Subject: hmmm, i wonder why russia didn't want us attacking iraq Posted by [sg]the0ne on Tue, 25 Mar 2003 01:38:47 GMT

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Ren SizzlefabYou do realise the Russian Government doesn't produce or sell weapons, don't you? These were Russian Firms selling the weapons. I agree that the Government should have done more to try and stop it, but without more information on how the Firms were set up, it's hard to say how difficult it would be to have done this.

The selling of illegal weapons is originating from inside territory the Russian govt has sovereign control of. Much like America, Iraq, Britian Russia has information services (quiv. to CIA, NSA FBI). So your proposing that Russian Firms are selling these weapons, transporting these weapons [etc] and the Russian Information services/Govt have no idea?

PS. You may want to double check on that "You do realise the Russian Government doesn't produce or sell weapons, don't you?" statement. Although the Russian govt may not have actual conscripts making AK's I'm sure they play an important role in the facilitation or initiation of the creation/production of weapons.