



Big powers nuclear demands of Iran beyond NPT: Ex-diplomat



A former Iranian nuclear negotiator, Hossein Mousavian

A former Iranian nuclear negotiator says the big powers in nuclear talks with Iran are making demands which are beyond the scope of international regulations, particularly the Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT).

"Not only was sending Iran's nuclear dossier to [the UN] Security Council against international regulations and law, but the current demands of the big powers in the nuclear negotiations with Iran are also beyond the scope of recognized international regulations," Hossein Mousavian said in a meeting in New York.

He added that world powers are asking Iran not to enrich uranium above five percent, limit its reserves of enriched uranium, limit the number of centrifuges...and enrichment sites, limit research and development of centrifuges, limit reprocessing activities, convert Arak heavy water reactor into a light water reactor and allow inspections of its nuclear sites beyond the NPT requirements.



"According to the present international regulations on nuclear program, which are based on the NPT, none of the global powers' seven demands of Iran have any legal basis and [all of them] are beyond the scope of the treaty (NPT)," Mousavian added.

He noted that the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) has carried out more than 7,000 person-hours inspections of the Iranian nuclear sites over the past 10 years.

As a signatory to the NPT, Iran has allowed more probes of

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
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its nuclear activities than any other country and there has been no report of any diversion in its nuclear program toward the production of weapons, he said, adding that due to this reason, referring Iran's nuclear case to the UN Security Council and describing it as a threat to global peace and security was a disgrace for international law.

The former Iranian diplomat emphasized that there is a consensus among 16 US security organizations that Iran's nuclear program has had no diversion toward weapons production and that Iranian authorities have no intention to build nuclear weapons.

"The approach taken to Iran's nuclear case is 100-percent political and while lacking any legal basis, violates the existing international regulations regarding nuclear [activities]," Mousavian said.

The US, the Israeli regime and some of their allies accuse Iran of pursuing non-civilian objectives in its nuclear energy program, with Washington and the European Union using the unfounded claim as a pretext to impose illegal sanctions on Iran in a bid to block foreign companies from doing business with the Islamic Republic.

Iran is currently in talks with the P5+1 group of world powers - the US, Britain, France, Russia, China and Germany - to find a comprehensive solution to the nuclear standoff.

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Ashraf

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....Iran has EQUALE rights to do what ever they decide to do....Even If Iran wants to have Nclear weapons it is THEIR RIGHTS!!!.(but,they do NOT want weapons but ONLY peacegul nechnology',....how can these 5 countries who are sitting on TOP of nuclear weapons.....BULLY Iran like this??.....Long live equality of mankind...NEVER GIVE UP YOUR EQUAL RIGHT.....Never!!!....."We The People " around the eorld are with you....May JUSTICE prevail!!

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Ben

Oct 27, 2014 11:50 PM

I'm an Iranian National and knowing my blood line and having Persian pride and dignity, I know Iran will not bow to these people. A firm stand is the answer.

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Oct 27, 2014 8:46 PM

usa enjoyed financial warfare as pretext to force its hegemony on iran because they couldnt attack us. now that their economy is collapsing, wall street is bankrupt, usa govt is bankrupt, most americans are bankrupt or cannot maintain their lifestyle rest of the world has realised and isnt playing ball. once USD is no longer the worlds currency which is going to happen alot sooner than later thanks to usa stupidity in ukraine, syria, iraq, afghanistan etc p5 1 will have no foundation to blackmail or force its will on iran. USD actually needs sanctions to end so iran can use USD for trade to prop up its ponzy scheme but we iranians are too smart to fall for this bait.

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Justice for Africa

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Why is Iran still cooperating if there is open violation of it right?

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From Australia [in reply to Justice for Africa](#)

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Why is Iran dealing with them at all? They know the West are nothing but snakes, if Iran stays within International Law, what can they do?

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ALIAS

Oct 27, 2014 6:26 PM

In case the world powers have not noticed it, Iran is also a world power, albeit of a peace-loving variety.

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Easier way

Oct 27, 2014 4:39 PM

Is to order just one of the 3,000 TNW shells that got "lost" upon the demise of the Soviet Union and set it off 30m off tel aviv coast. The devils will know they are are different ways to skin a Zionist cat if it does not behave now.

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What is good 4 US is good 4 Iran

Oct 27, 2014 4:35 PM

The useless one sided negotiation is going to go no where. Iran must not giving to any illegal demands by these fake law creators. Must not extend the deadline for further time wasting. if there is not a complete agreement base on MPT rule and regulation,Iran should resign from MPT and continue with full enrichment of Uranium as most of countries have dome. If bombs give security to all these 5 negotiators plus others who are not member of MPT...

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Shifting goalposts

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The EU,Russians and Chinese have been firm and made it difficult for zio Fabius/Wendy to shift the goalposts, so now they want to change the stadium venue in the middle of the game !! Its ludicrous, next they will be adamant that the Iranian Army should now use rubber bullets only, as Putin has just pointed out the devils have all lost all decorum, and even don't mind being a laughing stock in the eyes of the world.

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Abu Akil

Oct 27, 2014 4:20 PM

Dignity in death is better than life in humiliation; walk away from the talks

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Possible [in reply to Abu Akil](#)

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You suggest that Iran could be humiliated? How is that possible?

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Australian

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No deal is better than a bad deal. Stay strong Iran, And don't let the zionist stooges get to you.

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ZORBA

Oct 27, 2014 3:51 PM

Continue these talks. Expose them as much as you can and show to the world how disgraceful are the International Zionists. You are not the only targeted country aimed by this villain dogmatic fascist world criminal thugs. Be patient. The Rothschilds have problems with their Banking structure which is threatened by Artemis Sorras a Greek who has at his disposal 2.8 Trillion US \$ and is heading E.N.D = End National Debt offering many countries to settle their debts @ 0[[[]%] interest for 100 years aiming to destruct the present International Banking structure based on usurpation and corruption.

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Sexton Blake

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If Iran complied completely with what are basically unreasonable US/Israeli demands, in regard to nuclear technology, the duo would quickly find new reasons to sanction Iran.

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Hay hay

Oct 27, 2014 3:27 PM

If any nation should have limited nuclear program it should be US and Israel. These two self claim police of the world are the only two criminals that have ever used the nuclear technology for mass killings. Not just on Japan but IRAQ AND SYRIA. Iran should stop wasting their time with these futile talks.

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anti terror

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are you ready for a total surrender and subjugation Iran??this is what the Gang of Outlaws has been demanding since beginning

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Their goal is a failed state of Iran

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Zionists are pushing their attacking dogs for their wildest dream of conquering Iran. For the past 30 years, they have been changing one tactic to another but their goals have always been remained the same: Topple Iranian government and turn Iran into IsraHell's vassal state. The UN charade is just one of their many tactics being thrown against Iran. One of many reasons which have stopped zionists making real of their threats is the unison and determination of the Great Iranians who have been giving 1000[[[]%] supports to their respectful and wise Iranian leaders. Besides, Iran has become militarily strong and self-sufficient nation who can render and retaliate in full force any invasion forces. Iran has become too big of a bone to chew.The nuclear charade is a waste of time. Iran should have denounced the illegitimate of this charade and gone on with her businesses. If zionists thought they

could have got away, they would have unleashed their attacks years ago. Barking dog never bites.

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waste of iran time

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Iran walk away from this baseless talk

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Iran walk away!

Oct 27, 2014 3:11 PM

Please, be realistic and YOU must NOT ACCEPT any of these demands. Do NOT GIVE UP IRAN'S INDEPENDENCE. You can resist. and Soon, you will be a Winner with some hardship. Iran can survive with closed economy. As a result, Iran will become even more stronger. DO NOT ACCEPT THESE DEMANDS! WALK AWAY. DO NOT EXTEND NUCLEAR NEGOTIATIONS. DO NOT WASTE YOUR TIME AND ENERGY. SUPREME LEADER AND AHMADINEJAD WAS RIGHT. ROUHANI DID HIS BEST.

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Peaceful Iran [in reply to Iran walk away!](#)

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Peaceful Iran has nothing to hide and nothing to lose - all of these requests build Iran's prestige as a peaceful nuclear nuclear nation. That is why Iran has already implemented almost all of these steps. Now is the time to ask for more financial relief in exchange.

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Alkhair [in reply to Iran walk away!](#)

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It is proven fact that the Gangster in Palestine have tens if not hundreds of Nukes confirmed by their own jailed scientist. And yet so many demands from a dignitary to NPT. Forget it all go for the Big Bang.

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Hassan [in reply to Iran walk away!](#)

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Big powers should not be able to demand anything from a true independent state. Asking something is different, and if they want something they have to ask. Not resist to any demand is failure and will promote their superiority.

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