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On behalf of The President of the United States and the American people, I congratulate the Russian Federation and the people of Russia on the occasion of "Russia Day." On this day, we honor the citizens of the Russian Federation and their aspirations for the democratic principles of universal freedom, civil liberties, and the rule of law.

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