Nebenzia: West 'Real Source' of Ukraine Crisis, Its **Narrative Against Russia Hypocritical**

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Nebenzia: Západní "skutečný zdroj" ukrajinské krize, její vyprávění proti Rusku pokrytecké

před 16 hodinami



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SPOJENÉ NÁRODY (Sputnik) – Kolektivní Západ je skutečným zdrojem krize na Ukrajině a jeho narativ obviňující Rusko z vytváření hrozeb pro mezinárodní mír je pokrytecký, protože ignoruje brutální porušování mezinárodního práva Západem, ruský velvyslanec při OSN Vasilij Nebenzia řekl ve čtvrtek.



"Mezinárodní právo bylo opakovaně uvalováno a poškozováno, dlouho předtím, a ne ze strany Ruska," řekl Nebenzia během otevřené debaty Rady bezpečnosti OSN o právním státu.

Kolektivní Západ prosazuje narativ, že Rusko je zodpovědné za ohrožení mezinárodního míru a bezpečnosti , **přičemž ignoruje** své vlastní ohavné porušování mezinárodního práva, řekl Nebenzia.

Ruský velvyslanec upozornil, že současná krize se vrací k touze Spojených států hrát roli globálního policisty, kterou na sebe jednostranně vzal Washington.

Rusko se domnívá, že mezinárodní právo bylo zasazeno "smrtelnou ránu", když evropské země pošlapaly záruky poskytnuté demokraticky zvolenému ukrajinskému prezidentovi Viktoru Janukovyčovi, který byl zbaven funkce v rozporu s tehdejší ústavou, řekl.



Včera

Nebenzia také vyjmenoval různé případy, kdy kolektivní Západ nedodržel mezinárodní právo a nikdy nebyl pohnán k odpovědnosti za porušení právního státu, jako v Jugoslávii, Iráku, Afghánistánu, Sýrii, Libyi a na Ukrajině.

Nebenzia <u>dříve</u> odsoudil výzvy k zahájení tribunálu k vyšetření údajné ruské agrese proti Ukrajině a zdůraznil, že taková iniciativa by byla "směšná" a naprostá ztráta času.

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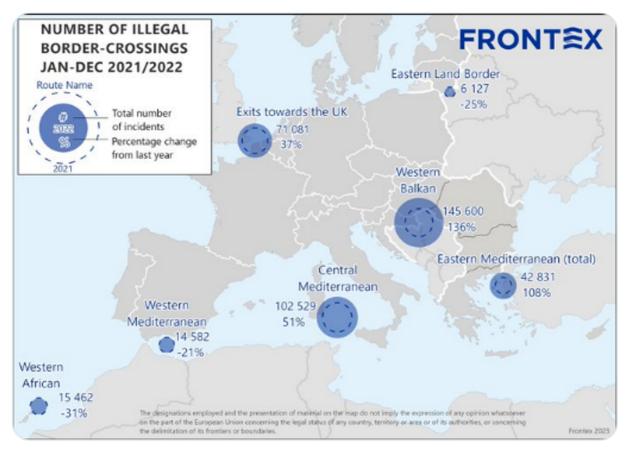
Around 330,000 <u>illegal migrants</u> attempted to cross into the European Union last year, the bloc's border and coast guard agency, Frontex, has stated. This number represents the highest migrant influx since 2016.



Situation at 🔝 external borders in 2022:

- Around 330 000 irregular border crossings in 12 months
- 64% increase from the previous year

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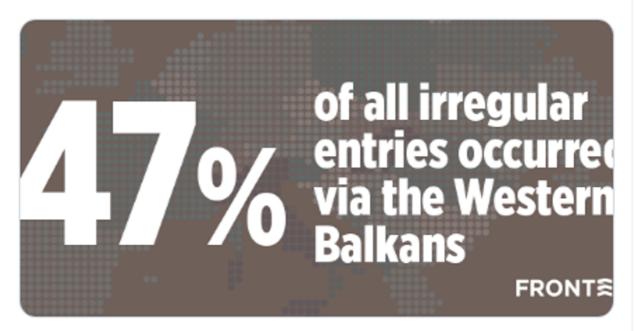
The bloc's border management agency also offered its "preliminary calculations" regarding the principal routes resorted to by illegal migrants. Thus, almost half of the 2022 entry attempts were made

overland through the Western Balkans region, Frontex said. It clarified that approximately 47 percent of the unauthorized border crossings were attempted by Syrians, Afghans, and Tunisians.



145 600 crossings – almost half of all 2022 irregular entries – were reported on the Western Balkans route

This is the highest number of crossings reported on this route since 2015



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Throughout last year, the number of people setting off on often dangerous journeys across the Mediterranean Sea in crowded boats and rubber dinghies soared, with more than 100,000 such crossing endeavors recorded. Compared to 2021, this is an increase of about 50 percent.

While Egyptians, Tunisians, and Bangladeshis were singled out as frontrunners in the number of such illegal crossing attempts, the agency added that 2022 was marked by an uptick in arrivals transiting via Libya - the most in five years. Libya had turned into the main departure hub in North Africa for illegal migrants, the agency said.



The second highest increase took place on the Eastern Mediterranean route, with 42 800 irregular border crossings detected

Figures roughly doubled compared with 2022

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As for Tunisians, they were said to be leading the surge in irregular migration to Europe, with numbers of people leaving the northernmost country in Africa hitting the highest level in recent history. Various factors, such as a deteriorating economic situation at home and social repercussions of unemployment and/or underemployment were believed to be the driving force behind the surge.

Frontex specified that the released migrant figures did not include approximately 13 million <u>Ukrainian refugees</u> who amassed at the EU's external borders between the months of February and December 2022.

Ukrainians leaving their country amid <u>the ongoing Russian special</u> <u>military operation</u> in the country have been benefitting from the *Temporary Protection Directive*, activated on March 4, 2022, allowing them to live in the EU, find work, and attend school for three years without need of an official asylum approval.



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In December 2022, there were reports that staff from the European Border and Coast Guard Agency might be deployed outside the bloc's jurisdiction at non-EU borders in the Western Balkans to crack down on a surge in illegal migrants.

If specific agreements with regional governments can be set in place, the deployment could be used to "reinforce border management along the whole migration route" in cooperation with national border guards "to reduce irregular flows," the European Commission said.



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