

**PETITION ON MISSILE DEFENCE / WEAPONS IN SPACE**

TO THE HOUSE OF COMMONS IN PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLED

We the undersigned residents of Canada draw the attention of the House to the following:

THAT the Government of Canada is officially opposed to the weaponisation of Space.

THAT missile defence is designed to be a step towards weapons and war in Space, including nuclear weapons and war (see US Space Command: <http://www.fas.org/spp/military/docops/usspac/lrp/toc.htm>).

THAT plans for missile defence run counter to Canada's traditional support for international non-proliferation, arms control and disarmament regimes.

THAT the development of missile defence will provoke retaliation and lead to a new arms race on Earth and in Space, rekindling the threat of nuclear annihilation.

THEREFORE, your petitioners call upon Parliament to:

- Maintain Canada's multilateral approach to security and reaffirm this country's support for non-proliferation, arms control and disarmament.
- Reject any and all plans for weapons and war in space, including plans for missile defence.
- Seek Canada's withdrawal from any discussion of, or participation in, missile defence and the weaponisation of Space.

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or, send it to: The Canadian Peace Alliance, 427 Bloor Street West, #13, Toronto, ON, M5S 1X7