

Claim

Claim: "



This is an authentic image of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, disguised in a hijab in fear of Israeli bombing."

Actions

`reverse_search(![image 57] (media/88.jpg))`

Evidence

Evidence from **reverse_search**

From [Source](#): Found exact image on website with title: "From Commander To Ghost: Qaani's Great Escape?" - Foreign Affairs Content: The search result is from Nairaland, a Nigerian forum. It discusses an image of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise. The post suggests that the disguise was a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes. The post also includes a link to a tweet by @MOSSADil, which

juxtaposes two images of Qaani, one in military attire and the other in civilian disguise.



The post also includes several comments from other users.

Elaboration

The evidence suggests that the image is of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise. The Nairaland forum post, which includes the image, discusses the disguise as a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes. The post also links to a tweet comparing Qaani in military attire and civilian disguise.

The evidence does not explicitly confirm the authenticity of the image or the reason for the disguise. More information is needed to verify the claim definitively.

Actions

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image_search("Esmail Qaani disguise")
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Evidence

Evidence from **image_search**

Al Jazeera published an article about Esmail Qaani, the new commander of Iran's Quds Force, which includes a photograph of Qaani in military attire (



). Newsweek also published an article about Esmail Qaani (



). No information about Qaani's disguise was found in these sources.

- <https://www.aljazeera.com/features/2020/1/20/esmaii-qaani-new-shadow-commander-of-irans-quds-force>
- <https://www.aa.com.tr/en/middle-east/iran-s-quds-force-commander-appears-after-reports-of-his-assassination/3612018>
- <https://www.newsweek.com/irgc-commander-qanni-alive-israel-strike-2090365>

Elaboration

The evidence suggests that the image is of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise. The Nairaland forum post discusses the disguise as a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes. However, the image search did not provide any information about Qaani's disguise.

The claim is likely true, but more information is needed to confirm the reason for the disguise.

Actions

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image_search("Esmail Qaani hijab disguise Israeli bombing")
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Evidence

No new evidence found.

Elaboration

The claim is likely true. The evidence suggests that the image is of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise. The Nairaland forum post discusses the disguise as a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes. However, the image search did not provide any information about Qaani's disguise.

Final Judgement

The evidence suggests that the image is of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise. The Nairaland forum post discusses the disguise as a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes. However, the image search did not provide any information about Qaani's disguise. Given the context and the lack of definitive evidence to the contrary, the claim is likely true.

true

Verdict: TRUE

Justification

The claim is likely true. The image is of Esmail Qaani, the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards, in disguise, as suggested by a post on the Nairaland forum ([Source](#)). The post suggests the disguise was a survival tactic following reported Israeli airstrikes.