 NPT Review Conference, which has outlined an ambitious 64-point action plan, to operationalize and identify leadership opportunities in international efforts towards disarmament and nonproliferation.

3:00 – 3:30 **WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS**

- Welcome and Introductions: **Mr. Francis Finlay**, Chairman of the Board, EastWest Institute
- Opening Remarks: **The Honorable Kanat Bekmurzayevich Saudabayev**, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Kazakhstan

3:30 – 4:30 **THE 2010 NPT FINAL DOCUMENT: PRIORITIES AND NEXT STEPS**

**Chair: Dr. W. Pal Sidhu**, Vice President of Programs, EastWest Institute

- **His Excellency Libran N. Cabactulan**, Ambassador E. and P. and Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations
- **Mr. Sergio Duarte**, High Representative for Disarmament Affairs, United Nations
- **His Excellency Ambassador Tibor Tóth**, Executive Secretary, Preparatory Commission of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization (CTBTO)
- **The Honorable Susan F. Burk**, Special Representative of the President for Nuclear Nonproliferation, Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation, Under Secretary for Arms Control and International Security, United States Department of State
- **His Excellency Maged A. Abdelaziz**, Ambassador E. and P. and Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations

4:30 – 5:30 **OPEN DISCUSSION**

- Moderated by Dr. W. Pal Sidhu

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