

THE HYBRID WARFARE TRIGGERED BY RUSSIAN FEDERATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

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Abstract: In this article i'll try to make you understand the phases of the war started by the Russian Federation in Moldova. This warfare caused more than 500 dead people, disappeared, tortured or fallen on the battlefields; about 4.000 injured people in fights and sick people, many of the died after the war. Consequences of this war are severe: the economic and social crisis in bassarabian society persists even today and it will not be over until all the politicians from Moldova will be changed with others wich will have different perspectives and political affiliations.

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The analysis of events of the hybrid warfare from the Republic of Moldova between 1990-1992 years and the examination of publications about conflicts from Transnistria and from the Southern part of Moldova – Comrat, Vulcanesti – is shaping certain stages of the aggression, developed according to a pre-definite military strategic plan. Russian Federation, under the pretext of “*Russian –speaking people protection*”, attacked without declaring war, the Republic of Moldova, an independent and sovereign country, using methods of *politico-military kind, propagandistic, media, with elements of disinformation of population from Moldova, Russia, Ukraine and other ex-soviet regions, promoting hate against legal authorities, civil disobedience and open attack on civil and military institutions*. Over a three years period, between 1989 and 1992, national economy has been completely destabilized, national currency was devalued and banking system disrupted. In order to strike fear among local population, in the villages were launched groups of “*little green men*” without any marks, Cossack mercenaries and aggressive paramilitary structures, constituted from convicts: thieves, bandits, rapists etc., of

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