# Claim

Claim: "In November 2024 Russia sentenced a man to 14 years in prison for burning the Quran."

## **Actions**

web\_search("Russia man sentenced Quran burning November 2024")

### **Evidence**

### Evidence from web\_search

In November 2024, Nikita Zhuravel was sentenced to 14 years in prison. Reuters reports that the sentence was for treason, separate from his previous conviction for burning a Quran (



). The Moscow Times states that he received an additional 13 years and six months for treason, with a previous sentence of three and a half years for burning the Quran, totaling 14 years (



Meduza also reports on the additional 13.5-year sentence for treason, with the total time in prison being 14 years.

Sources: Reuters, The Moscow Times, and Meduza.

### **Elaboration**

The evidence confirms that in November 2024, a man named Nikita Zhuravel was sentenced to 14 years in prison. However, the Reuters report indicates that the 14-year sentence was for treason, separate from his previous conviction for burning the Quran. The Moscow Times and Meduza state that the 14-year sentence is the total time in prison, which includes the sentence for burning the Quran and an additional sentence for treason.

# **Final Judgement**

The claim is accurate as the man was sentenced to 14 years in prison in November 2024. The sentence was related to the burning of the Quran, although the 14-year sentence was for treason, with the Quran burning conviction contributing to the total time. true

**Verdict: TRUE** 

#### **Justification**

In November 2024, Nikita Zhuravel was sentenced to 14 years in prison. While the initial conviction was for burning the Quran, the 14-year sentence was for treason, as reported by <u>Reuters</u>, <u>The Moscow Times</u>, and <u>Meduza</u>.