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## **S. Korean Group of Traitors under Fire: KCNA Commentary**

Pyongyang, February 8 (KCNA) -- The group of south Korean conservative traitors are keen on barring inter-Korean relations from developing onto the new stage by inflaming confrontation with the fellow countrymen from the outset of this year.

The conservative forces including the "Liberal Korea Party" dismissed the DPRK's sincere efforts as a "bogus peace offensive", voicing that "the work for improving inter-Korean relations and cooperating in economy advances too fast".

Meanwhile, they are whipping up confrontation hysterics, saying that "the north's action is part of a high strategy to rock the south Korea-U.S. alliance and cause discord in the south, the north's denuclearization is never credible and that they should focus efforts on substantially tackling the nuclear issue of the north".

The confrontation moves by the conservative forces that come as a setback to the development of inter-Korean relations against the trend of the times are nothing but a hysteric tantrum thrown by the most heinous traitors who are doomed, marginalized from the strong trend of national reconciliation, unity, peace and prosperity.

As acknowledged by the international community, last year the north-south relations underwent a dramatic change unprecedented in the history of national division spanning over 70 years.

The adoption of the historic north-south declarations has reversed the relations between them in the utmost extremes of distrust and confrontation to those of trust and reconciliation and brought a peaceful climate to the 3 000-ri land of Korea.

Just at the time when all the Korean nationals are pooling their minds and efforts for the better future of the nation, only conservative forces are unhappy with the reality and go off into confrontation hysterics taking issue with all the issues as to inter-Korean relations.

Even though the work for cooperation and exchange between the north and the south is a patriotic project for the unified development and co-prosperity of the nation

and, at the same time, hugely benefits the south Korean economy and its people's living, they dismiss the work as a "drain on resources".

Not content with denying the valuable successes of last year, they viciously belittled them, remarking that "last year was a miserable year in which 10 years of security posture was severely hindered at the cost of enjoying a brief peacetime spanning one year".

What's more, they shamelessly uttered that "south Korea needs its own nuclear arms", in spite of the fact that they had turned the whole south Korea into the nuclear arsenal of outside forces.

How can today's climate of national concord and trend of peace on the Korean peninsula, which commands admiration from all the Koreans and warm support from the international community, be understood as "serious security crisis".

After all, the conservative group's oft-repeated "peace" means none other than confrontation and war.

The conservatives' mad acts just lay bare their nature as a trouble-maker of the nation, cancer-like entity, which has no desire for national reconciliation, unity, peace, prosperity and reunification.

No Koreans tolerate the group of traitors who attempt to revive conservatism and to retake power by keeping national division permanent.

So the south Koreans spit at the behavior of the group of traitors who got mad over their greed for power, saying that "their move was a political bait to win the favor of the voters by gathering the supporters for the conservatives".

As long as the traitors including the LKP which indulge in things harmful to the compatriots, not for the good of them, live and breathe, our nation's misfortune, pain, damage and disaster will get worse and last long.

The group of conservative traitors must be taken to the grave of history as soon as possible as they block our nation's efforts for reconciliation, unity and reunification.-0-

## **KCNA Commentary on Double-dealing of**

### **S. Korean Military**

Pyongyang, February 8 (KCNA) -- The south Korean military runs reckless in the arms buildup to mar the atmosphere of peace and stability.

After making public a "mid-term defense program" under the pretext of "coping with military threat and security change at present and those potential in the future,"

the south Korean military authorities are planning to spend more than 250 billion U.S. dollars for military spending - an increase of 13.6 per cent over the previous time - under the program.

It constitutes an extremely dangerous act to swim against the desire of all the fellow countrymen for a durable and lasting peace and stability in the Korean peninsula, and an undisguised provocation against the DPRK.

The reckless act is a challenge to the historic north-south declarations that have won full support and welcome from the public at home and abroad and, at the same time, a flagrant violation of those declarations.

Last year, the north and the south committed themselves to leading the termination of military hostility in the confrontation area to the removal of the danger of war and hostility in the whole Korean peninsula and, in particular, to reducing armaments in proportion to the building of military confidence.

The south Korean authorities are obliged to ban all the acts running counter to the detente as specified in the declarations.

The military, which turned the whole of south Korea into the largest ammunition dump in the Far East under the pretext of non-existent "threat from the north", should have reduced without delay all of the lethal hardware against the fellow countrymen in the north in the present situation.

However, while trying to give a good impression that they are interested in the military detente, the south Korean military is seeking to spend huger military spending than that of the period of the tensions for arms buildup and the modernization of military hardware. They are even planning to purchase many F-35A, Global Hawk, SM-3 and other foreign military hardware.

The acts make the DPRK doubt the attitude of the south Korean military to value the trend of the present situation and to make the Korean peninsula a durable and lasting peace zone.

The military forces are describing their measures as an "act to lay a foundation for the increased self-defense capabilities", but it is nothing but double-dealing.

The military authorities never cover up the fact that their arms buildup is aimed at rounding off the system of attack on the north called "triad strike system" renamed "system of countering nuclear and weapons of mass destruction".

The reality clearly shows that the south Korean military is going to persist in the confrontation with fellow countrymen by force of arms.

Their reckless military act after the north-south agreement to end the fratricidal war

incites our vigilance and causes serious concern among the public at home and abroad, and it adversely affects the development of the present situation.

Such double-dealing can never be pardoned as they are smiling a "reconciliation smile" before the DPRK but at the same time sharpening the sword of confrontation to prevent the peace from being ensured in the Korean peninsula and the region.

The south Korean military would be well advised to ponder over their acts as they may result in an undesirable thing beyond expectation. -0-

## **C.C., AINDF Calls for Ostracizing LKP**

Pyongyang, February 14 (KCNA) -- The Central Committee of the Anti-Imperialist National Democratic Front (AINDF) issued an "Appeal to all the people" on Feb. 13 through which it called for decisively ostracizing the "Liberal Korea Party" (LKP), a cesspit of deep-seated conservative evils.

The appeal cited facts that LKP - the group of traitors - is challenging the people who turned out in the candlelight struggle to a fight, reviving like a poisonous mushroom in a dump though they got the impartial public punishment to rename the ugly "Saenuri Party" "Liberal Korea Party" and to be discouraged.

The LKP reckless act enraging all the people constitutes an open challenge against the above-said people who decisively tried the conservative regime for the worst crimes in the name of the people and meted out punishment to Park Geun Hye and other chief criminals who held the monopoly of the administration, the appeal said.

The appeal also said that it is the demand of the public and the intention of the times to prevent the conservatives from getting united again and frustrate the reckless acts of LKP.

The situation urges the people of different social standings valuing justice and truth to turn out in the nation-wide struggle to eliminate LKP - a cesspool of injustice, deep-seated evils and traitorous acts, the appeal said.

So long as the LKP remains existent, no one can expect peace in this land and the improvement of the south-north relations, the appeal said.

It is our people who are in charge of uprooting deep-seated conservative evils and should play the main role in eliminating the LKP, it noted.

The appeal called upon all the people to pool their efforts and wage a vigorous struggle so as to decisively ostracize LKP, greet the new society of justice and truth and make the history of national reconciliation, peace and prosperity. -0-