

Re: OT: British Army Chief calls for Iraq withdrawal

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On Sat, 14 Oct 2006 21:57:58 +0100, Eeyore
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John Larkin wrote:

On Sat, 14 Oct 2006 20:11:25 +0100, Eeyore
<rabbitsfriendsandrelations@xxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

So, If we had a kind of 'Hitler' running the place you'd agree
to the Army doing
illegal things ?

In the US, if an officer decides he can't follow orders, his option is
to resign... same as in civilian life, mostly. Disobeying military
orders can be a capital offense.

I see no evidence of failure to follow orders here.

In the UK, isn't a military officer's public condemnation (or even
criticism) of military actions called for by his superior officers
considered treasonous?

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