

Regional understanding of nuclear Iran mitigates dangers and threats to Israel

In a bid to remedy the fact that Israel has no long-term all-encompassing strategic plan, the INSS asked Herzog to study and to work towards greater national unity and regional cooperation.

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The dangers and threats against Israel are mitigated by a regional understanding that the future of the Middle East is dependent on cooperation, **President Isaac Herzog** stated in reaction to the **annual strategic assessment** of the **Institute for National Security Studies (INSS)** that was presented to him on Monday by INSS Executive Director **Prof. Manuel Trachtenberg**.

It was the first time that **Trachtenberg** who last year succeeded **Amos Yadlin** who had served in the role for ten years, was presenting the report, and he was assisted by former Chief of Military Intelligence Analysis Brig. Gen (Ret) **Dror Shalom**, Deputy INSS Director Brig. Gen. (Ret) **Udi Dekel**, former deputy head of IDF Military Intelligence Dr. **Meir Elran**, former National Security Adviser **Meir Ben Shabat**, and senior researcher **Shira Efron**.

Also present were **Sir Frank Lowy**, Chairman of the INSS Board of Directors, and several researchers.

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