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# Trump gives green light for South Korea to build nuclear powered sub

*October 30, 2025 spacewar.com* reported: "US President Donald Trump said Thursday he has given approval for ally South Korea to build a nuclear-powered submarine, a day after the two countries said they have reached a broad trade deal.

Trump met South Korean counterpart Lee Jae Myung on Wednesday in the southern town of Gyeongju, where the US leader arrived for a summit of the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) forum.

On Wednesday, Seoul's presidential aide said the two countries had reached a broad deal covering investment and shipbuilding, while Trump said the agreement was 'pretty much' finalized.

'I have given them approval to build a Nuclear-Powered Submarine, rather than the old fashioned, and far less nimble, diesel-powered Submarines that they have now,' Trump said on Truth Social Thursday.



South Korea Pres Lee Jae Myung & U.S. President Donald Trump

In a separate post, he wrote: 'South Korea will be building its Nuclear-Powered Submarine in the Philadelphia Shipyards, right here in the good ol' U.S.A.' 'Shipbuilding in our Country will soon be making a BIG COMEBACK,' he added..."

### Putin defies Trump with second nuclear weapons test in days

October 30, 2025 spacewar.com reported: "Russia has successfully tested a nuclear-capable, nuclear-powered underwater drone, President Vladimir Putin said Wednesday, defying US President Donald Trump's warnings with Moscow's second test of a new nuclear weapons system in just a few days.

Putin on Sunday oversaw a test of another advanced nuclear-capable weapon — the Burevestnik cruise missile, which he said had an 'unlimited range'. Trump called that exercise not 'appropriate'.

'Yesterday, another test was conducted for another prospective system — the unmanned underwater device 'Poseidon,' also equipped with a nuclear power unit,' Putin said in televised remarks while visiting a military hospital treating Russian soldiers wounded in Ukraine.

The Russian leader said there was 'no way to intercept' the drone torpedo, which, according to Putin, can travel at a speed higher than conventional submarines and reach any continent in the world.

Putin said no country could match Poseidon's speed and diving depth, adding, 'it is unlikely that anything similar will appear in the near future.'

The device can operate at a depth of more than one kilometre (0.6 mile) and travel at speeds of up to 70 knots while remaining undetectable, according to a source in the Russian military-industrial complex..."

#### Netanyahu Orders Airstrikes on Hamas in Gaza After Fake Body Transfer

October 29, 2025 breitbart.com reported: "Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu ordered airstrikes on Hamas positions in Gaza on Tuesday night after the terror organization staged a fake transfer of the body of one of the deceased hostages Monday.

Hamas is supposed to return 28 bodies under the terms of the ceasefire that went into effect earlier this month. It has only returned 15 thus far; 13 remain.

As *Breitbart News* reported, citing Israeli media and official sources, Hamas was caught on video digging a hole, putting human remains in it, then summoning the Red Cross to watch as it 'retrieved' the remains.

The remains were transferred to Israel via the Red Cross in a coffin. Subsequent tests determined that the remains were those of a hostage who had been murdered two years ago and whose remains had been partially recovered by Israel in a special military operation..."

## Hamas official: 'Al-Aqsa Flood' sparked global awakening against Zionism

October 28, 2025 israelnationalnews.com reported: "In an interview aired Sunday by Al Jazeera, Dr. Khalil al-Hayya, chief negotiator for the Hamas terrorist organization, described the October 7, 2023, massacre as the 'inevitable outcome' of decades of what he called occupation and injustice, while defending the group's actions and calling for international prosecution of Israeli leaders.

Speaking to *Al Jazeera*, al-Hayya said the attack, which he referred to as the 'Al-Aqsa Flood,' was a direct consequence of what he described as 77 years of Israeli 'occupation,' including the denial of Palestinian rights, the siege of Gaza, and actions at the Temple Mount. 'It was the inevitable outcome of seventy-seven years of occupation, of an occupier that refuses to grant even our most basic rights,' he stated.

He accused Israel of seeking to 'Judaize Jerusalem,' of introducing laws to 'divide Al-Aqsa Mosque and build the so-called Temple,' and of imposing a blockade on Gaza for nearly two decades. 'This is an occupier that denies the existence of a Palestinian people,' al-Hayya claimed..."

#### Hamas claims it can't find hostages' bodies

October 27, 2025 israelnationalnews.com reported: "The Hamas terror group is continuing to claim that it is having difficulty locating the bodies of deceased hostages, despite Israeli intelligence assessments indicating that the terror group knows where almost all the bodies are located.

Khalil al-Hayya, a senior Hamas leader, claimed Sunday night to *Al Jazeera* that Hamas had conveyed messages to mediators months ago regarding difficulties in locating the bodies.

'We told the mediators months ago that there are problems in searching for them because Israel has changed the landscape in the Gaza Strip, even in areas where the dead were buried. In some cases, it is no longer known where they were buried. There is American understanding of this issue, and we have made it clear,' he told the news outlet..."

## Russia's Burevestnik: A Nuclear-Powered Missile That Defies Convention

*October27, 2025 spacewar.com* reported: "Russia's latest strategic weapons announcement has reignited debate over one of the most controversial missile programs of the modern era – the 9M730 Burevestnik, known to NATO as the SSC-X-9 'Skyfall.'

Moscow claims its experimental, nuclear-powered cruise missile has achieved a long-duration flight – a feat reminiscent of Cold War-era propulsion experiments that once bordered on science fiction.

On October 21 2025, President Vladimir Putin was reportedly briefed that a Burevestnik missile had completed a 15-hour flight spanning roughly 14 000 kilometers, allegedly powered by a compact onboard nuclear reactor. The announcement coincided with large-scale strategic nuclear exercises and was presented by Russian state media as proof that the weapon has reached an advanced stage of development...

The Burevestnik concept draws directly from Project Pluto, a U.S. program of the 1950s that built and ground-tested miniature nuclear ramjet reactors – the Tory-IIA and Tory-IIC – intended for a Supersonic Low-Altitude Missile (SLAM). Washington abandoned that project in 1964 due to the hazards of radioactive exhaust..."

<u>Venezuela's Maduro says US 'fabricating war' as it deploys world's largest warship</u> <u>October 25, 2025 bbc.com reported:</u> "Venezuela's President Nicolás Maduro has

October 25, 2025 bbc.com reported: "Venezuela's President Nicolas Maduro has accused the US of "fabricating a new war", after it ordered the world's largest warship to be sent to the Caribbean.

The USS Gerald R Ford can carry up to 90 aircraft and its deployment marks a massive increase in US firepower in the region. The US has conducted 10 air strikes on vessels in the area as part of what it says is a war on drug traffickers.

US President Donald Trump has accused Maduro of being the leader of a drug-trafficking organisations, which he denies, and there are fears in Venezuela that the US military build-up is aimed at removing the long-time opponent of Trump from power.



President Nicolas Maduro Venezuela

The US is among many nations that do not recognise Maduro as Venezuela's legitimate leader, after the last election in 2024 was widely dismissed as neither free nor fair. Opposition tallies from polling stations showed its candidate had won by a landslide. Venezuela plays a relatively minor role in the region's drug trade.

The Pentagon said on Friday that the USS Gerald R Ford carrier would deploy to the US Southern Command area of responsibility, which includes Central America and South America, as well as the Caribbean..."