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Section 2 Guided Reading and Review

American Leadership in a New World 

**A. As You Read** (Pages 878–882)

**Directions:** As you read Section 2 in the textbook, complete the following sentences:

1. The United States became the world's only superpower when \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Filipino protest against dictator Marcos resulted in \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. China responded to a people's campaign for democratic reforms by \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. The United States and Russia continued to work together to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. The Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty failed because \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**B. Reviewing Key Terms**

**Directions:** Match each term with its definition.

**Column I**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. apartheid
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. sanctions
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. global democracy
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. arms race

**Column II**

- a. competition to have the most weapons
- b. strict separation of races
- c. establishment of freely elected governments all over the world
- d. measures designed to make a country change its policies

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Section 2 Quiz American Leadership in a New World  
(pages 878–882) **Reviewing Key Terms**

From the box below, choose the person, place, or term that best completes each sentence in the paragraph. Write the correct word or phrase in the space provided.

Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty  
Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty

sanctions  
mediator

apartheid

In the post-Cold War world, American leadership met with both successes and failures. The United States sometimes acted as a/an (1) \_\_\_\_\_ between countries in conflict. In 1991, the United States and the former Soviet Union signed the (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Years of economic (3) \_\_\_\_\_ against South Africa led the government there to end its policy of (4) \_\_\_\_\_, or separation of the races. The Clinton administration hoped to end nuclear testing with the (5) \_\_\_\_\_, but the Senate rejected the treaty.

**Understanding the Main Ideas**

Read the following statements. If a statement is incorrect, place an X on the line next to its number. On the line following the statement, replace the underlined word(s) to make the statement correct.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. After 1991, the United Nations led efforts for stability and lasting peace in the world. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The United States provided economic aid to the young Filipino democracy led by Ferdinand Marcos. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. After the Tiananmen Square killings, President George H. W. Bush hoped to influence China by keeping communication open. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. In 1995, the United States hosted peace talks for former republics of Yugoslavia that resulted in the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The United States used diplomacy to ease conflicts between Catholics and Protestants in Somalia. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. World leaders saw the nuclear tests in India and Iran as the beginning of a new arms race. \_\_\_\_\_