

Israeli officers won't face criminal charges over killing of Omar Assad

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Omar Assad died of a stress-induced heart attack after being bound and gagged and held in a cold construction site by the Israeli soldiers who detained Assad at a checkpoint while he drove home.

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