Prince Albert: Corruption claims are plot to destroy Monaco

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Prince Albert has been the subject of much speculation over his marriage and his close associates THE MEGA AGENCY

Prince Albert of Monaco has claimed that a shadowy group is seeking to undermine his tiny, ultra-rich country with bogus corruption allegations against four prominent figures.

The ruler of the Mediterranean principality made the claims as he tried to counter accusations that his reign had been contaminated by sleaze linked to property developments, such as the 170m Odeon Tower, which includes a 3,300 sq m penthouse, that sold for a reported €300 million in 2020.

The prince's intervention was designed to curb the fallout from what his supporters view as a sophisticated and well-funded plan to discredit him by attacking some of his closest allies.

It comes as the prince, 64, faces political and personal difficulties. In January he changed his five most senior advisers,

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