

Claim

Claim: "In a press conference on December 9, 2024 Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said: 'I will ask Biden to invite me to NATO ... there's no point in talking to Trump.'"

Actions

web_search("Zelenskyy Biden NATO Trump December 9 2024 press conference

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

On December 9, 2024, Volodymyr Zelenskyy discussed NATO membership with Joe Biden during a press conference, as reported by The Guardian ([https://www.theguardian.com/world/live/2024/dec/09/russia-ukraine-war-live-donald-trump-ceasefire-call-volodymyr-](https://www.theguardian.com/world/live/2024/dec/09/russia-ukraine-war-live-donald-trump-ceasefire-call-volodymyr-zelenskyy)



<https://www.euractiv.com/section/politics/news/zelenskyy-seeks-diplomatic-end-to-russias-war-floats-role-for-foreign-troops/>) and VOA News (<https://www.voanews.com/a/zelenskyy-says-he-is-open-to-negotiated-end-to-war-with-russia-/7893258.html>) also reported on the press conference, with Zelenskyy stating he would ask Biden about NATO membership and that there was no point in talking to Trump while he is not yet in the White House



Elaboration

The evidence confirms that on December 9, 2024, Volodymyr Zelenskyy held a press conference where he discussed NATO membership with Joe Biden. Furthermore, the evidence from VOA News ([https://www.voanews.com/a/zelenskyy-says-he-is-open-to-](https://www.voanews.com/a/zelenskyy-says-he-is-open-to-negotiated-end-to-war-with-russia-/7893258.html)

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Therefore, the claim is accurate based on the provided evidence.

Final Judgement

The evidence from multiple sources confirms that Zelenskyy made the statements attributed to him in the claim during a press conference on December 9, 2024.

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Verdict: TRUE

Justification

During a press conference on December 9, 2024, as reported by VOA News (<https://www.voanews.com/a/zelenskyy-says-he-is-open-to-negotiated-end-to-war-with-russia-/7893258.html>), Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy stated he would ask Biden about NATO membership and that there was no point in talking to Trump.