
NO CONSENSUS THAT 1915 ARMENIAN KILLINGS WERE GENOCIDE, SAYS COVENEY

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The Irish government has declined to follow the United States in calling the deaths of a very large number of Armenians in 1915 a genocide.

The comments by Simon Coveney, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Minister for Defence in the Irish government, who said there was no international consensus on the subject, come after US President Biden formally recognised the killings as a genocide.

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