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Main news of the Republic (from July 10 to July 17)

The DPR military found the bodies of the Armed Forces of Ukraine saboteurs. They turned out to be citizens of the United States and Estonia

DPR servicemen found dead bodies, while examining the territory in Gorlovka area, where a Ukrainian sabotage and reconnaissance group had previously been blown up by mines. This was announced by the deputy head of the DPR People's Police Department Eduard Basurin.

"We have established the identity of saboteurs. One of them is the US mercenary Sean Fuller with the call sign "Texas", who has experience in fighting in Iraq. Known as a subversive specialist. According to available information, Sean Fuller was an adherent of ultra-right views and actively interacted with Ukrainian nationalists" - Basurin said.

He added that the second person killed was an Estonian citizen. He had a passport of an Estonian citizen in the name of Mikola Ilyin. The saboteur was equipped with expensive equipment and weapons produced by NATO countries, which are used by special forces, as well as by sabotage and reconnaissance groups.

"The employees of the SSU special forces "Alpha", killed in December 2019 while attempting to commit sabotage in the territory of the Republic, had a similar set of equipment, which directly indicates that the deceased soldier belongs to reconnaissance and sabotage units" - Basurin emphasized.

Earlier it was reported that on July 13, in the direction of the DPR positions in the village of Zaitsevo (north of Gorlovka), a sabotage group of six people of the Armed Forces of Ukraine moved forward. They went out into a minefield, where the charges went off. Later, the People's Militia evacuated bodies of the dead saboteurs and handed them over to the Ukrainian party.