

*let no one represent you*

from *ADORNO's NOISE*

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### A Privatization Document<sup>1</sup>

The first two paragraphs describe what it considers to be a problem of another nation.

Following the two paragraphs are three bulleted items that show the reader what the nation can do about the problem.

Following the three bulleted items is another paragraph, which tells the reader that "This report is written with key passages of a possible speech marked TEXT, that highlight the clean break which the new government has an opportunity to make."

Following this paragraph is a subheading.

The paragraph under the subheading describes what it means by a new approach.

Below the paragraph is a phrase that ends in a colon.

Below the phrase is the word TEXT with a colon following it.

The TEXT's "speech" is one paragraph long. The paper, which has been written in the third person up to this point, is now written in second person plural and assumes a style of direct address to a live audience.

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The paragraph of TEXT speech is followed by an explanatory paragraph. The second person plural style is dropped. The explanatory paragraph is followed by another subheading.

Below the subheading is a paragraph that discusses “principal agents of aggression” and what can be done about these.

Three bulleted items follow the paragraph.

Two mid-length paragraphs, one that adds strategies to the three bulleted items and the other, which paints an ugly picture of drug trade in neighboring countries, follow the bulleted items.

These two paragraphs are followed by TEXT speech of two short paragraphs. Again the text speech is written in a different style, one that is intended for direct public address, one that puts the words of the TEXT into the mouth of a designated, or presumed, speaker.

Following one short TEXT speech paragraph and one short explanatory paragraph is another subheading.

The subheading is followed again by TEXT speech written in the second person plural. The text speech is one sentence.

Following the TEXT speech is more framing commentary consisting of five paragraphs.

The five paragraphs of commentary are followed by a subheading.

Under the subheading are two relatively short paragraphs, the first a two sentence paragraph, and the second a three sentence paragraph.

A TEXT speech in second person plural, beginning with the phrase, "we believe," consists of three sentences.

Two explanatory paragraphs consisting of three sentences each follow the "we believe" statement.

Another subheading follows the two paragraphs that follow the text speech that begins "we believe."

More than one full page, consisting of five paragraphs discusses this topic. The discussion is followed by another subheading:

### *Conclusions*

Following the subheading is another TEXT speech of two complete phrases. These are "Israel will not only contain its foes; it will transcend them."

Three explanatory paragraphs follow the two phrases of TEXT speech.

Following the explanatory paragraphs is a subheading:

### *Participants*

Following the subheading is a list of eight participants responsible for the document: Richard Perle, *American Enterprise Institute*, Study Group Leader; James Colbert, *Jewish Institute for National Security Affairs*; Charles Fairbanks, Jr., *Johns Hopkins University/SAS*; Douglas Feith, *Feith and Zell Associate*; Robert Loewenberg, *President, Institute for Advanced Strategic and Political Studie*; Jonathan Torop, *The Washington Institute for Near East Policy*; David Wurmser, *Institute for Advanced Strategic and Political Studies*; and Meyrav Wurmser, *Johns Hopkins University*.

<sup>1</sup> The notorious document, titled "A Clean Break: A New Strategy for Securing the Realm" was written in 1996. It was prepared by *The Institute for Advanced Strategic and Political Studies "Study Group on a New Israeli Strategy Toward 2000."* It was found by this author at [www.iasps.org/strat1.htm](http://www.iasps.org/strat1.htm). All italics and quoted phrases in this text can be found in the original "Clean Break" document.