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## **DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

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To the Chairman of the State Duma

**B.V. GRYZLOV** 

Re: inc. No1.1-4331 of 26.05.2004

## **Dear Boris Vyacheslavovich !**

The Defense Committee received an appeal from the President of YACONTO LLC (Russia, Moscow) Sergey P. Yakunin; the company has developed a YACONTO Integrated Program (hereinafter, Program) which consists of major promising projects and programs of federal significance, proposed for implementation in Southern Russia at the expense of attracting long-term nongovernmental investments.

The Program envisions a construction of a major modern «Commercial Black Sea port YACONTO» with according industrial, transport and social infrastructure in Tuapse region of Krasnodar Territory, and establishment of a large Tuapse Naval Base for basing and repairing of the Black Sea Fleet ships which are subject to removal from Ukraine (more information can be found in the enclosed Reference of YACONTO LLC №1 of 24.05.2004).

Moreover, the Program solves the acute problem of provision of housing and jobs to Russian navy officers and warrant officers upon their retirement in Sevastopol.

The Program is supported by the Head of Administration of Krasnodar Territory Alexander Tkachev and received positive feedback from the commandment of Russian Navy.

**I kindly ask you to** support the unique and unprecedented YACONTO Integrated Program as per the YACONTO List of Projects of 28.04.2004, aimed at socio-economic development of Southern Russia and strengthening the country's defense capability, within the power of the State Duma, before the President of Russian Federation Vladimir Putin and Prime Minister of Russian Federation Mikhail Fradkov.

Attachment: Letter from YACONTO LLC to the Chairman of the State Duma Boris Gryzlov (out.  $N_2$ -40524 of 24.05.2004) on 1 page with 145 documents on 269 pages attached thereto according to the List of Documents  $N_2$ 1 on 5 pages (strictly personally).

Chairman of the Committee

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