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Q7(b)

Critically examine India's persistent refusal to sign the nuclear non-proliferation treaty (NPT) despite being recognized as a de facto nuclear power.

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Contemporary Global Concerns: Democracy, human rights, environment, gender justice, terrorism, nuclear proliferation.

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NPT 1968

Opened for signature a hierarchy of nuclear haves and have-nots; India never acceded.

Pokhran-II 1998

Declared tests and overt nuclear status without NPT membership.

NSG waiver 2008

Political exception for civil nuclear trade with India, not NPT accession.

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