

Assange Claims Hillary, Intel Officials “Quietly Pushing a Pence Takeover”

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Over the weekend we noted chatter that some saw [Mike Pence as “the Deep State’s insurance policy,”](#) and now, judging by tweets from Wikileaks’ Julian Assange, that may well be the Clinton/Intelligence Officials plan...

Clinton stated privately this month that she is quietly pushing for a Pence takeover. She stated that Pence is predictable hence defeatable.

— Julian Assange (@JulianAssange) [14 March 2017](#)

Adding that...

Two IC officials close to Pence stated privately this month that they are planning on a Pence takeover. Did not state if Pence agrees.

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As [The Daily Caller notes](#), Assange’s claims appear to come in response to reports that President Trump authorized the CIA to perform drone strikes on terrorists Monday evening...

By handing unilateral power to the CIA over its drone strikes at this time White House signals that bullying, disloyalty & incompetence pays

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[As we concluded previously](#), **if Trump doesn’t adopt the Cold War 2.0 approach of Barack Obama and Hillary Clinton** and is forced out of his own administration in the same manner as Flynn, it will become clear why once we learn who would replace him: **Mike Pence**. No matter what one makes of Trump – or his administration and the policies that have been initiated thus far – the fact remains that Trump won the U.S. election. **The people working behind the scenes to oust him are not subject to democratic controls, nor are they working in the best interests of the American public. We are left to ask ourselves exactly how renewing relations with Russia – a nuclear power – could possibly endanger American lives.** Either way, we are more or less left with two paths ahead of us.

The first path involves Trump giving in and adopting an anti-Russian agenda, as is already apparent in his decision to send more [ground troops to Syria](#) alongside [Saudi troops](#), who

will intentionally oppose the Syrian regime (a close ally of Russia). The second involves the possibility of another direct coup within the Trump administration, this time one that may ultimately force Trump out of the White House so he can be replaced by Mike Pence, a war hawk who will be more than happy to do the job Hillary Clinton wanted to do.

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