

Claim

Claim: "Netanyahu left Israel and fled to Poland amid Iran's missile attack on Israel on October 1, 2024."

Actions

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web_search("Netanyahu Poland October 1 2024")  
web_search("Iran missile attack Israel October 1 2024")
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Evidence

Evidence from `web_search`

The provided web sources discuss Benjamin Netanyahu and his potential travel to Poland for the 80th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp in January 2025. Articles from Al Jazeera (<https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2025/1/9/poland-says-it-will-protect-benjamin-netanyahu-from-potential-arrest>) and the Los Angeles Times (<https://www.latimes.com/world-nation/story/2025-01-09/polish-president-seeks-protection-for-netanyahu-if-he-attends-auschwitz-anniversary-event>) report that Poland is considering protecting Netanyahu from potential arrest due to an International Criminal Court (ICC) arrest warrant.

DW.COM (<https://www.dw.com/en/auschwitz-poland-netanyahu-arrest-pledge/a-71377468>) also discusses the Polish government's guarantee of safe passage for Netanyahu, who reportedly did not plan to attend the event. All sources are from January 2025 and do not mention any events from October 1, 2024, or an Iranian missile attack.

Evidence from `web_search`

On October 1, 2024, Iran launched a missile attack on Israel, also known as "Operation True Promise II" ([image:i](#), [image:k](#)). The attack prompted a response from Benjamin Netanyahu, who vowed that Iran "will pay" for it. The Security Cabinet of Israel convened in a bunker in Jerusalem during the attacks.

NPR reported that Israel shot down most of the Iranian missiles and mentioned an Israeli ground offensive in Lebanon (



, actions.). Al Jazeera also reported on the attack, noting it was in response to Israeli

- https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/October_2024_Iranian_strikes_on_Israel
- <https://www.npr.org/2024/10/01/g-s1-25707/iran-israel-hezbollah-lebanon-attack>
- <https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2024/10/1/irans-missile-attack-against-israel-what-we-know-and-what-comes-next>

Elaboration

The evidence indicates that an Iranian missile attack on Israel occurred on October 1, 2024. During this attack, Benjamin Netanyahu vowed a response and convened the Security Cabinet in a bunker in Jerusalem. The provided sources do not mention Netanyahu leaving Israel or fleeing to Poland on that date.

The search results also show that Netanyahu's potential travel to Poland was discussed in January 2025, related to the 80th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp. However, this information does not support the claim that he fled to Poland during the October 1, 2024, attack.

Therefore, based on the available evidence, the claim is not supported.

Final Judgement

The fact-check reveals that an Iranian missile attack on Israel occurred on October 1, 2024,

during which Netanyahu remained in Israel and convened the Security Cabinet. While there are reports about Netanyahu's potential travel to Poland in January 2025, these reports do not support the claim that he fled to Poland during the October 1, 2024, attack.

false

Verdict: FALSE

Justification

The claim is false. While an Iranian missile attack on Israel occurred on October 1, 2024, during which Netanyahu remained in Israel and convened the Security Cabinet, as reported by sources like [NPR](#) and [Al Jazeera](#). There is no evidence to support the claim that he left Israel and fled to Poland on that date.