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**NATO is an Aggressive Alliance**

A Chara,

I see NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg, addressing a special session of the US Congress, claimed that the Russian annexation of Crimea was "the first time in Europe that one country had taken part of another by force since World War Two" (Irish Times 4th April).

Mr Stoltenberg appears to have forgotten the 1974 invasion and subsequent occupation of northern Cyprus by NATO-member Turkey. I'm not aware of any sanctions imposed as a result of these actions.

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