



Trump's latest Lebanon remarks are the same old nonsense

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Donald Trump

Donald Trump has claimed that Israel and [Hezbollah](#) have "agreed to halt attacks" after indirect talks through intermediaries.

Trump wrote:

I had a very good call with Hezbollah, and they agreed that all shooting will stop that Israel will not attack them, and they will not attack Israel.

Bearing in mind that no US president has ever spoken with Hezbollah, and the US designated the group a terrorist organisation, we have to ask if the intermediary was a carrier pigeon or a pet fish?

According to statements from Lebanon's embassy in Washington, the plans mean Hezbollah would stop "attacking" Israel. This would be in exchange for Israel stopping its illegal strikes on Beirut and its southern suburbs.

Of course, Hezbollah and Lebanon have the right to self-defence under international law. Whereas Israel has zero authority to be attacking, bombing, or illegally occupying another country's sovereign territory.

Lies

Trump has been caught lying more times than we can count since the US and Israel [launched](#) their illegal attacks on Iran.

To start with, Trump [claimed](#) that Iran was aiming to rebuild its nuclear programme. He also said Israel and the US "obliterated" these sites in strikes last year. However, there was no evidence of any nuclear programme, this year or last.

The director general of the International Atomic Energy Agency told *NBC News* the organisation did not believe Iran has nuclear weapons and:

had not seen elements of a systematic and structured program to manufacture nuclear weapons there.

Trump also claimed that Iran was seeking to develop a long-range missile to attack the US, for which there was no evidence.

A 2025 federal government assessment contradicted this. [It stated](#) that Iran was still years away from the ability to produce long-range missiles.

Then, in April, Trump [claimed](#) the Iran-Israel ceasefire did not include Lebanon, despite Pakistan making it clear in advance that it was included.

Around the same time, Trump delivered a 19-minute speech to the nation. In it, he slurred his words and stumbled over basic sentences. He denied that he aimed anything about regime change in Iran. This was despite his earlier demand for "unconditional surrender" from Iran.

Additionally, after Trump's regime, alongside the Israeli regime, murdered Iran's supreme leader, Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, Trump insisted that he should have a say in Iran's new leader. Because, of course, when you murder the leader of a sovereign nation, you get first pick over its new one.

But Trump got his regime change. Khamenei was replaced by erm, Khamenei "his very own son."

More lies

Even before the US and Israel launched their unprovoked attacks, Trump was already [lying](#) about the number of Iranians the "regime had killed" in its "brutal crackdown" of mass protests in January.

Trump also likes to set a deadline of "two weeks". This never actually comes to fruition. He has used the same time frame for Iran, [Ukraine](#), and [Russia](#) as well as [his own tariffs](#). It's been a long two weeks!

It's unclear whether the angry orange man doesn't know the difference between truth and lies or if he just doesn't care.

What is clear, though, is that the things that come out of his mouth have very few links to reality. There is also no way of knowing what he might, or might not, do next.

He is in charge of one of the world's most powerful countries. Yet his credibility is directly endangering the lives of millions of people in West Asia.

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