

## ALBA CONDEMNS NEW CRIMINAL MEASURES ADOPTED BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT AGAINST THE CUBAN PEOPLE

The member countries of the Bolivarian Alliance for the Peoples of Our America (ALBA-TCP) strongly condemn the intensification of the aggression and economic blockade by the U.S. government against the sister Republic of Cuba.

This new aggression aims to severely damage all sectors of Cuban society, such as tourism, health, migratory processes, cultural, academic and scientific exchange, access to technology and openly declares the intensification of the blockade and the imposition of a regime change, among others, through the reactivation and update of the 2017 Donald Trump's Presidential Memorandum No. 5.

The real goal of the U.S. government is to seize Cuba and control its destiny. The way to achieve this is to provoke the most severe shortages and the maximum suffering of the Cuban population for destabilization purposes.

The member countries of the Bolivarian Alliance condemn in the strongest terms this criminal attack, reaffirm their unwavering position in solidarity with the Cuban people and government in their legitimate defense of their independence, freedom and self-determination, and ratify the commitment to the maintenance of international peace and security, the promotion of friendly relations among nations, the prohibition of the use or threat of use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of States, and noninterference in their internal affairs.

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