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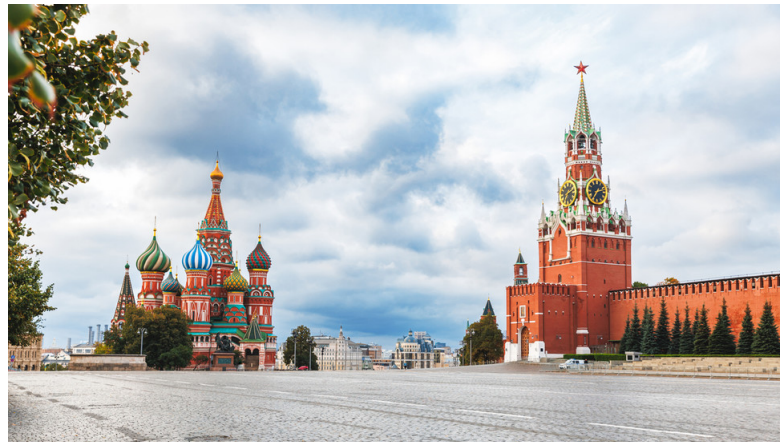
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The White House's claims rely on anonymous intelligence, with past probes failing to find proof that Russia influenced US elections, spokesman Dmitry Peskov has said

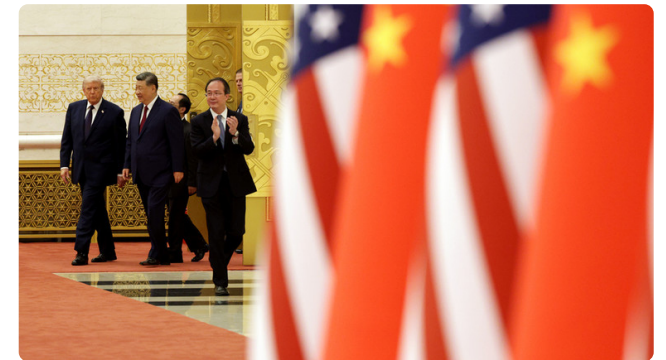
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Moscow has dismissed claims linking Russia to threats against US elections, Kremlin spokesman Dmitry Peskov has said, calling the intelligence cited by Washington unsubstantiated.

On Thursday, US President Donald Trump delivered a prime-time address which



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focused on alleged vulnerabilities in the voting infrastructure. He said the current system *“falls catastrophically short”* and is exposed to hacking.

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While Trump barely mentioned Russia in his speech and was more focused on alleged meddling efforts by China – which Beijing has denied – the White House released a trove of declassified documents, with one assessment stating: *“We judge that US adversaries, including at a minimum Russia, China, Iran, and North Korea... have the capability to compromise US election infrastructure.”*

Speaking to reporters on Friday, Peskov said the allegations are based on *“certain anonymous and unsubstantiated information from the US intelligence services.”*

He noted that *“investigations and inquiries were conducted in the US”* and they came to *“the conclusion that Russia did not influence the elections in the US in any way.”*

“Russia has never interfered in the internal affairs of other countries, and we expect that no one will try to interfere in our internal affairs,” he added.

Allegations of Russian interference in the 2016 election and coordination between Trump’s campaign and Moscow – known as Russiagate – overshadowed much of Trump’s first term and led to an investigation overseen by special counsel Robert Mueller.

While Mueller claimed that Russia interfered in the 2016 presidential election *“in sweeping and systematic fashion”* – which Moscow firmly denied – he did not establish



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that members of the Trump campaign conspired or coordinated with the Russian government.

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Thomas Lappert 7/17/2026 at 6:21 PM

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The U.S. is at the top of interfering in other countries elections.

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BottomEightyPercent 7/17/2026 at 7:09 PM ↕

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That is sort of stating the obvious. The U.S. spends far more money than the rest of the world combined in their quest to overthrow democracies around the globe. It is what billionaires do.

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Dorphaneus 7/17/2026 at 7:09 PM

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The biggest interference in other countries election is the USA

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BottomEightyPercent 7/17/2026 at 7:06 PM

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It is part of Wall Street's plan to keep the masses disoriented by blaming Russia, China and any other perceived enemy of the Epstein Class to support the myth that the U.S. is a functioning democracy except when foreign powers intervene (with the lone exception of Israel). If anyone wanted to seriously disrupt U.S. elections, then they would support



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anyone except those who are members of the Democrats and Republicans as both parties are heavily funded by those who wish to conquer Russia. The mere fact that no third party candidate has received any funding from abroad, is proof positive that no foreign influence exists in the U.S. unless it is in support of the Wall Street agenda like AIPAC for example.

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Isaiah Steele 7/17/2026 at 6:36 PM

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Pro Western trolls are screwing around with the comment section! This always happen when truth tries to come out! Shame!

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Isaiah Steele 7/17/2026 at 6:33 PM

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The truth hits home. It's very clear now , why Dump made the claims of China election interference? China is more popular in the world today and in the US! DSA are very popular and that scares President Dump! He's afraid we can live with out billionaire ruling over the masses! Socialism or Barbarism?

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Ron 7/17/2026 at 6:25 PM

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Russia, China, Iran, North Korea to AmeriCON, stick it up your USAss!

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Isaiah Steele 7/17/2026 at 6:19 PM

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This coming from a depraved mad man, Who Kidnapped the President of an Sovereign Nation and his wife! Assassinated the democratic leaders of Iran because he wants regime change! This is Rich! Who believes this beast!!

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SS Steinkern 7/17/2026 at 5:09 PM

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American citizens have a right to the the documents of the USA #112 / 112

Anyone doing any 'meddling' is the shadow government of the USA/UK (London bankers).

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goldyn sylver 7/17/2026 at 6:12 PM ↑

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Trump would know. Would he turn on them? Would they turn on him? Fair is fair!

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Danilo Salcedo 7/17/2026 at 6:10 PM

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the claim that China or Russia would waste their time on what is always a choice between tweedle douche and tweedle dumb makes no sense..... the deep state controls foreign policy..... the one country that does have a verifiable stranglehold on US politics is Israel....duh!

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goldyn sylver 7/17/2026 at 6:10 PM

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'calling the intelligence cited by Washington unsubstantiated.'

That's the angle!

They force Trump to expose the Jewish deep state that's blaming China. As Trump planned?

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