Claim

Claim: "In January 2025, Russian President Vladimir Putin was seeking to have Dr. Anthony Fauci in the U.S. extradited to Russia in exchange for ending the war in Ukraine."

Actions

web_search("Vladimir Putin Anthony Fauci extradition Ukraine war")

Evidence

Evidence from web_search

The claim that Vladimir Putin sought to extradite Dr. Anthony Fauci in January 2025 is false. A fact-check from Yahoo News, citing Snopes, rated the claim as "False" and noted that the claim originated from social media posts on January 22, 2025 (







False

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). AOL News also debunked the claim, stating it originated from "The People's Voice," a website known for spreading fake news. Boatos.org also reported that there is no official record of Putin making any extradition request involving Anthony Fauci.

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Elaboration

The claim is false. Multiple sources, including Yahoo News and AOL News, have debunked the claim. These sources indicate that the claim originated from social media and a website known for spreading fake news. There is no official record of Putin making such a request.

Final Judgement

The fact-check reveals that the claim is false. Multiple sources, including Yahoo News and AOL News, have debunked the claim, citing its origin in social media and a website known for spreading fake news. There is no evidence to support the claim that Putin sought to extradite Dr. Fauci.

false

Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is false. Fact-checks from sources like Yahoo News (<u>Source</u>) and AOL News (<u>Source</u>) debunked the claim, noting its origin in social media and a website known for spreading fake news. There is no official record of Putin making such a request.