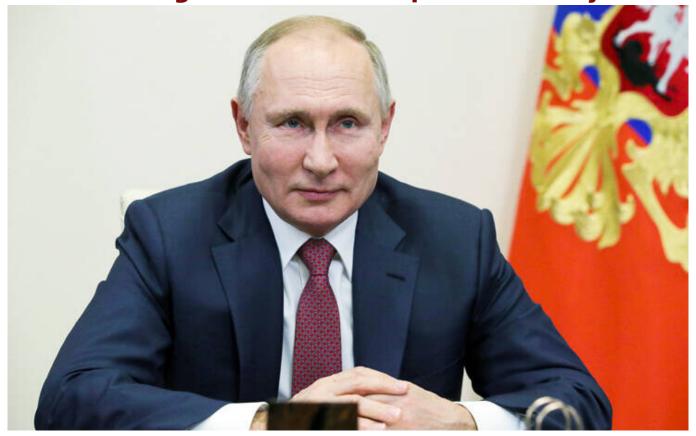
Putin message for Greek Independence Day



Russian President Vladimir Putin issued his message on the occasion of the March 25 Greek Independence Day, in a letter addressed to the Greek president.

Among others, Putin notes that Russia attributes great importance to relations with Greece, and hopes that this year's bicentennial of the Greek Revolution's commencement will contribute to a further consolidation of mutually beneficial bilateral relations.