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Hey, been trying to call you. Haven't read the report, but saw the recommendations, which I found very reasonable and pragmatic. Will read it today.

I also saw Albright's rather personal attacks against the report, and I hope you guys stand firm.

An unintended consequence of the report seems to have been to reveal the obstinate, unrealistic and unhelpful stance of some non-proliferationists. Their purported zero-tolerance of enrichment (at least when it comes to non-US allies) has been perceived to be a healthy scientific position, and the ICG report seems to show that there are more than one way of approaching this issue.

Non-proliferation is not a monotheistic religion, and Albright is not its prophet.

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