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Chancellor Olaf Scholz Gives "The Green Light" to Joe Biden

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Introduction

There never was an effective “Secret Operation” to ensure that an act of sabotage of Nord Stream would be “untraceable to the United States”.

The project had been discussed behind closed doors in 2021 as outlined by [Seymour Hersh](#), but the actual planning of this so-called “secret operation” started in December 2021 extending to its execution in June 2022 and the actual sabotage on September 26-27, 2022. (see map below).



Timeline

In late December 2021, National Security Advisor Jake Sullivan convened what was described as “a newly formed task force” (Joint Chiefs of Staff, CIA, State Department, and Treasury) pertaining to Russia’s War preparations.

Within the group, there was a debate as to what action was to be taken regarding Nord Stream. [“The CIA argued that whatever was done, it would have to be covert.”](#) Everyone [in the task force] involved understood the stakes”.

Early 2022: A covert operation was envisaged. The CIA reported to the Task Force: [“We have a way to blow up the pipelines.”](#) i.e. which is “untraceable”.

One Month Later, February 7, 2022

While we are not privy to the conversations in the Oval Office between President Joe Biden and Germany’s Chancellor Olaf Scholz, the public declarations of both Biden and Scholz at the February 7, 2022 White House Press Conference confirm the following:

- The “Secret Operation” was no longer Secret,
- The Decision was made Public,
- There was a de facto “bilateral understanding” between U.S. President Biden and Germany’s Chancellor Scholz to proceed with the act of sabotage of Nord Stream 2.

On February 7, 2022: [White House Press Conference](#): President Biden together with Germany’s Chancellor Olaf Scholz (who was on an official visit to the U.S.):

The questions were addressed to both President Biden and Chancellor Scholz:

Andrea (Reuters) Q Thank you, Mr. President. And thank you, Chancellor Scholz. Mr. President, I have wanted to ask you about this Nord Stream project that you've long opposed. You didn't mention it just now by name, nor did Chancellor Scholz. Did you receive assurances from Chancellor Scholz today that Germany will, in fact, pull the plug on this project if Russia invades Ukraine? And did you discuss what the definition of "invasion" could be?

PRESIDENT BIDEN: The first question first. If Germany — if Russia invades — that means tanks or troops crossing the — the border of Ukraine again — then there will no be no longer a Nord Stream 2. We will bring an end to it.

Q But how will you — how will you do that exactly, since the project and control of the project is within Germany's control?

PRESIDENT BIDEN: We will — I promise you, we'll be able to do it. ([White House Press Conference](#) emphasis added)

"The Project is within Germany's Control"

Chancellor Olaf Scholz responds to Reuter's journalist pertaining to Biden's decision to "pull the plug" on Nord Stream 2:

Andreas (Reuters) Q [to Chancellor Scholz] And will you commit today — will you commit today to turning off and pulling the plug on Nord Stream 2? You didn't mention it, and you haven't mentioned it.

CHANCELLOR SCHOLZ: As I've already said, we are acting together, we are absolutely united, and we will not be taking different steps. We will do the same steps, and they will be very, very hard to Russia, and they should understand. (emphasis added)

His answer is unequivocal. He endorses Biden's decision to bomb Nord Stream, while avoiding to address the substance of the Reuter's journalist question: i.e "within the control of Germany" of which he is the head of government.

"Secret Operation" Foreclosed

Secret operation? It has become a talking point by numerous analysts.

It should be understood that as of the February 7th 2022 White Press Conference, at which both the US President and Germany's Chancellor publicly confirmed their intent to blow up Nord Stream, the so-called "Secret Operation" was foreclosed.

Has Germany become a "Semicolony" of the United States?

Chancellor Scholz fully abides by Washington's demands, acting as a political proxy. "We will not be taking different steps", he says.

Olaf Scholz was fully aware that this act of sabotage against Nord Stream had been envisaged by the US, to the detriment of more than 400 million Europeans.

Scholz's statements at the Press Conference suggest that this was a Joint Decision.

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Biden’s [Press Conference statement](#) supported by Germany’s Chancellor Scholz, invalidates the notion that a so-called “secret operation” was unfolding, and that the US attack would be “untraceable”.

This was not a blunder on the part of Joe Biden. It was a political decision by the president and his political entourage including Nuland to make known that a U.S. act of sabotage against Nord Stream was envisaged (with the support of Germany’s government).

Biden’s public statement de facto acknowledges that the planned sabotage operation would be “traceable to the White House”.

Biden’s statement was formulated with the endorsement of Germany’s Chancellor Scholz several months before the so-called secret act of sabotage was carried out in June 2022.

Several analysts and journalists have pondered as to “who was responsible for the sabotage”. This is a nonsensical exercise.

The answer is obvious. POTUS, The President of the United States with the full endorsement of Germany’s Chancellor Olaf Scholz, who granted “the green light” for the implementation of the act of sabotage against Germany and the European Union.

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Below is the White House Press Conference in Full

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