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Delta Airlines seeks \$500 million in damages from CrowdStrike.

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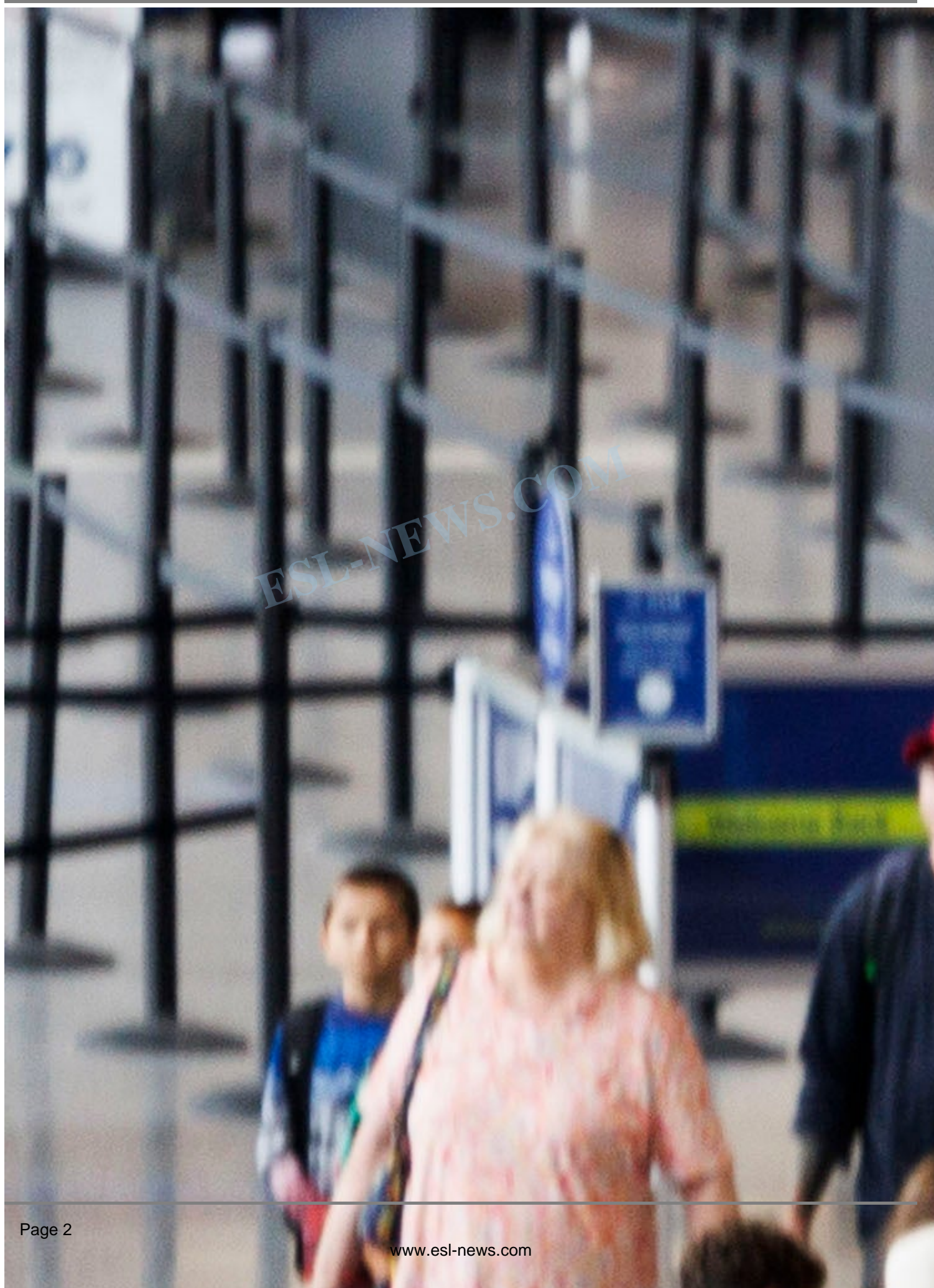


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Delta Air Lines is suing CrowdStrike after its security software failed in July, causing 7,000 canceled flights and stranded passengers worldwide. Delta claims a \$380 million loss and \$170 million in extra costs due to the outage.

CrowdStrike provides security software for companies, government agencies, and airlines like Delta. The lawsuit states that CrowdStrike's update caused a global issue, despite Delta disabling automatic updates.





Delta CEO Ed Bastian wants full compensation for the chaos caused. CrowdStrike CEO George Kurtz apologized, but Delta claims are called "misinformation" by the company.

CrowdStrike's lawyer believes their liability should be less than \$10 million and questions why Delta struggled while other airlines recovered faster from the issue.

## Vocabulary List:

1. **Lawsuit** /'lɔ:su:t/ (noun): A legal case brought before a court.
2. **Compensation** /,kɒmpən'seɪʃən/ (noun): Something typically money awarded to someone in recognition of loss or suffering.
3. **Stranded** /'strænd.ɪd/ (adjective): Left in a difficult or impossible situation.
4. **Outage** /'aʊ.tɪdʒ/ (noun): A period when a service is not available especially referring to utilities or technology.
5. **Apologized** /ə'pɒl.ə.dʒaɪzd/ (verb): Expressed regret for something that one has done wrong.
6. **Misinformation** /,mɪs.ɪn.fɔ:'meɪ.ʃən/ (noun): False or misleading information.

## Vocabulary quizzes

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

1. What legal action may be taken to seek compensation for damages?

- Option: Negotiation
- Option: Lawsuit
- Option: Diligence
- Option: Transition

2. What field does the term "Artificial" relate to?

- Option: Entrepreneurs
- Option: Generation
- Option: Technology
- Option: Valuation

3. What is crucial for success and avoiding confusion?

- Option: Detection
- Option: Preparation
- Option: Misinformation
- Option: Unexpected

4. Which characteristic is important for building a good reputation?



- Option: Environment
- Option: Creative
- Option: Reliable
- Option: Support

5. What process is needed to confirm authenticity?

- Option: Unauthorized
- Option: Eager
- Option: Verify
- Option: Organized

6. Which situation may occur due to an unexpected outage?

- Option: Stranded
- Option: Apologized
- Option: Integrity
- Option: Confusion

7. Individuals who start businesses and take risks are known as:

- Option: Reputation
- Option: Entrepreneurs
- Option: Support
- Option: Eager

8. What can lead to confusion and damage reputation?

- Option: Valuation
- Option: Negotiation
- Option: Diligence
- Option: Misinformation

9. What is considered during a diligent inspection?

- Option: Valued
- Option: Detect
- Option: Transition
- Option: Artificial

10. What might be done after causing confusion due to misinformation?

- Option: Inspection
- Option: Reliable
- Option: Apologized
- Option: Eager



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

11. \_\_\_\_\_ is essential to uncover unauthorized activities.
12. Smooth \_\_\_\_\_ is crucial in maintaining operational efficiency.
13. Creating a sustainable \_\_\_\_\_ benefits both businesses and society.
14. Operating with honesty and \_\_\_\_\_ enhances trust with stakeholders.
15. Skillful \_\_\_\_\_ can lead to mutually beneficial agreements.
16. Being \_\_\_\_\_ to learn and adapt is vital in a fast-changing world.
17. Maintaining a positive \_\_\_\_\_ requires consistent effort.
18. Innovation and \_\_\_\_\_ thinking drive progress in various industries.
19. Providing adequate \_\_\_\_\_ helps individuals and organizations thrive.
20. Dealing with \_\_\_\_\_ challenges requires flexibility and quick responses.

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

21. Good project managers are always well-, ensuring tasks are completed efficiently.
22. When a company is found at fault, it may need to provide financial to affected parties.
23. A thorough is necessary before making investment decisions to minimize risks.
24. Handling complex situations requires a touch to avoid aggravating the issue.
25. After the error was discovered, the company publicly for the inconvenience caused.
26. Efficient organizations are always well-, allowing them to respond quickly to challenges.
27. A process of is necessary to ensure the accuracy and legitimacy of information.
28. Each of technology brings new possibilities and advancements.



29. Having a source of information is crucial for making informed decisions.

30. Clear communication helps prevent and misunderstandings in the workplace.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Lawsuit 2. Technology 3. Preparation 4. Reliable 5. Verify 6. Stranded 7. Entrepreneurs  
8. Misinformation 9. Valued 10. Apologized

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Detection 12. Transition 13. Environment 14. Integrity 15. Negotiation 16. Eager 17. Reputation  
18. Creative 19. Support 20. Unexpected

**Matching sentence:** 1. organized 2. compensation 3. evaluation 4. delicate 5. apologized 6. prepared  
7. verification 8. generation 9. reliable 10. confusion

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