## Committee on National Resistance Ukraine

## The Folketing - the National Parliament The Kingdom of Denmark

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We, chairmen of the parties of the democratic opposition of Ukraine representing millions of Ukrainians that came on the streets and squares of our country to support her course of development based on the rule of law and democratic principles, deem it necessary to draw your attention to the following.

The use of brutal force against a peaceful demonstration in Ukraine in the early hours of the 30<sup>th</sup> of November has clearly shown that President Viktor Yanukovych does not respect human rights and fundamental freedoms of the citizens of Ukraine. Bloodshed committed by authorities has become one more proof that Yanukovych is ready to resort to any means to remain in power and consolidate his autocratic rule. He and his government do not care for the wellbeing and security of the people of Ukraine. The regime is ready to pursue their selfish interests even at the expense of human lives, while a human being, its health, honor and dignity, inviolability and safety are recognized as the highest social values by the Article 3 of the Constitution of Ukraine and the citizens' right for a peaceful assembly is enshrined in the Article 39 of the Constitution of Ukraine.

We demand from authorities the criminal prosecution of those who issued the orders to use force against peaceful demonstrators, regardless of their positions and titles according to the Article 60 of the Constitution.

We call for the support of the international community to prevent further escalation of violence on the part of current Ukrainian regime. At the same time we are determined to use non-violent forms of protest and civil disobedience. We urge the police to follow solely the Articles 2,3, and 10 of the Law on Militia of Ukraine to ensure the citizens' personal safety, their rights and freedoms, legal interests as well as to guard the public order.

We ask you, Dear Members:

- ·To continue to support the Ukrainian people in their peaceful struggle for freedom and democracy.
- ·To strongly condemn the use of force against peaceful citizens by the President and the Government of Ukraine, as well as their abuse of human rights and fundamental freedoms.
- \*To introduce:
  - restrictions on admission of persons responsible for the use of violence and selective justice against the peaceful protestors and political rivals
  - freezing of bank accounts, real estate and other economic assets owned or controlled by the persons responsible for the use of violence and selective justice against the peaceful protestors and political rivals

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