Claim

Claim: "In a phone call with Benjamin Netanyahu on August 14, 2024, Donald Trump told the Israeli prime minister to stop a Gaza ceasefire deal because it would help Vice President Kamala Harris' 2024 presidential campaign."

Actions

web_search("Donald Trump Benjamin Netanyahu phone call August 14 2024 G

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

Reuters reports that Donald Trump and Benjamin Netanyahu spoke on August 14, 2024, and discussed the Gaza ceasefire and hostage release deal (



). The article does not mention Trump telling Netanyahu to stop the deal because it would help Kamala Harris' 2024 presidential campaign. The article was published on August 15, 2024, and can be found here: <u>Source</u>.

Newsweek published an article discussing allegations that Donald Trump called Benjamin Netanyahu on August 14 to discuss a ceasefire deal (



Netanyahu not to cut a deal because it would help the Harris campaign. The article was updated on August 22, 2024, and can be found here: <u>Source</u>. NPR published an article on August 14, 2024, discussing the resumption of Gaza cease-fire talks (





Elaboration

The evidence suggests that Donald Trump and Benjamin Netanyahu spoke on August 14,

2024, and discussed the Gaza ceasefire. However, the Reuters article does not mention the specific reason Trump gave Netanyahu for stopping the deal. The Newsweek article mentions allegations that Trump urged Netanyahu not to cut a deal because it would help the Harris campaign, but both Trump and Netanyahu denied the call took place.

Based on the available evidence, the claim is not fully supported. While there is evidence of a phone call and discussion about the ceasefire, there is conflicting information about the specific reasons Trump gave Netanyahu.

Actions

web_search("Donald Trump Kamala Harris Gaza ceasefire deal")

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

The search results discuss the positions of Donald Trump and Kamala Harris on the Israel-Gaza conflict. One article from 972mag.com discusses the US elections and the stance of Kamala Harris and Donald Trump on the Israeli-Palestinian conflict (Source). Al-Monitor reports that Trump said Kamala Harris "hates" Israel as she calls for an end to the Gaza war (Source). CBS News discusses the positions of Kamala Harris and Donald Trump on the Israel-Gaza war (Source). The articles do not mention Trump telling Netanyahu to stop the deal because it would help Kamala Harris' 2024 presidential campaign.















Elaboration

The evidence indicates that Trump and Netanyahu spoke on August 14, 2024, and discussed the Gaza ceasefire. However, the claim that Trump told Netanyahu to stop the deal because it would help Kamala Harris' 2024 presidential campaign is not fully supported. While Newsweek reported on allegations of this, both Trump and Netanyahu denied the call took place. Additional searches about Trump and Harris' positions on the Israel-Gaza conflict do not mention the claim.

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web_search("Trump Netanyahu call August 14 2024 Kamala Harris campaign"

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

From <u>Source</u>: Content: The New Republic reports that Donald Trump allegedly spoke with Benjamin Netanyahu to avert a ceasefire deal, fearing it would help Kamala Harris win in November. PBS reported that Trump was urging Netanyahu not to cut a deal because it would help the Harris campaign. Both Netanyahu's office and Trump denied the report. The article was published on August 20, 2024.

Elaboration

The claim is partially supported. The evidence confirms that Trump and Netanyahu spoke on August 14, 2024, and discussed the Gaza ceasefire. However, the claim that Trump told

Netanyahu to stop the deal because it would help Kamala Harris' 2024 presidential campaign is based on allegations. Both Trump and Netanyahu denied the report.

Final Judgement

The claim is based on allegations that are denied by both Trump and Netanyahu. While there is evidence of a phone call and discussion about the ceasefire, the specific reason Trump gave Netanyahu is not fully supported.

false

Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is not supported. While there is evidence of a phone call between Trump and Netanyahu on August 14, 2024, discussing the Gaza ceasefire, the assertion that Trump told Netanyahu to stop the deal to hurt Kamala Harris's campaign is based on allegations that both Trump and Netanyahu denied, as reported by Newsweek and The New Republic.