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I am the editor of Public Record Media, a non-profit based in St. Paul, MN, that makes requests for public data on the local, state and federal level. We publish the data -- and the stories we write off of the data -- on our website, www.publicrecordmedia.org.

We were interested in a lawsuit that goes back to 2020 that involved WJFW-TV being sued by the Trump campaign over the airing of a political ad put together by Priorities Action USA.

The lawsuit was dismissed, and we've reviewed the court filings in the case. But we were interested in getting some additional information:

- Does WJFW know how many stations across the country aired the ad during the 2020 campaign?
- Does WJFW know if the Trump campaign filed lawsuits against other media outlets (TV stations) that aired the ad?
- If the lawsuit against your station was the only lawsuit, does WJFW have any insight as to why the Trump campaign targeted your TV station?

Thanks in advance for your time.

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