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ABSTRACT:

The James Martin Center for Nonproliferation Studies (CNS) propose to plan and execute, in cooperation with Tel Aviv University's Institute for National Security Studies, (INSS), a two-day Track 1.5 (quasi-official) U.S.-Israel nonproliferation dialogue in Fall 2019 in Washington, DC. The proposed dialogue would build upon the first dialogue the organizations co-hosted in April 2018 in Tel Aviv, Israel.

The objective of the dialogue would be for the United States and Israel to exchange views on evolving threat perceptions, perceived gaps in goals, priorities, and policies, and identify further opportunities for deepening U.S.-Israel cooperation in countering the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) and related regional threats. The dialogue is aimed at supporting and complementing the official dialogue between the two countries.

The proposed agenda for the dialogue and its participants will build upon areas identified in the first dialogue as areas where gaps in strategy or coordination exist and would be developed through consultations with relevant stakeholders, including government and non-government representatives and experts from both countries. Results of the dialogue would include policy memos by American and Israeli participants, a publicly releasable report of final findings and recommendations, and briefings to U.S. and Israeli government officials.

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