

RE: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Kleibeuker, E.G. (Landelijk Parket Rotterdam) <e.g.kleibeuker@om.nl>

di 7-11-2017 09:34

Aan: 'max vanderwerff' <maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>;

Dear Sir van der Werff,

Thank you for your email. I am afraid that the reply given to you, is the only reaction at this moment: It is an ongoing process.

Kind regards,

Met vriendelijke groet,

Drs. Elsbeth Kleibeuker
Persvoorlichter/woordvoerder

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Van: max vanderwerff [mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com]
Verzonden: dinsdag 7 november 2017 9:19
Aan: Kleibeuker, E.G. (Landelijk Parket Rotterdam)
Onderwerp: Re: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Dear Mrs. Kleibeuker, please reply my previous email.

Best regards,
Max van der Werff

Van: max vanderwerff <maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>
Verzonden: donderdag 2 november 2017 19:07
Aan: e.g.kleibeuker@om.nl
Onderwerp: Re: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Dear Mrs. Kleibeuker,

Your statement confuses me: "We are busy investigating the image and all reactions we received after we published about the image. Therefore we cannot answer the questions as we never do about ongoing processes/investigations."

Your statement consists of two relevant parts:

"We are busy investigating the image...."

plus:

"....and all reactions we received after we published about the image".

Your words "We are busy investigating the image...." can be understood as: JIT does not know the image is authentic and not manipulated.

Besides, JIT seems not sure when and where the image was taken ("probably taken on July 17, 2014 in the town of Makeevka").

<https://www.politie.nl/themas/flight-mh17/witness-appeal-crash-mh17.html>

Since the downing of MH17 more than three years have passed before somebody decided to send an image file to the JIT via an anonimised channel.

Official investigators undoubtedly are aware of the fact that after such a long time there is growing probability some entities with bad intentions leak carefully crafted forgeries.

Please clarify:

Can JIT confirm the image received is authentic and not manipulated or did it publish an image without being sure it is authentic and not manipulated?

Best regards,
Max van der Werff

Van: Kleibeuker, E.G. (Landelijk Parket Rotterdam) <e.g.kleibeuker@om.nl>

Verzonden: donderdag 2 november 2017 16:05

Aan: maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com

Onderwerp: FW: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Dear Sir

Thank you for your email. We are busy investigating the image and all reactions we received after we published about the image. Therefore we cannot answer the questions as we never do about ungoing processes/investigations.

Thank you very much for your understanding.

Kind regards,
Elsbeth Kleibeuker

Press officer Dutch National Prosecutor's Office

Van: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting) <w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl>

Datum: 2 november 2017 om 12:25:53 CET

Aan: Kleibeuker, E.G. (Landelijk Parket Rotterdam) <e.g.kleibeuker@om.nl>

Onderwerp: FW: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Van: max vanderwerff [<mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>]

Verzonden: donderdag 2 november 2017 11:59

Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)

Onderwerp: MH17 - Questions about recently open sourced image of a Buk Telar

Dear Mrs. Kleibeuker and Mr. De Bruin,

Dutch police recently open sourced an image showing a Buk Telar "probably taken on July 17, 2014 in the town of Makeevka, Ukraine".

<https://www.politie.nl/themas/flight-mh17/witness-appeal-crash-mh17.html>

Fox news reported: Elsbeth Kleibeuker, a spokeswoman for the Dutch National Prosecution Office, said Thursday the photo of the missile was recently received by investigators via a website to which members of the public can anonymously post evidence. Kleibeuker says: "We believe this is the Buk that downed flight MH17."

<http://www.foxnews.com/world/2017/10/19/mh17-investigators-appeal-for-information-about-buk-photo.html>

- 1) Can JIT confirm the image received is authentic and not manipulated?
- 2) Did JIT establish the identity of the photographer?
- 3) Did JIT establish the image was taken July 17th 2014?
- 4) In which resolution JIT received this image?
- 5) Online versions have 400x400 and 768x768 resolutions. It seems the image was cropped. Is that correct? If so, was it cropped by JIT?
- 6) Did JIT receive original and complete metadata of the image?
- 7) Does JIT believe (presume) this is the Buk that downed flight MH17 or does JIT know for sure?

Best regards,
Max van der Werff

Van: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting) <w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl>

Verzonden: vrijdag 7 oktober 2016 11:16

Aan: 'max vanderwerff'

Onderwerp: RE: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. Van der Werff,

Regarding your question the JIT will contact you for further information.

With kind regards,

Wim de Bruin

Van: max vanderwerff [<mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>]

Verzonden: vrijdag 7 oktober 2016 8:31

Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)

CC: Joostr Niemöller

Onderwerp: Re: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

For the third time I'm asking you to clarify this issue:

The information that was published last week at the meeting with the media did not contain a statement the presented image is authentic and shows the Buk plume of the missile that downed MH17.

If I'm correct, please confirm.
If I am wrong, please correct me.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen, Best regards, Met vriendelijke groet,
Max van der Werff

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Max van der Werff

Van: max vanderwerff <maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>
Verzonden: woensdag 5 oktober 2016 18:22
Aan: w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl
Onderwerp: Re: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

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If I'm correct, please confirm.
If I am wrong, please correct me.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen, Best regards, Met vriendelijke groet,
Max van der Werff

Van: max vanderwerff <maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>
Verzonden: dinsdag 4 oktober 2016 15:11
Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)
Onderwerp: Re: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

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If I'm correct, please confirm.
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Mit freundlichen Gr????en, Best regards, Met vriendelijke groet,
Max van der Werff

Van: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting) <w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl>

Verzonden: dinsdag 4 oktober 2016 14:56

Aan: 'max vanderwerff'

Onderwerp: RE: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. Van der Werff,

I have to refer you to the information that was published last week at the meeting with the media.

<https://www.om.nl/onderwerpen/mh17-vliegramp/presentaties/presentation-joint/>

[Presentation preliminary results criminal investigation MH17 28-09-2016](#)

www.om.nl

Today, the Joint Investigation Team (JIT) presents the first results of the criminal investigation into the downing of flight MH17 on 17 July 2014. In the JIT Australia, Belgium, Malaysia, the Netherlands and Ukraine are working together.

With kind regards,

Wim de Bruin

Van: max vanderwerff [<mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>]

Verzonden: dinsdag 4 oktober 2016 11:39

Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)

CC: Joostr Niemöller

Onderwerp: Re: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

What I want to know:

- Does JIT just claim NFI could not find any manipulations in the presented picture or does JIT claim this presented picture is authentic and shows the Buk plume of the missile that downed MH17?

The difference between both claims is significant as I explained here <http://kremlintroll.nl/?p=348>

Please clarify

[MH17 – 'Buk plume' burns witness](#)

kremlintroll.nl

July 26, 2015. Русская версия. Digitally altered image posted within 3 hours after MH17 crashed. More than a year has passed since Malaysian flight MH17 ...



Mit freundlichen Grüßen, Best regards, Met vriendelijke groet,
Max van der Werff

Van: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting) <w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl>
Verzonden: dinsdag 4 oktober 2016 11:29
Aan: 'max vanderwerff'
Onderwerp: RE: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. Van der Werff,

This seems to be the same picture.

Kind regards, Wim de Bruin

Van: max vanderwerff [<mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>]
Verzonden: maandag 3 oktober 2016 20:24
Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)
CC: Joostr Niemöller
Onderwerp: 2 RE: Question about claims and evidence MH17

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

During the press conference September 28th a JIT spokesperson said NFI did not find any manipulations in the shown smoke plume picture.

Does JIT confirm this image shows the smoke plume of the Buk missile that downed MH17?

Mit freundlichen Grüßen, Best regards, Met vriendelijke groet,
Max van der Werff

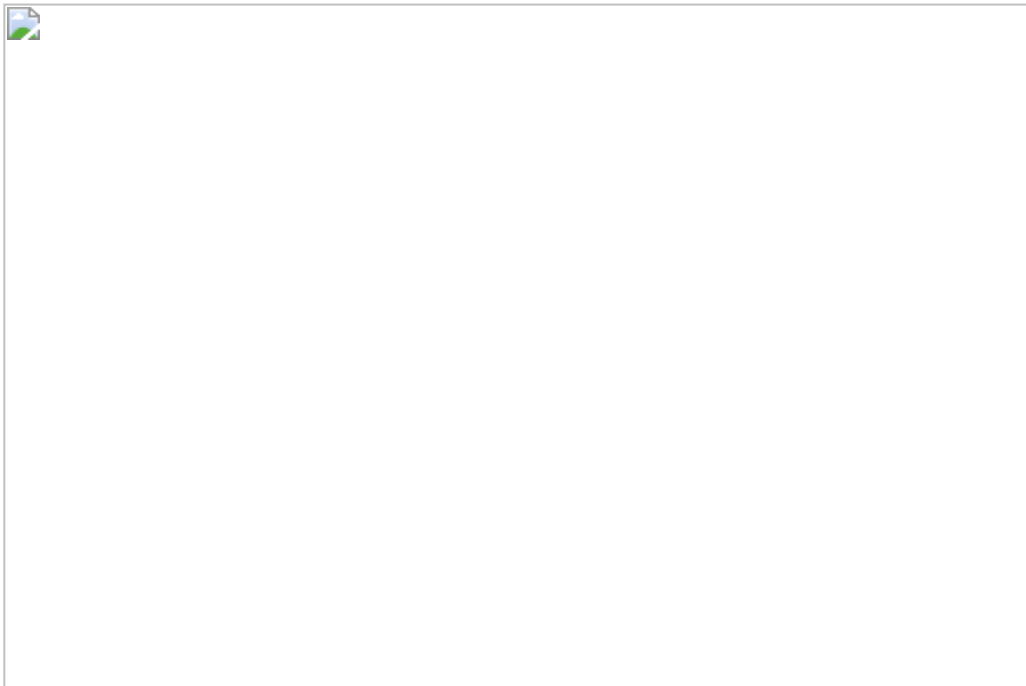
From: maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com
To: w.j.de.bruin@om.nl
Subject: Question about claims and evidence MH17
Date: Sat, 1 Oct 2016 23:33:20 +0200
Dear Mr. De Bruin,

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Does JIT confirm this image shows the smoke plume of the Buk missile that downed MH17?

Best regards,
Max van der Werff



From: w.j.de.Bruin@om.nl
To: maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com
Subject: RE: 2 Questions about claims and evidence
Date: Fri, 8 Jan 2016 13:31:42 +0000
Dear Mr. Van der Werff,

The JIT will study all the information that might be relevant tot the investigation.

Due to the confidential character of the criminal investigation I can' t give you a more detailed answer.

Kind regards, Wim de Bruin

Van: max vanderwerff [<mailto:maxvanderwerff@hotmail.com>]
Verzonden: vrijdag 8 januari 2016 12:43
Aan: Bruin, W. de (Landelijk Parket Persvoorlichting)
Onderwerp: 2 Questions about claims and evidence

Subject: Bellingcat

Dear Mr. De Bruin,

"Dutch prosecutors said they would "seriously study" claims by citizen journalists....."

Source: <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/wires/afp/article-3383087/Dutch-investigators-study-citizen-journalism-probe-MH17.html>

- 1) Does the Dutch prosecution seriously study all claims published by civil journalists?
- 2) Does the Dutch prosecution seriously study the claims published by civil journalists that JIT-member Ukraine falsified evidence related to MH17? Example: <http://kremlintroll.nl/?p=605>

Best regards,
Max van der Werff

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