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INSTITUTIONAL DECLARATIONS 2006



EUSKAL HERRIKO UDAL ETA UDAL HAUTETSIEIEN BILTZARRA

JOY, HOPE AND COMMITMENT

22nd March 2006

In view of the announcement of a permanent ceasefire by ETA as from 24th March 2006, UDALBILTZA, the Assembly of Municipally-elected Councillors of Euskal Herria, wishes to DECLARE:

- **Its joy**, as ETA violence and attitudes towards it have been the main insurmountable obstacles to joint work on the part of the municipally-elected councillors of Euskal Herria; and the fact that the efforts of all of us are going to be necessary in national construction.
- **Its hopes**: for laying the foundations for the future based on decisions taken from a position of free will, without violence.
- **Its commitment**: because this Assembly of Municipally-elected Councillors is going to work with determination, perseverance and will from territory to territory and from town to town to preserve an environment of peace and to ensure that in the future violence and all its consequences will be considered as no more than a nightmare from the past.

Euskal Herria, 22nd March 2006