### Claim

Claim: "Commander of the Israeli Air Force, Major General Tomer Bar has been killed by Hezbollah in Tel Aviv in a drone attack in November 2024."

# **Actions**

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web_search("Tomer Bar killed")
web_search("Tomer Bar Hezbollah drone attack")
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#### **Evidence**

#### Evidence from web\_search

The claim that Tomer Bar was killed by Hezbollah is false, according to a fact-check published on December 12, 2024, by aol.com (<a href="https://www.aol.com/fact-check-israeli-">https://www.aol.com/fact-check-israeli-</a>

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on December 9, 2024, that Tomer Bar is alive and was not killed in a drone attack (<a href="https://inshorts.com/en/news/israeli-air-force-chief-tomer-bar-alive--not-killed-by-">https://inshorts.com/en/news/israeli-air-force-chief-tomer-bar-alive--not-killed-by-</a>



Tomer Bar is an Israeli general who currently commands the Israeli Air Force, assuming office on April 4, 2022 (<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tomer Bar">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tomer Bar</a>) <a href="mailto:image:k">image:k</a>.

## Evidence from web\_search

According to Press TV, Hezbollah claimed to have targeted the residence of Israeli Air Force Commander Major General Tomer Bar in Tel Aviv with a drone attack on November 18,

2024, which was subject to censorship by Israeli authorities. (



CUFI reports that Major General Tomer Bar conducted a personal inspection of the Golani Training Base site after a drone strike. (



Sources: <a href="https://www.presstv.ir/Detail/2024/11/27/738007/Lebanon-Hezbollah-residence-Tomer-Bar-attack-drones">https://www.presstv.ir/Detail/2024/11/27/738007/Lebanon-Hezbollah-residence-Tomer-Bar-attack-drones</a> and <a href="https://cufi.org/issue/this-is-how-the-hezbollah-uav-evaded-detection-with-fatal-results/">https://cufi.org/issue/this-is-how-the-hezbollah-uav-evaded-detection-with-fatal-results/</a>

### Elaboration

The claim is false. Fact-checks from aol.com (<a href="https://www.aol.com/fact-check-israeli-general-not-150127650.html">https://www.aol.com/fact-check-israeli-general-not-150127650.html</a>) and Inshorts (<a href="https://inshorts.com/en/news/israeli-air-force-chief-tomer-bar-alive--not-killed-by-hezbollah-1733746115536">https://inshorts.com/en/news/israeli-air-force-chief-tomer-bar-alive--not-killed-by-hezbollah-1733746115536</a>) confirm that Tomer Bar is alive.

While Press TV reports that Hezbollah claimed to have targeted Tomer Bar's residence in Tel Aviv with a drone attack (<a href="https://www.presstv.ir/Detail/2024/11/27/738007/Lebanon-Hezbollah-residence-Tomer-Bar-attack-drones">https://www.presstv.ir/Detail/2024/11/27/738007/Lebanon-Hezbollah-residence-Tomer-Bar-attack-drones</a>), this does not confirm the claim that he was killed. Furthermore, CUFI reports that Tomer Bar inspected a site after a drone strike (<a href="https://cufi.org/issue/this-is-how-the-hezbollah-uav-evaded-detection-with-fatal-results/">https://cufi.org/issue/this-is-how-the-hezbollah-uav-evaded-detection-with-fatal-results/</a>), which further contradicts the claim.

# **Final Judgement**

The claim that Major General Tomer Bar was killed by Hezbollah is demonstrably false. Multiple sources, including fact-checks from aol.com and Inshorts, confirm that Tomer Bar is alive. While there are reports of a drone attack on his residence, this does not support the claim of his death.

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**Verdict: FALSE** 

#### **Justification**

The claim is false. Fact-checks from <u>aol.com</u> and Inshorts (<u>https://inshorts.com/en/news/israeli-air-force-chief-tomer-bar-alive--not-killed-by-hezbollah-1733746115536</u>) confirm that Tomer Bar is alive. Although there are reports of a drone attack on his residence, this does not confirm the claim of his death.