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### [Trump Considers “Bloody Nose” Strike on North Korea](#)

By [Peter Symonds](#), February 06, 2018

The Trump administration, or a powerful military-intelligence faction within it, is pushing for a pre-emptive military strike on North Korea, in the wake of, or possibly even during, the Winter Olympics due to start in South Korea on Friday.



### [North Korea: Genocide Denial](#)

By [Prof. John McMurtry](#), February 06, 2018

With the people and society of North Korea, the same operations of denial have gone into play as endlessly before in the wider context of US-led world power in Indonesia, Vietnam, Latin America, Iraq, Palestine arguably throughout, and so on. Since the North Korean people have already suffered the death of an estimated third of their population by US-led

armed forces in previous years, non-stop and imminent nuclear threats against them, and life-destructive embargo, where does it end?



### [Secret Meeting on the Privatization of Nuclear War Held on Hiroshima Day 2003](#)

By [Prof Michel Chossudovsky](#), February 05, 2018

What seems to have escaped the numerous media reports on the 2018 NPR is that the development of **“more usable nuclear weapons”** had already been put forth in George W. Bush’s 2001 Nuclear Posture Review, which was adopted by the US Senate in late 2002. In this regard, Senator Edward Kennedy had accused the Bush Administration for having developed “a generation of more useable nuclear weapons.” namely tactical nuclear weapons (B61-11 mini-nukes) with an explosive capacity between one third and 6 times times a Hiroshima bomb.



### [‘Duck and Cover’ Nuclear Attack Warning Drills Exacerbate Fears of North Korea War](#)

By [Colonel Ann Wright](#), February 06, 2018

Successive administrations have lied our country into wars – from Vietnam to Iraq. We do not agree for the need for war with North Korea and refuse to accept the attempted U.S. intimidation of the DPRK, which could lead to war. The sirens, much like the steady barrage of “orange alert” terror warnings in 2002-2003 that preceded the U.S. invasion of Iraq, normalize the potential for war.



### [‘Bringing Humankind Closer to Annihilation’: World Leaders Denounce Trump’s New Nuclear Posture](#)

By [Jon Queally](#), February 05, 2018

As the Chinese government on Sunday urged the U.S. government to drop its “Cold War mentality” and criticized the Trump administration’s new nuclear weapons posture, released Friday, other world leaders also expressed alarm that the new policy for expanded development of “smaller” atomic weapons and reduced restrictions on their use was leading “humankind closer to annihilation.”



### [New Defense Strategy: War with Great Nations and Arms Race](#)

By [Kevin Zeese](#) and [Margaret Flowers](#), February 05, 2018

This week, following the recent announcement of a new National Defense Strategy that focuses on conflicts with great powers and a new arms race, the Pentagon announced an escalation of nuclear weapons development. The United States' military is spread across the world, including several dangerous conflict areas that could develop into an all-out war, possibly in conflict with China or Russia.

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