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British PM was on holiday in Spain when Trump threatened to obliterate Iran

Palma.—Sir Keir Starmer was on an Easter holiday in Spain with his family when Donald Trump threatened to “obliterate the entire civilisation” of Iran last weekend, according to British media reports.

It is unclear what part of Spain Sir Keir and his family visited but he did enjoy a holiday in Soller before he became Prime Minister. The question many are asking is whether he returned to Soller last week for his Easter break?

The Prime Minister only returned on

Tuesday evening, arriving on a commercial flight while the world awaited Trump’s decision as to whether to follow through on threats to send Iran back to the “Stone Age”.

He then departed Stansted Airport shortly after 8am on Wednesday, embarking on a three-day diplomatic mission to the Gulf.

The trip, which had been in preparation for weeks, was only confirmed after Mr Trump announced a ceasefire via social media just before midnight on Tuesday.



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A sobering thought!

Palma.—Apple Maps has sparked an outcry after listing the tourist hotspot of s’Arenal, in Playa de Palma, under the unusual name **Betrunkene** – German for ‘Drunks’! The name appears over the area surrounding several popular local bars and is also reflected in Apple’s weather app. Some businesses owners have accused the U.S. giant of extracting the urine.

The name has baffled users with many thinking that they had one too many.

Apple usually requires a verification process to approve changes to location names. It remains unclear how the unusual designation made its way into the company’s mapping system, according to reports from German broadcaster *Tagesschau*. By contrast, Google Maps lists

the same area as Platja dels Borratxos (*Beach of the Drunks*) and a nearby street as Carrer dels Alemanys Borratxos (*Street of the Drunken Germans*).

While Google allows users to add or edit locations with relative ease, Apple’s system is far more restrictive.

Experts say that for an entire neighbourhood to appear under the name **Betrunkene**, it would

normally require official validation from the Cupertino-based company.

Apple has yet to comment on the origins of the designation. Google Maps, meanwhile, features other colourful names in the Playa de Palma area.

These include **Balconing Street**, which runs between s’Arenal and the nearby coastline.