



FEBRUARY 26 - 27 2008, OSLO, NORWAY

## Achieving the Vision of a World Free of Nuclear Weapons

*International Conference on Nuclear Disarmament*

TUESDAY, 26 FEBRUARY 2008

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### 09.00 REGISTRATION

**10.00 INTRODUCTION AND OPENING KEYNOTE** Chair: *Kåre R. Aas*, Director-General, Norwegian Foreign Ministry (C)

**INTRODUCTION** *Jonas Gahr Støre*, Foreign Minister of Norway (C)

**10.30 OPENING KEYNOTE** *George Shultz*, Hoover Institution and former U.S. Secretary of State (C)

**11.00 REPORT FROM HOOVER/NTI CONFERENCE, REYKJAVIK REVISITED:  
Steps Toward a World Free of Nuclear Weapons**  
*James Goodby and Sidney Drell*, Hoover Institution (C)

**11.30 OPENING PLENARY** **What does it mean to advance the vision of a world free of nuclear weapons?**

Chair *Sir Michael Quinlan*, former Permanent Undersecretary of Defence, UK (C)  
Discussants *Sergio Duarte*, High Repr. for Disarmament Affairs, UN (C)  
*George Perkovich*, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (C)

### 12.00 OPENING PLENARY DISCUSSION

**13.00 LUNCH** Speaker : *H.E. Mohamed ElBaradei*, Director-General IAEA (C)

**14.30 SESSION I** **What further steps could nuclear-weapon states take to reduce the role of nuclear weapons in their national security policies?**

Chair *Joan Rohlfing*, Vice President, Nuclear Threat Initiative (C)  
Discussants *Alexey Arbatov*, Carnegie Moscow Center (C)  
*Dingli Shen*, Fudan University  
*Bruce Blair*, President, World Security Institute  
*Abdul Minty*, Ambassador, South Africa (C)

**15.10 SESSION I** **Discussion**



**15.10 SESSION V**                      **How can increasing demand for nuclear energy be squared with disarmament objectives?**

Chair

*Mark Fitzpatrick*, Int. Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) (C)

TBD Discussants

*Ali Fahmy El-Saiedi*, former Minister of Electricity and Energy, former Director of the Egyptian nuclear energy program (C)

*Takeshi Nakane*, Director General for Disarmament, Nonproliferation, and Science Department, MFA (C)

**15.50 SESSION V**                      **Discussion**

**16.50 CLOSING SESSION**                      **What steps are required to advance the vision of a world free of nuclear weapons?**

Closing Plenary and Discussion led by Foreign Minister Jonas Gahr Støre (C)

**17.50 END OF CONFERENCE**

C = Participation confirmed