

Selected Articles: US Sanctions and Regime Change

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[Washington Threatens Egypt with Sanctions Over Russian Su-35 Fighter Jet Purchase](#)

By [Sarah Abed](#), November 18, 2019

Washington's latest attempt to dissuade an ally from making arms deals with Russia came in the form of a [letter](#) sent on last Wednesday to Egyptian officials warning them that they could face sanctions if they continued with their \$2 billion dollar Su-35 fighter jets contract.

In addition to sanctions, **Secretary of State Mike Pompeo** and **Secretary of Defense Mark Esper** warned Egyptian **Defense Minister Mohamed Ahmed Zaki** that "Major new arms deals with Russia would — at a minimum — complicate future U.S. defense transactions with and security assistance to Egypt," in Wednesday's letter. The United States sends Egypt \$1.3 billion annually in military assistance.



Bolivia's U.S.-backed Coup Government Has Given the Military a License to Kill Protestors

By [Paul Antonopoulos](#), November 18, 2019

The de facto and unelected president of Bolivia, **Jeanine Áñez**, signed a decree that exempts all military personnel from being criminally responsible, even in the cases of murder, in the midst of demonstrations against the coup d'etat that ousted democratically elected first Indigenous President of Bolivia, Evo Morales. Effectively, Bolivian security forces have a license to kill now.

Since the decree was signed last Thursday, it has inevitably caused controversy with demonstrators and social media users alike. And it very well should – it is a blatant U.S.-orchestrated coup against [Morales](#) who helped his country reduce unemployment, poverty and illiteracy by at least 50% from 2006 to 2018, and liberated his country from strangling neoliberal policies of the International Monetary Fund and World Bank.



Why Is Thailand Buying Russian Helicopters? Are They Better than “Made in America”?

By [Joseph Thomas](#), November 17, 2019

Beginning in 2011, the Kingdom of Thailand began replacing aging US helicopters not with newer US-built models, but with Russian and Italian systems instead.

This includes Russian Mi-17 medium twin-turbine transport helicopters and several AgustaWestland AW149's and AW139's (for transporting VIPs).



Bolivia - A Color Revolution - or a New Surge for Latin American Independence?

By [Peter Koenig](#), November 17, 2019

It's become a classic. It's being called a Color Revolution, and it's been taking place on all Continents. The list of victim-countries includes, but is not exhaustive – Colombia, Honduras, Argentina, Paraguay, Ecuador, Chile, Brazil, in some ways also Uruguay (the current left-leaning government is powerless and has to remain so, otherwise it will be “changed”... that's the name of the game) – and now also Bolivia. – Then there are Georgia, Ukraine, Iraq, South Sudan, Libya, Afghanistan, Indonesia; and the lawless rulers of the universe are attempting to “regime change” North Korea, Syria, Iran, Venezuela, Cuba, Nicaragua – and on a larger scale China and Russia (I just returned from China – where the Government and people are fully aware what Washington's intentions are behind every move they make).



Operation Northwoods. False Flag Attacks and Regime Change. US Intervention in

[India](#)

By [Great Game India](#), November 17, 2019

Operation Northwoods was a proposed false flag operation against the Cuban government that originated within the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) and the Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS) of the United States government in 1962. The proposals called for the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) or other U.S. government operatives to commit acts of terrorism against American civilians and military targets, blaming them on the Cuban government, and using it to justify a war against Cuba.



[The Role of Russia's Military Police in Syria. The Deal between Russia and Turkey?](#)

By [Steven Sahiounie](#), November 17, 2019

Turkey and Russia began joint patrols in the northeast conflict zone in Syria beginning November 1. The Russian military police, formed in [2012](#), is tasked with convoy protection, area security, restoring law and order, and resettlement operations. Russia recently sent about 300 more [military police](#) and more than 20 armored vehicles to Syria. Russia landed attack [helicopters](#) and troops at a sprawling air base at Qamisli in northeast Syria, recently vacated by [US forces](#).



[Evo Overthrown, But Bolivian Socialism Will be Victorious!](#)

By [Andre Vltchek](#), November 17, 2019

They pledged to do it, and they did – Bolivian feudal lords, mass media magnates and other treasonous “elites” – they overthrew the government, broke hope and interrupted an extremely successful socialist process in what was once one of the poorest countries in South America.

One day, they will be cursed by their own nation. One day they will stand trial for sedition. One day, they will have to reveal who trained them, who employed them, who turned them into spineless beasts. One day! Hopefully soon.

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