

Bush's Top Counter-Terrorism Official: Bush, Cheney and Rumsfeld could be Tried at the Hague for War Crimes Committed in Iraq

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Bush's top counter-terrorism official for his first year as president – Richard Clarke – tells Democracy Now that Bush, Cheney and Rumsfeld committed war crimes in Iraq ... and that they can be tried at the Hague:

(Clarke retired in protest at the start of the Iraq war.)

Clarke is right:

- The Iraq war was [launched](#) under [false pretenses](#)
- Top Bush administration officials [clearly committed war crimes](#) in Iraq
- War crimes generally have [no statute of limitations](#) under international law
- Indeed, it is **not** too late to charge Bush, Cheney or Rumsfeld for war crimes even [under American law](#)

And – as odd as it may sound – it's **not too late to impeach** Bush, Cheney or Rumsfeld ... even though they are no longer in office.

Of course, Obama is also committing war crimes. For example, the Obama administration has ordered numerous indiscriminate drone strikes ... which are [war crimes](#) (more [here](#) and [here](#)). And torture is also [apparently continuing under Obama](#). See [this](#) and [this](#).

And Obama should also [be impeached](#).

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