
TÜRKİYE URGES NATO TO 'STOP' GREECE'S 'IMPERTINENCE'

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Amid Türkiye's "well-intentioned approaches" to make the Aegean and Mediterranean a "sea of friendship," Defense Minister Hulusi Akar on Saturday called on NATO to urge Greece to "stop" its "impertinence."

"Despite our well-intentioned approaches, Greece continues to provoke and escalate tensions and its unlawful attitude," Akar said at the Defense Ministry's year-end evaluation meeting.

Asserting that Greece has harassed Turkish jets taking part in NATO exercises twice in the last week, Akar said: "This hostile attitude clearly shows that Greece has become so arrogant that it disregards the basic principles and values of NATO. It's time for NATO to say 'stop' to this impertinence."

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