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Chovanec and the 75%



Political analyst [Jiří Pehe](#) was no doubt right when he wrote in *Právo* on Sat. that Interi-
or Min. Milan Chovanec would be coming under more media scrutiny if someone other
than MFD had written about his low-priced purchase of an apartment from a business-
man who sells SUVs to his ministry. But who could possibly have written such a story
other than Andrej Babiš's MFD or LN? Blesk, E15 or Reflex, which are controlled by the
same company, J&T, that officially owns the highway-toll operator that Chovanec has
been touting (SkyToll)? Czech TV, which has a direct link to Chovanec through Bison
& Rose? *Právo*, which clearly struck some kind of deal with Chovanec to support his
police reorganization? *Economia*, yes, did show surprising independence in question-
ing the police reorganization, but the reality is that it too is part of the 75% of the Czech
media that have ČSSD's back when its political or economic interests are at stake.

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