

American school teacher Marc Fogel released from prison in Russia

WASHINGTON — American school teacher Marc Fogel has been released by Russia after more than three years in custody, following an arrest for medical marijuana possession, as part of an agreement between Washington and Moscow that the U.S. said came about a result of negotiations to end the war in Ukraine.

The White House said Tuesday afternoon that Fogel was leaving Russian airspace with President Donald Trump's special envoy to the Middle East Steve Witkoff and would be back on American soil by the end of the day.

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