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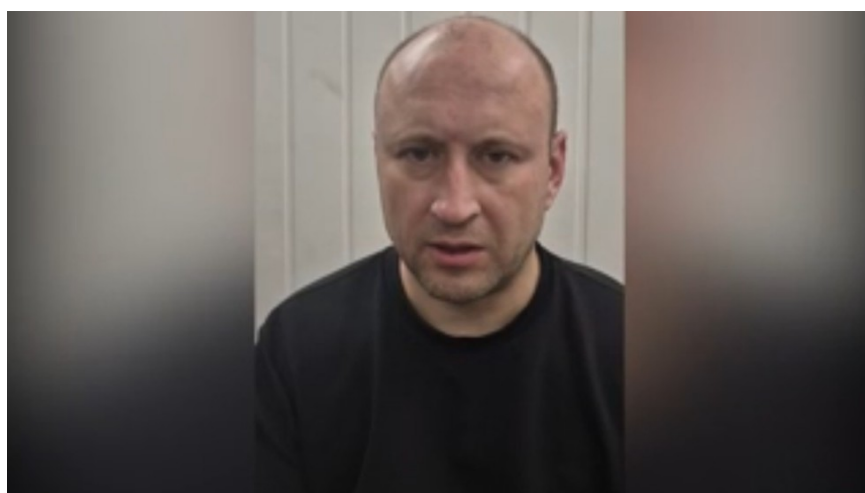
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Ukrainian assassination plot suspects monitored multiple Russian MOD officials – FSB

The agency says it has made a third arrest in connection with an attempt on the life of General Vladimir Alekseyev



Pavel Vasin, the third suspect in the assassination attempt on Russian General Vladimir Alekseyev. © FSB

The suspects in an assassination attempt on Russian General Vladimir Alekseyev had monitored several other high-ranking Defense Ministry officials, the country's Federal Security Service (FSB) has said.

Alekseyev, the first deputy chief of Russia's military intelligence agency GRU, was shot on Friday in the corridor of his apartment building in Moscow.

The prime suspect in the case is 65-year-old Ukrainian-born Russian citizen Lyubomir Korba. He

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was arrested in the United Arab Emirates at Russia's request and transferred to Moscow over the weekend. Kiev has denied any involvement in the attack.

A third suspect in the attempt on Alekseyev's life has been detained, the FSB said in a statement on Tuesday.

The agency identified him as Pavel Vasin, a Russian citizen in his mid-40s and the son of Korba's other alleged accomplice, Viktor Vasin, who had been arrested earlier.

The younger Vasin's confession *"helped identify two more high-ranking officials in the Russian Defense Ministry who had been monitored by Korba and Viktor Vasin on behalf of Ukrainian intelligence, with the aim of carrying out further acts of sabotage and terrorism,"* the statement read.



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According to the FSB, Pavel Vasin purchased surveillance equipment for his father and Korba, while also providing vehicles that they used to surveil Russian Defense Ministry officials and pick up the gun used in the attack on

Alekseyev from a cache.

He also assisted the other suspects in collecting data online about the targets that had been *"selected by the Security Service of Ukraine (SBU),"* it said.

Korba earlier told investigators that he had been recruited by the SBU last August and promised \$30,000 for killing the general.

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hospital in stable condition. He is conscious and is able to talk, TASS reported on Monday, citing medical sources.

Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov said last week that the attack on the general was an attempt by the Ukrainian government to sabotage the peace process.

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Representatives of Moscow, Kiev, and Washington held a second round of trilateral talks in Abu Dhabi aimed at settling the Ukraine conflict last Wednesday and Thursday, with the Russian delegation being headed by Alekseyev’s boss, Admiral Igor Kostyukov, who heads the GRU.

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 **Terry C** 2/10/2026 at 3:30 PM 4

Putin has played well not falling into these NATO traps BUT after these failed assassination attempts it's time to play nasty. Zelensky would be an easy hit actually.

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 **Alex Vidakovic** 2/10/2026 at 6:57 PM ↑ 0

Zelensky could testify and reveal western backers when placed on trial. That would help with the case against western nazis exposing them.

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 **Oscar Miles** 2/10/2026 at 5:49 PM 0

Russia should lift the safety guarantees on Ukraine's junta leaders, They should show that there are 2 that can play this game, only difference is Ukraine's past actions will look like child's play in comparison.

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 **C** 2/10/2026 at 12:56 PM 1

Ukrainians acting like its ww3 while Russia plays softball. I guess they don't care about slavic and orthodox suffering. No wonder Putin is a communist.

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 **Poppadop** 2/10/2026 at 5:37 PM ↑ 0

C, do you understand what playing hardball in a world war looks like? Multiple countries tried to avoid the problem with potential saboteurs running around through internment camps, but if today's

around through internment camps, but if today's Russia did that with Ukrainians, what do you think would happen? Russians have a good reason to delay escalating WW3: They still push the Epstein List elites' narrative of WW2 where the USA and its allies were the «good guys.» Playing hardball with the elites is what the «bad guys» did.

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Loko 2/10/2026 at 5:29 PM

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BREAKING: Rep. Thomas Massie has revealed that the redacted person who sent Jeffrey Epstein a 'torture video' is Emirati billionaire Sultan Ahmad Bin Sulayem

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Pete 2/10/2026 at 4:45 PM

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Mossad, duh. Nobody else even tries to do that.

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eric kavin 2/10/2026 at 2:05 PM

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It is surprise that all high ranking military officials such as Generals are living in civilian life, while in the west specially in the US that at least two highly trained soldiers as their bodyguard, bullet prove Limo and driver all paid by tax payers.

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M Z 2/10/2026 at 3:28 PM ↕

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Because Western countries don't just give out General title to every soldier that is out there with half a brain. Look how many Russian Generals got sent to Ukrainian front to basically die in 2022. Example to look up – General Andrei Sukhovetsky

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Arrien Westhuis 2/10/2026 at 3:06 PM

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This opens up the possibility of Russian recipr9city!

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Philosopher 2/10/2026 at 2:56 PM

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Death by firing squad for these assassins.

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F **Funmi Okus** 2/10/2026 at 2:28 PM

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We told you EVIL IS A FOOL. Just imagine he was offered \$30,000 to kill the Russian General. The general's life is worth more than any \$ money can buy. The terrorist himself is 65years and is likely to spend the rest of his life in prison with his son as well. They will be thinking of the \$30,000 while in prison for the rest of their lives. Honestly EVIL IS A FOOL.

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Coalition of the shilling: The UK can no longer deny it forced Kiev to fight for years

Czech PM Andrej Babis is the latest official to accuse British ex-PM Boris Johnson of insisting that Kiev shouldn't seek peace



Czech Prime Minister Andrej Babis has become the latest addition to a growing chorus of Western officials who are prepared to acknowledge the role Britain and the West played in sabotaging a peace deal between Russia and Ukraine in 2022, the terms of which were