

Media Source    Press  
Circulation     29,331  
Topic            Nostra



# Ireland is ripe for an attack

IRELAND is a sitting duck for a major cyber attack due to our strong anti-Russian stance, a leading expert has warned.

**Kevin O'Loughlin**, chief executive of **Nostra**, said Russian hackers are setting out to cause damage to Western countries.

He said Ireland is seen as an easy target – and some Russia-based hackers may choose to target Ireland due to public displays of support for Ukraine here.

He said: "Cyber gangs are using all of their might and power to attack anything in the West."