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Nuclear Terrorism: Selected Research Materials

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Fear of nuclear terrorism has intensified as a consequence of the collapse of the Soviet Union and concerns that some of this country's formidable nuclear arsenal might fall into the hands of terrorists, that its nuclear scientists might be available to the highest bidder, or that one former republic might blackmail or use the weapons against another. For those security analysts interested in these concerns this bibliography contains a separate subheading of nearly 30 citations on this topic.

The bibliography also contains subheadings concerning the assessment of the threat in general, the threat posed by individual nation states, countermeasures that might be employed in the event of an actual terrorist act, and issues involving the security of nuclear power plants.

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