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Arena has never relied on or received government funding. It has sustained its activities largely through the voluntary work and funding provided by editors and supporters. If Arena is to continue and to expand its readership, we need your support to do it.

Joining Friends of Arena is a way of showing your support through financial donations. Our targets for 2014 are:

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