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AUSTRIA'S KURZ BLAMES MERKEL FOR FAR-RIGHT AfD RISE IN GERMANY

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Without the migration policies since 2015, the AfD wouldnt be anywhere near this strong, says Viennas former conservative chancellor.

Sebastian Kurz couldnt resist the urge to say: told you so.

The former Austrian chancellor told German tabloid Bild in comments published Friday morning that former German Chancellor Angela Merkels open-border policies were a direct catalyst for the rise of the far-right Alternative for Germany (AfD) party, which is polling in second place ahead of Feb. 23s national election.

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