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# HONG KONG

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「新美國世紀計劃」及「美國香港委員會」  
支持香港人聲明  
二〇〇四年六月二十九日

沒有其他人比香港人，通過選舉、民意調查及和平示威，表達出對民主更大的渴求了。沒有其他人比香港人更加準備好，享受民主的權利，和負上民主的責任。

民主絕不會如中國政府所言會導致混亂，民主將為香港提供良好管治，帶來穩定與經濟繁榮。民主是唯一方法，去確保結社、表達、宗教及新聞自由。

過去數月，北京干預香港自治，並阻撓民主發展。北京中傷香港民主派為「不愛國」、警告防止「外國干預」，又派中國海軍戰艦到香港的海港。

際此香港人準備七月一日遊行和九月十二日在局部民主的選舉中投票，我們表達我們支持香港人的民主權利，包括決定他們政治發展的權利。

Statement in Support of the People of Hong Kong  
June 29, 2004

No population has expressed a greater desire for democracy than have the people of Hong Kong, through elections, opinion polls and peaceful demonstrations. No population is more prepared to enjoy the rights and undertake the responsibilities of democracy than the people of Hong Kong.

Far from leading to chaos, as the Chinese government has suggested, democracy will provide Hong Kong with the good governance needed for stability and economic prosperity. Democracy is the only way to ensure freedoms of association, expression, religion and the press.

Over the past few months, Beijing has intervened in Hong Kong's autonomy and curbed its democratic development. It has maligned Hong Kong's democracy activists as

"unpatriotic," warned against "foreign interference," and sent Chinese navy vessels to Hong Kong harbor.

As Hong Kong's people prepare to march on July 1, and to vote in partially-democratic elections September 12, we express our support for the democratic rights of Hong Kong's people, including the right to determine their political development.

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