

Moscow Could Retaliate if Germany Seizes Russian Assets to Help Ukraine

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Moscow could retaliate with similar measures if Germany decides to use frozen Russian assets to help Ukraine rebuild, a senior Russian official warned on Thursday.

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"We have the right to take similar actions in relation to assets of Germany and other states," he said in a Telegram post.

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