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## **Europe Threatened by Turkish Activity in the Eastern Mediterranean**

According to the Hill:

The European Union is preparing to sanction Turkey over its actions in the eastern Mediterranean, where a confrontation between Turkish and Greek military ships is raising the risk of open conflict between NATO allies over claims of drilling rights for natural gas.

Foreign Policy Chief Josep Borell on Friday said EU was expressing solidarity with Greece and Cyprus and against Turkey's violation of their territorial waters. Ankara maintains that the sovereign boundaries of the waters are contested.

"We are clear and determined in defending European Union's interests and solidarity with Greece and Cyprus," Borell said, following an informal meeting of the 27-nation bloc's foreign ministers.

"Turkey has to refrain from unilateral actions. ... For this reason, we must walk a fine line between preserving a true space for dialogue and, at the same time, showing collective strength in the defence of our common interests," he added.

Europeans are threatened by Turkey's activity in the Eastern Mediterranean, even though the Turkish state represents only a small fraction of the combined potential of the Muslim world. Furthermore, Turkish President Erdogan is an American agent, and America surreptitiously supports Turkey's more aggressive posture against Europe.

Erdogan is making a catastrophic mistake by aligning himself with one power instead of maintaining independence. But for those who have political awareness, the geopolitical space already exists for a strong and unified righteous Islamic Khilafah (Caliphate) State on the method of the Prophet (saw).

# Military Incident Indication of American Control over Russian Operations in Syria

According to *Politico*:

Leaders from U.S. and Russian militaries are stepping up their war of words over a collision involving armored vehicles in Syria on Tuesday that injured seven U.S. service members.

The Russians displayed "deliberately provocative and aggressive behavior" and did not use established channels to request passage through the eastern Syria security area near Dayrick on Tuesday, U.S. Central Command spokesperson Capt. Bill Urban said in a late Thursday statement.

In reality it is America that dominates all aspects of the conflict in Syria. Russian operations are tightly controlled, just as are the operations of Turkey, Iran and other powers intervening there. America has been orchestrating a complex interplay of competing forces towards a common objective: the preservation of the Syrian regime and the defeat of the Syrian revolution. But it is only particular Syrian groups that have been defeated; the revolution lives on and will rise again, with Allah's permission.

# Saudi Eager to Normalise Relations with Illegal Crusader Jewish entity

According to a report at the Middle East Eye, Mohammad bin Salman was fully locked into a meeting in Washington with Benjamin Netanyahu, and this was cancelled at the last minute not because of fear of disgrace in the Muslim Ummah but because of fear that President Trump's political opponents within the American Congress would undermine the value of the meeting for Trump's re-election.

The Crown Prince of Saudi Arabia, Mohammed bin Salman, pulled out of a planned visit to Washington DC next week to meet the Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu after he feared that the news had leaked and that his presence in the US capital would become a "nightmare".

It had not yet been agreed whether the meeting between the crown prince and Netanyahu would have been recorded and then announced or conducted live in front of the cameras.

But those pushing for it to happen, which included US President Donald Trump and his son-in-law and adviser Jared Kushner, see the prospect of a handshake between the men as a way to relaunch Mohammed bin Salman's image as a young Arab peacemaker and shore up regional support for the US-brokered deal between the United Arab Emirates and Israel.

In the ensuing statement, the crown prince would have stopped short of announcing recognition of Israel, but the meeting itself would have been the strongest hint that the kingdom was also on a path towards normalising relations.

A date for the visit had been agreed and a protocol team had already been dispatched.

He would have arrived on 31 August after the end of the Republican Convention. It would have been his first visit to the US since March 2018 when he stayed for around three weeks in a big PR exercise.

Not wanting to stay either in the Saudi embassy nor the ambassador's residence, known locations which would have attracted demonstrations, four houses had been purchased at a secret location just for his stay, MEE was told.

The plan fell apart on Saturday when the crown prince received reports that the visit had been leaked. His bottom-line condition with the White House was that the visit should go ahead in total secrecy and that his presence in the capital would only be known once the event itself was taking place.

That way, his advisers calculated, the crown prince's many opponents in Congress would have no time to prepare statements, and campaigners for the murdered Saudi journalist Jamal Khashoggi and lawyers acting for the former interior minister Saad al-Jabri, who is in hiding in Canada, would have no time to prepare legal actions.

Trump and Kushner had desperately wanted this visit to take place. Within hours of its cancellation, Trump had dispatched both US Secretary of State Mike Pompeo and Kushner to the Middle East to drum up regional support for the UAE's pact with Israel.

The illegal Jewish entity is an extension of the West into the heart of the Muslim world and a repeat of the failed Christian crusader entity almost a thousand years previously. Hence, it is the Western powers, much more than the Jews themselves, who are desperate for the survival of the entity, and it is they that instruct their agents in the Muslim world to accommodate and secure this illegal presence in Muslim lands.

With Allah's permission, the Muslim Ummah shall rise and overthrow the entire agent class of rulers that serves Western interests alone, and re-establish the righteous Islamic Khilafah (Caliphate) State on the method of the Prophet (saw), that shall liberate all occupied territories, reunify Muslim lands, comprehensively reintroduce the Islamic way of life, and carry its light to all of humankind.

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