

# 'Jailed Diddy' Faces 11th Accuser as Trial Looms

### Description

Hip-hop star Sean "Diddy" Combs is in trouble with the law. He is in custody waiting for his trial. The charges against him are very serious. They include racketeering and sex trafficking. If he is found guilty, he could go to jail for life.

Combs' arrest came after several people accused him of sexual assault and violence. One of them is Thalia Graves. She says Combs and his bodyguard hurt her in 2001. They also filmed the incident.

Combs denies doing anything wrong. His lawyers say he is not afraid of the charges. They tried to get him out of jail until the trial but failed. Combs could face between 15 years and life in jail if he is found guilty.

The case is complex with many parts. Combs's legal team continues to fight the charges. They assert he is innocent until proven guilty. Right now, many people are waiting to see what will happen next.

## **Vocabulary List:**

- NEWS.COT 1. Racketeering /,ræk.i'tir.in/ (noun): The crime of conducting or engaging in illegal business activities.
- 2. Custody /'kʌs.tə.di/ (noun): The protective care or guardianship of someone or something.
- 3. Assert /a's3:rt/ (verb): To state a fact or belief confidently and forcefully.
- 4. Guilty /'gIl.ti/ (adjective): Having committed an offense or crime.
- 5. Violence /'vaɪə.ləns/ (noun): Behavior involving physical force intended to hurt damage or kill.
- 6. Incident /'In.sI.dant/ (noun): An event or occurrence particularly one that is unusual or noteworthy.

## Vocabulary quizzes

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

- 1. What is a person's overall quality or character as seen or judged by people in general?
  - **Option:** Personality **Option: Reputation Option: Success Option: Wealth**
- 2. Which term refers to pretending to be someone else in order to deceive others? **Option:** Confusion





**Option: Impersonation Option: Respect Option:** Accurate

3. What is a person who has committed a crime known as?

**Option: Innocent Option: Guilty Option: Victim Option: Witness** 

- 4. Which term refers to the first public performance or showing of a movie play or something similar?
  - **Option:** Finale **Option: Encore Option: Premiere Option: Debut**
- 5. What does the term "violence" refer to?

**Option: Kindness Option:** Compassion **Option:** Peace **Option: Violence** 

NEWS.COM 6. What is the characteristic that distinguishes living things from non-living things?

**Option:** Consciousness **Option: Movement** Option: Life Option: Growth

- 7. What are expressions of displeasure or annoyance about something?
  - **Option:** Appreciation **Option:** Complaints **Option:** Apologies **Option:** Gratitude
- 8. Which term refers to an unexpected or astonishing event fact or thing?

**Option: Prediction Option:** Anticipation **Option:** Surprise **Option: Expectation** 

9. What does the term "meaning" refer to?

**Option:** Purpose **Option: Random** 



Option: Meaning Option: Chaotic

10. What is a feeling of deep admiration for someone or something elicited by their abilities qualities or achievements?

Option: Disrespect Option: Neglect Option: Criticism Option: Respect

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

11. What is the between a crocodile and an alligator?
12. Mary was about her upcoming trip to Paris.
13. The teacher marked the answer as on the test.
14. I think you are The meeting is tomorrow not today.
15. The diamond on her finger was in the sunlight.
16. She was for the prestigious award.
17. Your assumption is The situation is not as you think.
18. The criminal organization was charged with activities.
19. The mother was granted full of her children after the divorce.
20. The protest turned into a night of with clashes between the two groups.
Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )
21. The abandoned house had a sinister and eerie feeling making it unsettling to explore.
22. The political party launched an extensive publicity to attract more voters.
23. The magic show left the audience in complete as the magician made the elephant disappear.
24. During the negotiation the union leader had to the demands of the workers strongly.



25. Realizing his mistake John to his friend for his inappropriate behavior.

26. Being involved in can be quite challenging as it involves complex decision-making and interactions.

27. The student provided an answer to the mathematical problem.

28. She felt uneasy knowing that she was being by a stranger on her way home.

29. The court found him of the crime and sentenced him to prison.

30. It is important for journalists to provide information to the public.

### Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Reputation 2. Impersonation 3. Guilty 4. Premiere 5. Violence 6. Life 7. Complaints 8. Surprise 9. Meaning 10. Respect

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Difference 12. Excited 13. Incorrect 14. Mistaken 15. Sparkling 16. Nominated 17. Incorrect 18. Racketeering 19. Custody 20. Violence

Matching sentence: 1. Creepy 2. Campaign 3. Astonishment 4. Assert 5. Apologized 6. Politics 7. Incorrect 8. Stalked 9. Guilty 10. Accurate

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