Roland Rance posted to Kevin Ovenden

17 hours ago

Do you have anything to say about this, Kevin? "Great weekend: Anniversary of Bradford Spring and our wedding, hung out with Gilad Atzmon and Julian Assange. Two of the world's greatest.": https://twitter.com/georgegalloway/status/31844827902732288

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- Kevin Ovenden Not really. But judging by the date I imagine it to be an April Fool that rather a lot of people got taken in by. 17 hours ago via mobile · Like
- Roland Rance 'Fraid not; look at his replies to critical comments. 17 hours ago · Like
- Kevin Ovenden I can't see many on that thread. 17 hours ago via mobile · Like
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- Roland Rance Kevin Ovenden: There don't need to be many replies to show that this is genuine, and that Galloway considers Atzmon to be "one of the world's greatest". And Atzmon has tweeted confirming this.
- If it's untrue, when can we expect a retraction from Galloway? 17 hours ago Edited Like 2
- Kevin Ovenden Best to find out if genuine, before rushing

to judgment, in my view. An MO we could do with more of on the diminished ranks of the British left. 17 hours ago via mobile · Like

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Roland Rance Kevin Ovenden:

• So please find out if this is true or a hoax, Kevin. You are better placed to do so than I am. 4 hours ago · Edited · Like · 2

<u>Kevin Ovenden</u> Well, Roland. If that's your assessment, you'll have to ask him. It's not my responsibility. Have you asked him? 17 hours ago via mobile · <u>Like</u>

Kevin Ovenden There's nothing stopping you asking,
Roland. And I really find this kind of public appeal, when you
could find out directly and privately, an unhelpful way of
dealing with things. Ask him. 17 hours ago via mobile · Like ·

 Roland Rance I have seen the abuse he has thrown at others who question this, and have no desire to be the target. So long as this remains on GG's Twitter page, with comments from him and Atzmon confirming it, I see no need to doubt its veracity.

 \bullet I repeat, do you have any (political) comment on this? 17 hours ago \cdot Like \cdot 1

• Kevin Ovenden I have no comment on something the status of which is uncertain - to me at any rate. Roland - just ask him or his office. It's you who is exercised about this. Be responsible, in every meaning of the term. 17 hours ago via

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- Roland Rance The status is not uncertain. GG posted this, Atzmon confirmed, GG replied to several comments, here and in other threads, confirming it. Why are you in denial? Can't defend the indefensible? 17 hours ago · Like · 1
- Kevin Ovenden It is uncertain to me. I will, in due course, investigate. In the meantime, your issue is with George Galloway. Take it up with him. It really isn't acceptable for you to say you are scared to do that and so come on to my wall to seek the opinion of someone who is not responsible for the thing you are complaining about. Contact his office. Ring the House of Commons and they will put you through. 17 hours ago via mobile · Like