

FSC SITUATION REPORT (JAN 2019)

After no political solution was found to the Syrian civil war, in the aftermath of defeating ISIS, the resulting situation was a battle of attrition. With the allied NATO forces most prominently the USA remaining in Syria with the stated intent to maintain stability in the north, against the will of the Assad govt. And the Russian troops backed by the govt captured land further north with the stated intent in capturing rebel held land, this led to cross fire between NATO troops and Russian forces. Amidst the confused conflict the nation of China called for peace negotiations suggesting the appropriate solution was that NATO forces leave under the condition of free and fair elections in 2021. After extensive internal and international political pressure due the loss of life and excessive spending in Jan 2019 the NATO forces left the region handing over control of the region to Assad military forces and Assad backed Russian forces. The Civil war was soon after seized.

STATEMENTS FROM HEADS OF STATE (2019)

USA - it was a good deal for us we were not getting paid to protect the Syrians, now we can reinvest this in our local economy. However I do remain concerned for the stability in the middle east and the threat posed to Israel, the loss of American interests within the region was a shame and we remain on guard.

UK- the NATO operation was a success we went in to remove ISIS and promote world peace and that is what we have achieved. It is only a reflection of UK policy to promote the Independence of states as we too look to remove the intentions of foreign parliaments within the governing of our state.

France- the actions of our state in Syria has led to the alleviation of one of the largest threats to international security in this millennia. And since the easing of Syrian refugees into our borders and the success of our relocation plan of refugees back into Syria. We thought it only right to leave with a job well done.

China- the removal of NATO forces represents a victory for the principle of sovereignty, affirming the strength of the principles that govern the UN. At a time in history where it seems we have given into fear and thrown the principles that guide us to the wind. This represents hope and victory for a world where we are equally judged by the principles meant to govern us.

Russia- this was the only thing the western forces could have done that would have been right. If they had not left this surely would have turned out to reflect the disastrous results of the invasion of Iraq in 2001 and the NATO involvement in Libya in 2011. This was the only right path, the only party with authority to be in Syria was us and if NATO continued to remain it would have been an embarrassment to principles of the international community. It is hopeful to see that there is hope that western governments can act without hypocrisy at times. This is a victory not for Russia but the people of Syrian.

