Claim

Claim: "Iran's IRGC Quds Force commander Gen. Esmail Qaani has fled Iran in April 2025 and is confirmed safe in Israel."

Actions

web_search("Esmail Qaani fled Iran Israel April 2025")

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

An AOL fact-check from April 7, 2025, states that the claim of Esmail Qaani fleeing to Israel is false, citing a lack of evidence and Qaani's presence at rallies in February 2025. The article can be found here: <u>Source</u>



. The Jerusalem Post reported on June 30, 2025, about rumors of ties between Qaani and Mossad, which were denied by an X account linked to Mossad: <u>Source</u>.



The Times of Israel reported that Esmail Qaani was killed in an Israeli attack, according to The New York Times, citing unnamed Iranian sources: <u>Source</u>.



Elaboration

The claim is demonstrably false. An AOL fact-check from April 7, 2025, states that the claim of Esmail Qaani fleeing to Israel is false, citing a lack of evidence and Qaani's presence at rallies in February 2025. Furthermore, The Times of Israel reported that Esmail Qaani was killed in an Israeli attack, according to The New York Times, citing unnamed Iranian sources.

Final Judgement

The evidence indicates that the claim is false. An AOL fact-check from April 7, 2025, refuted the claim, and a later report suggests Qaani was killed in an Israeli attack.

false

Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is false. An AOL fact-check from April 7, 2025, found the claim to be false due to a lack of evidence and Qaani's presence at rallies in February 2025 Source. Furthermore, The Times of Israel reported that Qaani was killed in an Israeli attack Source.