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Norway oil interests push Kenya into Somalia proxy war

Like in Libya , the scramble for Somalia is for its natural resources - for the WEST!

Norway oil interests push Kenya into Somalia proxy war (WaGoshaNews) When the British couple, Paul and Rachel Chandler was kidnapped and held for one year by Somali pirates, the UK government did not use tanks and military jets to hunt for the abductors.

But the case is different in Kenya , where few days after the abduction of foreign tourists and aid workers, the country crossed the border into Somalia , claiming it was chasing the Al-Shabab militants, whom it said were behind the kidnapping. Al-Shabab, a desperate Islamic militants, who felt the heat in the

capital, Mogadishu denied taking part in the abductions of the foreigners in Kenya, although Kenya it self has no proof to show that it was Al-Shabab that had actually captured the foreigners. But the reality on the ground and evidence we have Kenya military Intelligence have abducted and killed the foreigners.

For the last two months Somali gunmen from both sides of the border have been operating freely in the area, killing innocent refugees, raping and wounding some others. Kenyan officials are aware of this and were reluctant to take any action.

Kenyan military incursion against Al-Shabab

Reliable sources in Kenya and Somali governments confirm that Kenya has been pushed by Norway, which has long time dream of the war-torn country's oil resources.

A Kenyan official who declined to be named told

Wagoshanewsthat Nairobi authorities received millions of dollars from the

Norwegian government to attack southern Somalia in the pretext of fighting against Al-Shabab. **"The Norwegian was angry with Somali parliament's recent decision of rejecting a plan aimed at changing Somalia 's sea boundaries that could allow Norway to drill free of charge oil from the region"**, added the official.

Since 2006 Norway has been making efforts to find an opportunity of drilling Somalia oil, but according to Somali politicians, Norwegians have been looking for dodgy deals that will give them rights to benefit from Somalia resources.

Norway attempts to trap Somali leaders on oil resources

In 2007, Norwegian officials were playing tricky diplomatic game on Somalia crisis. Diplomats used to issue comments on how best the country's crisis could be resolved, sometimes using sympathy words to Islamic Courts leaders in Eritrea. Norway also attempted to talk to some Somali cabinet members to ensure that it's given rights to Somalia 's oil reserves.

During this time Norway had also been working on how to change Somalia 's sea boundaries after some negative signs emerged from its efforts to loot Horn of African oil reserves.

Norway attempts on how to use UN to get Somalia oil

Norway had contacted with the UN regarding the Somalia sea boundaries in order to make some changes that will enable her to achieve its hidden agenda. The UN asked Norway to work with UN office on Somalia affairs and Somalia leaders on how to succeed in this issue.

The former UN envoy to Somalia , Ahmad Ould Abdallah backed Norwegian bid and signed papers to ensure that the boundaries change are made according to Norwegian needs.

But again the UN needed a signature of the Somali leaders to back the Norwegian bid, and it was Shaykh Sharif Shaykh Ahmad, the Somali interim president, who signed the Norwegian bid in Turkey , when officials from Norway approached him and convinced him to sign. **[N.B.: Such "signatures" of the TFG, however,are legally not even worth the paper on which they are written. But, as could be observed in Libya, it seems not to be important any more if international and national laws are bent or broken - as long as the Western robber barons get the profits to cover their artificial debt-holes into which now the whole global economy could fall.**]

It's not clear how Norway had succeeded to convince Mr Ould Abdallah and President Sharif, but sources within Somali and Kenyan governments say huge amount, possible millions of dollars were paid to secure the deal.

Norway, Somalia oil cooperation during Siyad Barre rule

A Somali minister who declined to be named said Norway tried producing oil in Somalia after successful; oil discovery in North Eastern part of the country (known

as Puntland) and southern Somalia between Barawe to Jubba regions in southern Somalia.

But some western countries that had more influence than Norway stopped the plan. President Siyad Barre was for the plan, but it was difficult to implement it without the consent of the powerful Western countries.

Kenyan ministers, buffer zone affair

As Kenyan military incursion continues in southern Jubba regions, Norway is said to be using some individuals in Kenyan cabinet to persuade the Somali government to support the idea of creating a buffer zone in Jubbaland region.

Norway believes the creation of Jubbaland administration will facilitate its conspiracy of stealing Somalia resources.

Reports say the recent visit of Kenyan ministers to Mogadishu was to put more pressure on President Shaykh Sharif Shaykh Ahmad, who opposes the so-called Azania state backed by Kenyan government.

The ultimate goal of Norway is to use the rule Jubbaland and loot its resources through Kenyan government, specially the suspected corrupt ministers who are in the fore front of this ill advised project.

[N.B.: Since Canadian Charles Petrie, the former right-hand-man of exUNenvoy for Somalia Ould Abdallah, quit his UN career and became an obviously even better paid consultant to the Norwegian government to foster their interests and deals concerning Somalia, several civil society organizations have demanded that - like it is now in place for EU officials - a many year ban is imposed also on UN employees, during which they have to abstain from playing lobbyists or consultants on the payroll of member governments or private corporations and companies, whose affairs they had to regulate in their former positions.]

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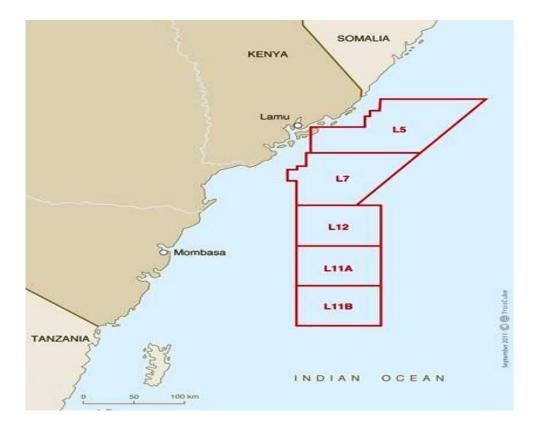
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Kenya-French Somali Oil War

Thursday, October 27, 2011 Al-Shabab is Somalia's number one Honest Military. we support them.

However, the recent Kenyan invasion of Somalia on the pretext that Al-Shabab threatened Kenya at this time is deeply suspicious and troubling for the following reasons.



On Wednesday September 21st 2011 The French Oil giant Total acquires "40% interest in five offshore exploration blocks in the Lamu Basin, blocks L5, L7, L11a, L11b and L12" (see company press release here). This is not actually in the Lamu Basin alone but encroaches on Somalia's southern (Kismayo) Exclusive Economic Zone which is the target of the Kenyan Military occupation forces.

On October 8th 2011 the Somalia parliament overwhelmingly rejected and made illegal any attempt to meddle or change the Somalia's Exclusive Economic Zone. This is an area where Kenyan officials were lobbying to reduce Somalia's Exclusive Economic Zone from 200 to 12 nautical miles.

Ten days later on October 18th Kenyan military invades Somalia with air cover

provided by

French Navy's Air Wing in a pretext that they are after Al-Shabab militia. Mind you Al-Shabab has been ravaging this area for years and Kenya even refused many attempts to contribute forces to African Union forces in Mogadishu. The Somali president made many trips toNairobi and came back empty-handed. The French involvement is collaborated by the Kenyan defense ministry as noted by Kenyan military spokesman Maj. Emmanuel Chirchir said "the French navy bombed the town of Kuday near the southern al-Shabab stronghold of Kismayo on Saturday night. A Nairobi-based diplomat told The Associated Press last week that France was carrying out military attacks in Somalia; French officials in Paris denied French forces were carrying out any attacks." (See National Public Radio here). Why would France deny weakening Al-Shabab which is designated a terrorist organization by the United Nations, US and European Union while Kenya acknowledges it?!

The Kenyan military did not inform their intention to go after Al-Shaba to Somali TFG or the African Union Forces who are engaged fierce battles with Al-Shabab. The United States a close allied of Kenya was kept in the dark on this offensive as reported by New York Times"Kenya's sudden <u>incursion into Somalia over the weekend</u> caught the United States "on its heels," one American official said Thursday. A former American official with experience in Africa said Kenyan officers had given their American counterparts "zero" information before the offensive started."

The Somali President condemned the Kenyan action and spoke against this illegal invasion "the strike degrades the trust built up between the two countries over the past few decades"

The timing of the Kenyan invasion couldn't have come at a worse time, in the sense that Somali Transitional Federal Government and supporting African Union Forces have cleared Al-Shabab from the capital Mogadishu in recent weeks and had the upper-hand militarily and financially. Clearing Al-Shabab from the Southern Somalia within months was a real possibility. The Kenyan invasion makes the job of the Somali Transitional Government and the African Union Forces much more difficult and may in fact reverse some of success they have had over the months.

Somali observers and specialists are perplexed why now and why do it in belligerently and disrespectful way towards the Somali Transitional Federal Government? There is a strong possibility Kenya and French governments in cahoots with oil giant was unsuccessful buying the Somali parliament and annexing Somali sovereign territory for oil has became impossibility. They realized the Somali Transitional Government was more assertive and freeing southern Somalia from Al-Shabab was likely scenario. A preemptive strike was plan B solution to carve a small mini-state so called "buffer zone" with a puppet leadership guaranteeing a free reign on southern Somalia' Economic Exclusive Zone.

Kenya believes the revenue from the off-shore oil drilling from the Somalia's

Economic Exclusive Zone is more than what they would have made declining tourist industry and is ready to gamble on it. Apparently Kenyan leaders will remember too late the old saying "Don't gamble the rent money or you'll land up sleeping on the park bench" I hope I am all wrong and the Kenyans mean well but I am not optimistic.

The Time Divide and Rule is Finished:

Ashabab are Terrorists we kill them we don't accept, because they are our brothers in Islam first, 2nd they are Somalis, all 20million Somalis in Horn of Africa: Somali west,

Dijubti, North, south Somalia, & NFD are ready to defend Somalia from Mafia and Mercenaries . We recognize the self declared Republic: The East Africa Coast Republic on 16/11/2011. Our Buffer Zone is a Coastal area from Kiunga up to Sultan Hamud . the government of Kenya's age is 48years and its first time to cross their fake border for fighting to expansion their Territories, what wonder full how Kenya can succeed or to get victory while Ethiopia and USA defeated and humiliated when they go into Somalia for fighting, the only way Kenya wait is disaster, inflation, defeat and humiliate

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