



Black Men File Lawsuit Against American Airlines for Alleged Racial Discrimination

Description

Three men have filed a lawsuit against American Airlines, accusing the airline of racial discrimination. The men, Alvin Jackson, Emmanuel Jean Joseph, and Xavier Veal, along with five other Black passengers, were removed from a flight after a complaint about body odor. The lawsuit claims that the men were not seated together and did not know each other, and were removed from the flight solely based on their race.

American Airlines is currently investigating the allegations raised in the lawsuit. The lawsuit states that the men were told they had offensive body odor, but none of the plaintiffs were specifically accused of this. The men were eventually allowed to reboard the flight after experiencing a traumatic and humiliating ordeal.

This is not the first time American Airlines has faced accusations of racial discrimination. The lawsuit mentions previous incidents involving the airline targeting Black passengers. American Airlines has since implemented bias training and reviewed its complaint system following previous incidents.

In response to the lawsuit, an American Airlines spokesperson stated that they take all claims of discrimination seriously and are committed to providing a positive experience for their customers.

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Vocabulary List:

1. **Lawsuit** // (noun): A civil action brought in court.
2. **Racial discrimination** // (noun): Treating someone differently based on their race.
3. **Complaint** // (noun): An expression of dissatisfaction or annoyance.
4. **Allegation** // (noun): A claim or assertion that someone has done something wrong or illegal.
5. **Traumatic** // (adjective): Causing severe emotional distress or suffering.
6. **Humiliating** // (adjective): Causing someone to feel ashamed or foolish.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which term refers to events happening one after the other without interruption?
Option: Consecutive
Option: Influence
Option: Anticipation
Option: Threshold
2. Which term is used when someone makes a statement without providing proof?
Option: Manipulating
Option: Lawsuit
Option: Allegation
Option: Relocation
3. Which term refers to an attitude thought or judgment?
Option: Surge
Option: Optimistic
Option: Sentiment
Option: Participant
4. Which word describes an event causing severe emotional distress?
Option: Racial discrimination
Option: Complaint
Option: Traumatic
Option: Humiliating



5. Which term means resolved or concluded?

- Option: Settled
- Option: Alternative
- Option: Short Squeeze
- Option: Screenshot

6. Which term refers to the capacity to have an effect on the character development or behavior of someone or something?

- Option: Influence
- Option: Anticipation
- Option: Contraception
- Option: Threshold

7. What is the term for trading in the stock exchange based on confidential information?

- Option: Investor
- Option: Insider trading
- Option: Uncertainty
- Option: Dominating

8. Which term describes a significant development or discovery?

- Option: Breakthrough
- Option: Contraception
- Option: Surge
- Option: Violation

9. What term describes the action of moving to a new place or position?

- Option: Participants
- Option: Threshold
- Option: Relocation
- Option: Consecutive

10. Which word describes information that is intended to be kept secret or private?

- Option: Alternative
- Option: Confidential
- Option: Anticipation
- Option: Lawsuit

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. _____ can lead to hesitation and indecision.

12. A _____ occurs when a heavily shorted stock moves sharply higher forcing traders to



buy it to avoid further losses.

13. If you have a _____ you should report it to the relevant authorities.

14. In some sports a team can be so strong that it becomes _____ .

15. There was a sudden _____ in the number of visitors to the website after the new feature was launched.

16. The audience waited in eager _____ for the announcement of the winner.

17. Our environment _____ our behavior more than we realize.

18. Some people have a low _____ for pain while others can tolerate much more.

19. Accusations of _____ market prices can lead to serious consequences.

20. The plaintiff _____ that the defendant breached the contract.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)



21. A legal action started by a plaintiff against a defendant based on a complaint.
22. Unfair treatment based on race that may occur in various settings.
23. Causing someone to feel ashamed or foolish.
24. An option or choice that can be substituted for another.
25. Someone who takes part in an event or activity.
26. Methods or devices used to prevent pregnancy.
27. Someone who takes part in an event or activity.
28. The level at which something begins to have an effect or the minimum required.
29. Having control or power over others.
30. To initiate legal proceedings against someone.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Consecutive 2. Allegation 3. Sentiment 4. Traumatic 5. Settled 6. Influence 7. Insider trading 8. Breakthrough 9. Relocation 10. Confidential

Gap-Fill: 11. Uncertainty 12. Short Squeeze 13. Complaint 14. Dominating 15. Surge 16. Anticipation 17. Influences 18. Threshold 19. Manipulating 20. Alleges

Matching sentence: 1. Lawsuit 2. Racial discrimination 3. Humiliating 4. Alternative 5. Participant 6. Contraception 7. Participant 8. Threshold 9. Dominating 10. Sue

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