



¹ Costly signals are actions or messages that are expensive or difficult for a state to undertake, making them credible indicators of the state's intentions or resolve.

² Practical steps that are in the interest of both parties such as exchange of prisoners of war and war dead, no attacks on critical infrastructure, resumption of the Black Sea grain deal, as well as steps to relegitimize diplomacy and reopen channels of dialogue.

³ Guardrails and confidence- and security-building measures include steps to manage relations more peacefully, create greater predictability and reduce the risk of accidents and incidents.