
EU TELLS TRUMP: YOU CAN'T PARDON PUTIN FOR WAR CRIMES IN UKRAINE

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Donald Trumps drive to secure peace in Ukraine must not let Vladimir Putin off the hook for war crimes committed by Russian forces, a top EU official has warned, effectively setting a new red line for a deal.

In an interview with POLITICO, Michael McGrath, the European commissioner for justice and democracy, said negotiators must ensure the push for a ceasefire does not result in Russia escaping prosecution.

His comments reflect concerns widely held in European capitals that the original American blueprint for a deal included the promise of a full amnesty for actions committed during the war, alongside plans to reintegrate Russia into the world economy.

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