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To the Plenipotentiary Representative of the President of Russian Federation in Southern Federal District

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## Dear Viktor Germanovich!

Being a Deputy, I have been taking care of socio-economic problems of Volgodonsk city for a long time. My recent meetings with the electorate (I schedule those practically on a quarterly basis) witness an increased flow of appeals about the ownership and control over Salut JSC (former radio-electronic plant) and Atommash OJSC. These two strategic companies, which have been built promptly at the expense of the State, and which gave jobs to more than 20 thousand people, lost their intended purpose and suffered significant embezzlement as a result of "privatization scheming" and premeditated bankruptcies, passing from one proprietor to another.

One of the shareholders – the Moscow-based company YACONTO LLC – appeals to different authorities, including the Chairman of the State Duma Gennadiy Seleznyov and me personally, speaking of responsibility of organizations and specific individuals who let the above happen.

Those who attentively familiarize themselves with the circumstances of these events, which have been evolving for a long time, become sure that the authorities of the Rostov region were complicit or showed criminal connivance.

Considering the special strategic importance of the said objects and of the Volgodonsk city in general, I asked the former Secretary of the Security Council of Russian Federation Sergei Ivanov to investigate the events that took place (I enclose a copy of the appeal). I received a reply that according instructions have been made.

The management of YACONTO LLC told me that all supporting materials have been submitted to you as well. They have also appealed to the President of Russian Federation Vladimir Putin (copy attached). As per the information at our disposal, the bankruptcy proceedings are going on.

Dear Viktor Germanovich, I kindly ask you to give according instructions to put an end to the fraudulent scheming with former state companies and assess the actions of officials who allowed their destruction.

Attachment: on 11 pages.

Respectfully yours,

Chairman of the Committee

L.A.Ivanchenko

(Original document is in Russian.)