

# VIDEO: The BBC Film That Exposed Israel's Secret Nuclear Weapons

By [Global Research](#)

Global Research, April 20, 2010

[Stop the War Coalition](#) 20 April 2010

Region: [Middle East & North Africa](#)

Theme: [Militarization and WMD](#)

In-depth Report: [Nuclear War](#)

First shown in March 2003, two days before the start of the war on Iraq, the BBC film, Israel's Secret Weapon, took as its starting point Mordechai Vanunu's revelations and found further evidence of Israel's nuclear arsenal. It's as important today as it was then.

Which country in the Middle East has undeclared nuclear weapons program?

Which country has secret biological and chemical capabilities?

Which country in the Middle East whose nuclear sites are not inspected internationally?

Which country in the Middle East sentenced one of its citizens to 18 years after he divulged secrets of its nuclear programs?

Olenka Frankiel's important documentary, Israel's Secret Weapon, was broadcast on 17 March 2003, two days before George Bush and Tony Blair launched the illegal war against Iraq, supposedly for weapons of mass destruction it did not possess.

Israel of course did, but George Bush did not have that country in mind when he told the American Congress in January 2003, "The greatest damage facing America and the world is outlaw regimes that seek and possess nuclear, chemical and biological weapons."

Bush meant Iraq, which did not have any of these weapons, but was going to attack regardless, just as today Barack Obama threatens Iran for nuclear weapons that it does not have.

Israel pressured the BBC to stop the documentary being shown. Watching it today, it's easy to see why.

The original source of this article is [Stop the War Coalition](#)

Copyright © [Global Research](#), [Stop the War Coalition](#), 2010

---

[Comment on Global Research Articles on our Facebook page](#)

[Become a Member of Global Research](#)

**Disclaimer:** The contents of this article are of sole responsibility of the author(s). The Centre for Research on Globalization will not be responsible for any inaccurate or incorrect statement in this article. The Centre of Research on Globalization grants permission to cross-post Global Research articles on community internet sites as long the source and copyright are acknowledged together with a hyperlink to the original Global Research article. For publication of Global Research articles in print or other forms including commercial internet sites, contact: [publications@globalresearch.ca](mailto:publications@globalresearch.ca)

[www.globalresearch.ca](http://www.globalresearch.ca) contains copyrighted material the use of which has not always been specifically authorized by the copyright owner. We are making such material available to our readers under the provisions of "fair use" in an effort to advance a better understanding of political, economic and social issues. The material on this site is distributed without profit to those who have expressed a prior interest in receiving it for research and educational purposes. If you wish to use copyrighted material for purposes other than "fair use" you must request permission from the copyright owner.

For media inquiries: [publications@globalresearch.ca](mailto:publications@globalresearch.ca)