

## Warmongers among us



Under Czech law it is a criminal act, subject to up to five years in prison, to [incite or promote an offensive war](#) in which the CR is to participate, or otherwise to support war propaganda. If this is done in the media, it is subject to a prison sentence of up to 10 years. Czech supporters of a no-fly zone over Ukraine argue that such a military operation would be defensive (on the request of Ukraine), and not offensive. However, an effective no-fly zone would require [attacking Russian units](#) and [shutting down Russia's air-defense systems](#), which in some cases are located in Russia and Belarus. [Opinion polls in the U.S.](#) show that many people still don't understand that a no-fly zone means going to war with Russia, but most of the warmongers in the CR who are pushing for a no-fly zone know exactly what they are doing. State prosecutors have been curiously quiet. They warn of the criminal implications of [supporting Russia in the war](#), but not of supporting a war with Russia.

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