

Appeals court upholds \$5m award in sex abuse verdict against Trump

A three-judge panel rejected prez-elect's claim that trial court had made multiple errors

NEW YORK



E Jean Carroll

A federal appeals court on Monday upheld a jury's finding in a civil case that Donald Trump sexually abused a columnist in an upscale department store dressing room in the mid-1990s.

The judge also had allowed the jury to view the infamous "Access Hollywood" tape in which Trump boasted in 2005 about grabbing women's genitals because when someone is a star, "you can do anything."

publicly in a memoir. In its ruling, a three-judge panel of the appeals court rejected claims by Trump's lawyers that trial Judge Lewis A Kaplan had made multiple decisions that spoiled the trial, including his decision to allow two other women who had accused Trump of sexually abusing them to testify.

appealed. Roberta Kaplan, a lawyer who represented Carroll during the trial and is not related to the judge, said in a statement: "Both E Jean Carroll and I are gratified by today's decision. We thank the Second Circuit for its careful consideration of the parties' arguments."

SUBMARINER WHO TURNED COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

PLAINS

NEWLY married and sworn as a Naval officer, Jimmy Carter left his tiny hometown in 1946 hoping to climb the ranks and see the world.



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They are in their day, Carter biographer Jonathan Alter said. "We should judge them by how they changed the country and the world for the better."

hostages home from Tehran. He won widespread admiration instead for The Carter Centre which has advocated for public health, human rights and democracy since 1982 and the many years he and Rosalynn swung hammers with Habitat for Humanity.

Officials seek to detain Yoon for evading questioning

SEOUL

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US announces \$2.5 bn aid to Ukraine

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De facto Syrian leader says polls after four years, plans to dissolve HTS

BEIRUT

SYRIA's de facto leader said on Sunday it could take up to four years to hold elections in Syria, and that he plans to dissolve his Islamist group that led the country's insurgency at an anticipated national dialogue summit for the country.

forces to hold political dialogue and rewrite the country's constitution following five decades of the Assad dynasty's dictatorial rule. Also, the war-torn country's battered infrastructure needs to be reconstructed, he said.

Al-Sharaa is Syria's de facto leader until March 1, when Syria's different factions are set to hold a political dialogue to determine the country's political future and establish a transitional government that brings the divided country together.

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Seoul to inspect all 737-800 aircraft as it searches for clues

SEOUL

SOUTH Korean officials said on Monday they will conduct safety inspections of all Boeing 737-800 aircraft operated by the country's airlines, as they struggle to determine what caused a plane crash that killed 179 people a day earlier.

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