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NUCLEAR WEAPONS

Working paper submitted by Australia

One form of consensus document that the Working Group might consider is a two-section paper - one section dealing with the generic principles on nuclear disarmament (including commitments to non-proliferation) and a more specific section which contains recommendations on collateral nuclear items such as negative security assurances, comprehensive test ban, cut-off, nuclear-free zones and other measures for the prevention of nuclear war. It may be preferable to include general rather than detailed references to these areas, avoiding controversial aspects, thus heightening the chances of achieving consensus.
