

## France should revise its policy on Iran's nuclear program: Analyst

Paris, Nov ۲۷, IRNA – A political analysis and former member of Iran's nuclear negotiating team Hossein Mousavian criticized hostile approach of France and said Paris should revise its policy toward Iran's nuclear program.

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Speaking in a gathering of French media persons here on Thursday, Mousavian, by referring to negative policies of France toward Iran said he was surprised of these stances.

'France claims to be a pioneer of freedom and liberalism, but it supported dictators in the Middle East such as Shah of Iran and Mubarak in Egypt,' said Mousavian.

He added that during Saddam's war against Iran, France supported him with advanced military weapons and different kinds of political and financial assistance;

'They even had no problem with Saddam's use of mass destruction weapons against Iran and also supported him indirectly to use chemical weapons.'

Former head of foreign policy committee of Supreme National Security Council stressed that, in spite of all these wrong policies, Iranians forgave France mistakes and were ready to develop ties with them, but France still continues its hostile policies which are even sometimes more hostile than the US behavior toward Iran.

Responding to the claim of a French journalist that France current policies on Iran is based on its principled stance against proliferation of nuclear weapons, Mousavian said that France has ignored the first goal of Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT), which is demolishing nuclear arsenals and now after 40 years, has never annihilated its atomic weapons.

In addition, France has strategic relations with countries which have made atomic bombs, such as India, Pakistan and the Zionist regime, said Mousavian.

In such a situation, now all pressures are imposed against Iran, which is a member of NPT, has no atomic bomb and has had no deviation in its nuclear programs.

Mousavian underlined that accusing Iran for its nuclear program is a big lie, which west has told against Iran and is using it as a tool against Iran.

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