

# Claim

Claim: "Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy's wife bought a \$5,000,000.00 Bugatti while vacationing in Paris."

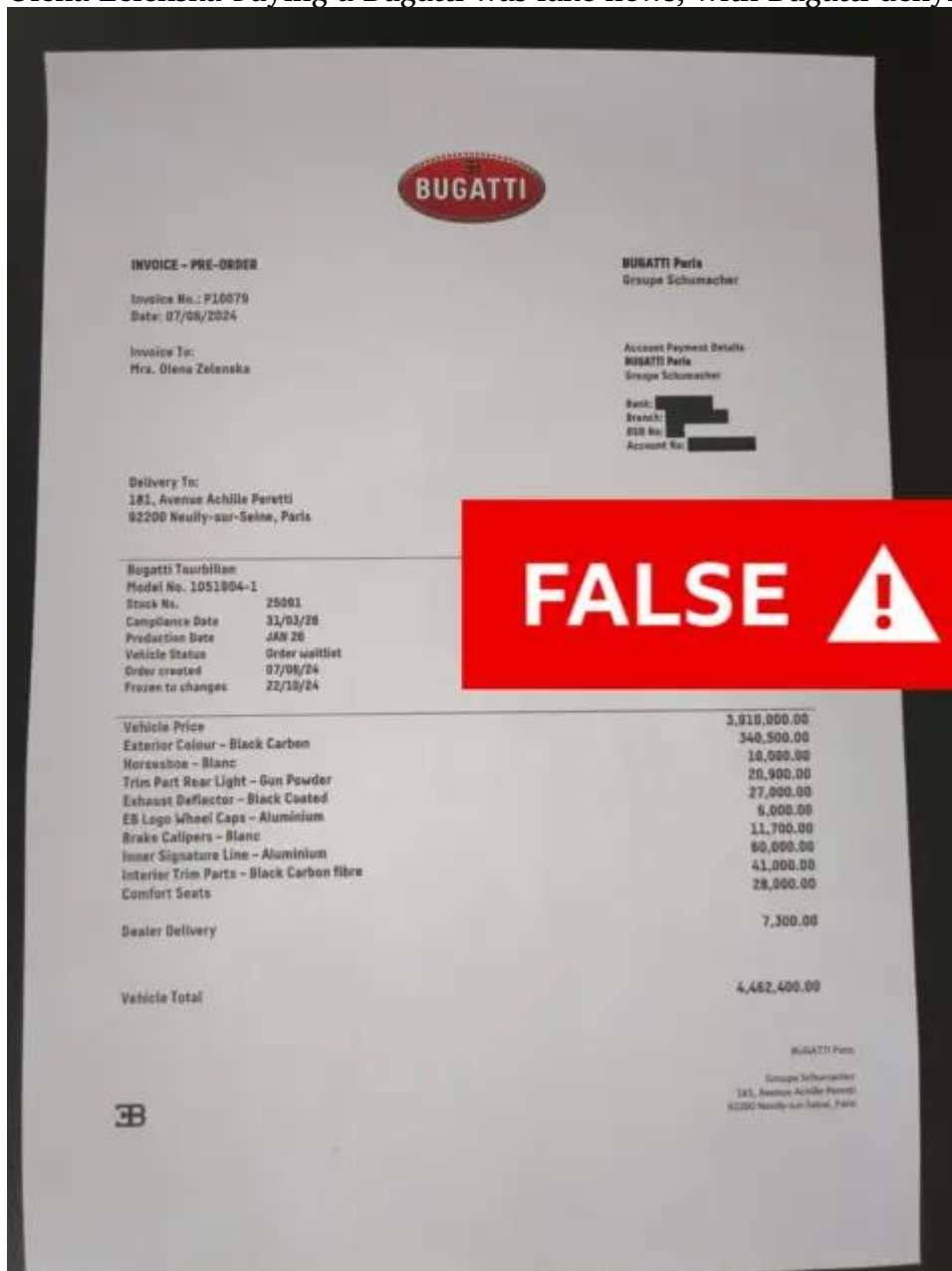
## Actions

`web_search("Volodymyr Zelenskyy wife Bugatti Paris")`

## Evidence

### Evidence from web\_search

The BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c72ver6172do>) reported that the claim of Olena Zelenska buying a Bugatti was fake news, with Bugatti denying the claim.



CBS News (<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/olena-zelenska-false-claim-she-bought-bugatti/>) and CNN (<https://www.cnn.com/2024/07/02/europe/deepfake-video-zelensky-wife-intl-latam>) also reported

that a deepfake video falsely claimed Olena Zelenska bought a Bugatti, likely as part of a Russian disinformation campaign.



The Bugatti dealership in Paris denied the transaction. [image:i](#)

## Elaboration

The claim is false. The BBC (<https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/c72ver6172do>) reported that the claim was fake news, and the Bugatti dealership denied the transaction. CBS News (<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/olena-zelenska-false-claim-she-bought-bugatti/>) and CNN (<https://www.cnn.com/2024/07/02/europe/deepfake-video-zelensky-wife-intl-latam>) reported that a deepfake video falsely claimed Olena Zelenska bought a Bugatti.

## Final Judgement

The fact-check reveals that the claim about Olena Zelenska buying a Bugatti is false. Multiple sources, including the BBC, CBS News, and CNN, have reported that the claim is a fabrication, with the Bugatti dealership denying the transaction. The claim was likely spread through a deepfake video as part of a disinformation campaign.

The most appropriate decision option is *false*.

**Verdict: FALSE**

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