

ABC News settles defamation suit with \$15 million Trump donation

The image shows the ABC News logo, which consists of the letters "ABC" in a large, bold, white sans-serif font, followed by the word "NEWS" in a smaller, bold, white sans-serif font. To the right of the "ABC" letters is a black circle containing the lowercase letters "abc" in white. The entire logo is set against a solid blue background.

New York, December 17 (RHC)-- ABC News, which is owned by Disney, has agreed to donate \$15 million to Trump's presidential library to settle a defamation suit filed by the president-elect.

Trump sued the network after ABC anchor George Stephanopoulos said Trump was found "liable for rape" in a 2023 civil case in Manhattan brought by writer E. Jean Carroll.

ABC has been widely criticized for agreeing to settle instead of going to court to fight what many believed to be a winnable case.

The Democratic elections attorney Marc Elias responded to the settlement by writing: “Knee bent. Ring kissed. Another legacy news outlet chooses obedience.”

The New York Times is reporting Trump and his allies are threatening to file more defamation lawsuits in an attempt to crack down on unfavorable media coverage... and, at the same time, earn a few extra million.

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