Claim

Claim: "In January 2025, Russian President Vladimir Putin was seeking to have Dr. Anthony Fauci in the U.S. extradited to Russia in exchange for ending the war in Ukraine."

Actions

web_search("Vladimir Putin Anthony Fauci extradition Ukraine war")

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

The claim that Vladimir Putin sought to extradite Dr. Anthony Fauci in January 2025 is false. A fact-check from Snopes, reported by Yahoo News, rated the claim as "False" and noted that the claim originated from social media posts on January 22, 2025 (







False

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). AOL News also debunked the claim, stating it originated from a website known for spreading fake news and that there was no credible evidence to support it. Boatos.org also stated that it is false that Putin demanded the extradition of Anthony Fauci to end the war in Ukraine.

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Elaboration

The claim is false. Multiple sources, including Yahoo News, AOL News, and Boatos.org, have debunked the claim. These sources indicate that the claim originated from social media and websites known for spreading misinformation.

Final Judgement

The evidence from multiple sources, including Yahoo News, AOL News, and Boatos.org, confirms that the claim is false. These sources explicitly debunk the claim, citing its origin in unreliable sources and a lack of credible evidence.

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Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is false. Multiple fact-checking sources, including <u>Yahoo News</u>, <u>AOL News</u>, and Boatos.org, have debunked the claim, citing its origin in unreliable sources and a lack of credible evidence.