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# Trump accuses BBC of election meddling

## The US president has thanked The Telegraph for exposing their “corrupt” competitors



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US President Donald Trump has accused the BBC of interfering in the 2024 presidential election, claiming the British state-funded broadcaster attempted to manipulate public perception by editing coverage of his January 6, 2021 speech.

BBC Director General Tim Davie and Head of News Deborah Turness announced their resignations on Sunday, amid a scandal over an hour-long documentary, ‘Trump: A Second

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Chance?’, which first aired just a week before last year’s US presidential election.

*“The TOP people in the BBC, including TIM DAVIE, the BOSS, are all quitting/FIRED, because they were caught ‘doctoring’ my very good (PERFECT!) speech of January 6th,”* Trump wrote on Truth Social.

The controversial documentary featured a spliced video of Trump’s speech, combining remarks made nearly an hour apart and juxtaposing them with footage of protesters that was actually filmed before Trump began speaking.

The scandal was triggered by a whistleblower memo from former BBC standards adviser Michael Prescott, which was exposed by The Telegraph last week. The report alleged that senior executives ignored complaints raised by the corporation’s own standards watchdog.

*“Thank you to The Telegraph for exposing these Corrupt ‘Journalists.’ These are very dishonest people who tried to step on the scales of a Presidential Election,”* Trump said.

*“What a terrible thing for Democracy!”* he added, noting that the alleged election meddling came *“from a Foreign Country, one that many consider our Number One Ally.”*



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The BBC is funded through a compulsory license fee of £174.50 (\$229), with the UK government also subsidizing a third of its World Service programming. The White House previously criticized the broadcaster as a *“Leftist propaganda machine”* and *“100 percent fake news,”* accusing it of being *“purposefully dishonest”* in its portrayal of Trump.

The incident is not the first time Trump has



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alleged British interference in the 2024 election. Last October, his campaign filed a complaint with the Federal Election Commission, accusing the UK's Labour Party of aiding the Democrats by sending party operatives to work in key swing states. British officials denied wrongdoing, insisting that the work was legal and unpaid.

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**j james cox** 11/10/2025 at 10:00 AM -1

Trump was not on the ballot in the UK. The BBC is operating in the UK. Hence, there was no election interference.

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**J Jōa** 11/10/2025 at 10:09 AM 0

Ooh, sure!

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**R Ray Dauncey** 11/10/2025 at 10:38 AM 1

Falsifying news is never acceptable

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But you may believe in Russian meddling

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Not really, the BBC needs to be exposed for what it is, a political propaganda machine which I for one do not want to support through my television licence fee.

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**Daniel Christen** 11/10/2025 at 8:49 AM 1

Little Britain is no longer relevant on a global stage.

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**R Ray Dauncey** 11/10/2025 at 10:49 AM 0

I wish Starmer and his tin-pot militarists understood this.

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**Ed Bodi** 11/10/2025 at 8:58 AM 0

President Trump and the U.S. government should sue the BBC for dishonouring the President and meddling in the U.S. elections.

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**F Flavius Silva** 11/10/2025 at 10:32 AM 0

The BBC should sue this orange r e t a r d for interfering in the U.K media.

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**J Jõa** 11/10/2025 at 10:08 AM 1

Medling is the in-thing it seems. Starmer uses little woman in his cabinet because he would not let another man spoil his party. And the way he got in the pound seat is questionable. The same goes for France. They even posted a previous leader to jail to get competition out of poor baby's way. Move all over and you will find many cases.

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But you forget to mention Starmer is also a Zionist as well as a Jew!!

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He's no more than a traitor for his Jewish masters.

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**R Rajendra Paul** 11/10/2025 at 7:26 AM 1

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**M Mario** 11/10/2025 at 10:10 AM ↑ 0

Oh shit yeah,... The BBC studios have well and truly now been sandwiched in between heavily taxpayer subsidised flats and units, predominantly occupied by noble gems. And I am not shít n ya.

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**S SaysTheBronxBoy** 11/10/2025 at 9:59 AM 1

The UK is a Vassal State of Israel.. He is Holding their place in The World by Funding,N Arming The Ukraine . The UK lost their Independence Centuries ago. Technology has let the World know that The Gangsters needed Their own place to Dictate from;(!

Says The BronxBoy

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**C Cleo Pisano** 11/10/2025 at 9:31 AM 0

socalled peace maker a true zionist at heart!

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**P Pat M** 11/10/2025 at 9:26 AM 2

UK state broadcaster BBC has a shameful history of lies and deception on behalf of the