

## **TURKEY ATTACKS SYRIA BY BOMBING KURDISH SUPPLY ROUTE JUST HOURS AFTER PRESIDENT TRUMP GAVES ORDER TO PULL OUT US TROOPS**

OCT 9. Turkey fired the first shots, bombings the Kurdish supply route, ahead of its planned invasion to create a “peace corridor” along the Iraq-Syria border. This was just hours after Trump pulled out US troops - as president reveals he has invited Erdogan to the White House next month.

Turkey fired its first shots against the Kurds overnight by bombing a key supply route on the Syria Iraqi border mere hours after President Trump orders US troops out, officials have confirmed.

The Turkish air force struck the Semalka Border Crossing in order to stop Kurdish forces resupplying along a route which links their territories in northern Iraq and Syria.

Turkey views the Kurdish-led Syrian Democratic Forces - America's key ally in the battle against ISIS - as a terror group and has previously outlined plans to strike a series of their strongholds along the border.

**'One of the fundamental goals was to cut off the transit route between IRAQ and SYRIA before the operation in Syria’, a source told Reuters. 'In this way, the group's support lines, including ammunition, are shut off.'**

**Turkey is now officially at war in Syria** with our now-former allies the Kurds, who were so instrumental in our fight against ISIS. This will go down as a very, very bad decision by President Trump, one that could possibly have a strong impact on the 2020 elections.

An even worse decision by Trump is the invitation extended to Turkey president Recep Tayyip Erdogan to come and be a guest at the White House in November.

Trump confirmed on Tuesday morning that he'd extended an invitation to the country's president, Recep Tayyip Erdogan, to meet with him at the White House in November.

In a tweet, Trump said Turkey was a **'good trading partner of the US'** and had been **'very good to deal with'**.

Trump has been accused of a 'spineless' capitulation to Turkey over his pledge to withdraw troops - and on Tuesday denied that he had abandoned the Kurds to their fate. But Trump tweeted: **“We may be in the process of leaving Syria, but in no way have we abandoned the Kurds, who are special people and wonderful fighters. Likewise our relationship with Turkey, a NATO and Trading partner, has been very good.”**

Trump defended his decision to withdraw troops from the region, despite it being met with fury and disgust by GOP lawmakers.

Shortly after announcing he'd extended an invitation to Erdogan, Trump tweeted that: **“Turkey already has a large Kurdish population and fully understands that while we only had 50 soldiers remaining in that section of Syria, and they have been removed, as any unforced or unnecessary fighting by Turkey will be devastating to their economy and to their very fragile currency. We are helping the Kurds financially and with weapons!”**

As the Syrian conflict threatened to enter a deadly new phase, **Iran**, Turkey's regional ally warned Ankara (Turkey) **not to push ahead** with its invasion and to 'respect' the territorial integrity of Syria.

Speculations are going wild at present. Is Trump trying to avoid a world war which would cost a pretty sum? Is he seeking to prevent an economic collapse in the US? Do Turkey and Iran both have their eyes on oil resourced in Iraq? Is Iran seeking to prevent Shiite nations from being incorporated into Turkey's own grand caliphate goal? What is Trump's strategy? Let us wait and see!