KOREAN PEACE DELEGATION TO KOREA

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Whereas the United States was a primary participant in the Korean War being actively engaged in military actions from June 1950 to July 1953 at which time an eagerly sought after military truce was finally agreed to and initiated, and

Whereas the truce has successfully ceased military war actions but a formal peace treaty has never been agreed to and Korea has continually been divided with a great deal of hostility, and

Whereas, the United States government has branded the Peoples Democratic Republic of Korea as a terrorist state and listed the country as a member of the "Axis of Evil", and

Whereas there has recently been actions to encourage the promotion of efforts to develop the normalization of relations between the People's Democratic Republic of Korea and the United States.

Therefore Be It Resolved that the National Veterans For Peace encourage actions, through the VFP Korean Peace Committee, to authorize a delegation to visit the Peoples Democratic Republic of Korea with the intent to promote solidarity and bilateral efforts to stimulate the development of normalization of relations between the governments of the two countries. It is understood that any cost for such a delegation will be borne by the members of the delegation itself.

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