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# Merz reveals details of clash with Orban

The Hungarian prime minister has accused the German chancellor of “not wanting to negotiate” with Russia



FILE PHOTO: Viktor Orban (L) and Friedrich Merz (R). © Global Look Press / dpa / Michael Kappeler

German Chancellor Friedrich Merz has acknowledged that he had a heated argument with Hungarian Prime Minister Viktor Orban over their approaches to dealing with Russia.

The two clashed at an EU summit in Copenhagen last week, Merz said in an interview with German broadcaster ntv on Monday.

*“He accused [me] of not wanting to negotiate,”* the chancellor stated, referring to Orban. According to

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Merz, he responded by saying Orban's diplomatic efforts last year, which involved visits to both Moscow and Kiev, led to nothing. *"That's not the path I want to take,"* he said.

Asked by host Pinar Atalay if not even trying will solve the problem, Merz dodged the question, claiming that Russian President Vladimir Putin *"does not want to negotiate."*

Russia has stated throughout the Ukraine conflict that it is ready to negotiate as long as the reality on the ground is taken into account and the root causes of the conflict are addressed.

Last month, Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov said Moscow is ready to pursue a compromise to resolve the conflict if *"our legitimate security interests, as well as the legitimate interests of Russians living in Ukraine, are respected in the same way as those of other parties."*

Hungary has been a vocal critic of the EU's belligerent approach toward Russia. Orban warned after the Copenhagen summit that the EU leaders *"want to go to war"* with Russia.

Germany has been Kiev's second-biggest arms supplier after the US since the escalation of the Ukraine conflict in 2022. The country's position has hardened under Merz, who has claimed that all diplomatic options have been exhausted, and that Germany is *"already in a conflict"* with Russia.

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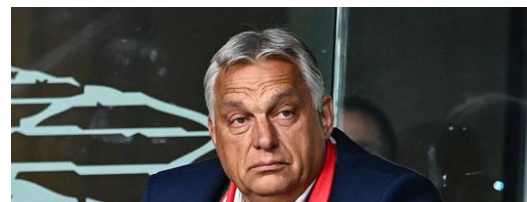
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German is being eaten from within. STand Strong, Hungary. For what they offer in the west is serving up your own ruin through mass migration. Crime rampant and you cant talk of it. Your streets renamed and temples and monuments torn down without any ability to resist. Your schools crime ridden and parks and libraries turned into drug dens. THIS is what the west promotes. AND what is ruining them. Patience. Wait them out.

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Mertz has to be one of the stupidest politicians in Europe, him and Ursula von der Leyen are Globalists of the highest order and couldn't care less if millions died in a nuclear war. I truly have no words for the stupidity of such people.

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Not stupid... corrupt! Merz on the board of Blackrock, just like Macron is Rothschild, Sunak Goldman Sachs...and didn't you see Ursula waltz with Bourla, the CEO of Pfizer, then offer him hundreds of billion of European money for the vaccine in a secret deal?

These people would do anything to succeed, including selling their respective country!

And by the way, all their «employers» belong to the same «chosen» people, in case you missed that detail...



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Orban shouldn't be talking to Kosher Merz, he should be talking to true Germans.


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Only sane part of Germany is the Eastern part. The former GFR has been degenerate for decades.

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Yet Orban is supporting and arming the Zionazis... the same way his friend Trump offered advantages to Blackrock (Merz employer) and forced the Chinese to sell their ports in Panama to them!

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