

STEP 1 級 英文読解演習

Intensive Reading Practice

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(1) After 54 primary and caucus contests, and with a 2,156-delegate majority, Sen. Barack Obama on Tuesday night declared himself the "Democratic nominee for president of the United States." The historical strides made on Tuesday are monumental. After all, 2008 America is but one generation removed from segregation. Yet we are all witness to a significant historical milestone many Americans did not think they would ever see in their lifetime.

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(2) The rush of countries seeking to obtain nuclear power as the price of oil soars is going to make U.S. efforts to contain nuclear proliferation and keep terrorists from obtaining weapons of mass destruction even harder, the Energy Department's top intelligence chief warned Monday.

"The power of the atom has become one of the most highly sought-after prizes of 21st century technological advancement," Mr. Mowatt-Larsen, a former top CIA analyst who heads the Energy Department's Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence, said in a rare public address at the Washington Institute for Near East Policy, warning them to take a hard look at the countries joining the nuclear club.

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