# Petition to President Bush and our U.S. Senators and Representatives Calling for the Immediate and Orderly Withdrawal of U.S. Troops from Iraq

- **We grieve the ongoing and increasing deaths of Iraqis, Americans, and others in Iraq, including as many as 100,000 civilian deaths and many more maimed.**
- **We believe that an immediate end to hostilities is essential to stem the carnage.**
- **We are convinced that the presence of U.S. troops is a destabilizing force in the region and contributes to the increasing loss of life.**
- **We are anguished by the damage and lasting scars we are causing to another generation of American soldiers who have been asked to serve in another war in a distant place for questionable ends.**

**Therefore, we urge the immediate and orderly withdrawal of U.S. troops and bases from Iraq. Furthermore**

- **We recognize that the Iraqi people are the ones responsible for establishing their own government.**
- **We insist that the contracts be terminated for all the U.S. companies that were supposed to provide security and rebuild the Iraqi infrastructure.**
- **We request that the U.S. commit to long-term financial support for an Iraqi-led reconstruction that utilizes Iraqi and other firms to rebuild Iraq with oversight by international organizations.**
- **We insist on full and adequate funding for physical and mental health and quality of life needs for U.S. Veterans and their families.**

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