

Title VI Lawsuits and Investigations Database Code Book

Lawsuits and government investigations related to Middle East-related Title VI complaints

Agency Investigations

Column	Description
Investigation	Unique record identifier
Target Institution	University or college recipient
Complainant Type	Individual/group category bringing complaint (students, faculty, etc.)
Type(s) of Discrimination	Alleged discrimination type (antisemitism, anti-Palestinian/Arab/Muslim)
Counsel or Org Complainant/Filing	Lawyer or organization(s) representing complainant(s)
Notable Complainants	Individual or group bringing multiple complaints
Date of Complaint	Date on complaint letter
Complaint Letter	Copy of complaint letter
Agency	Government agency to which complaint is addressed
Opened Investigation?	Checked if investigation is known to be opened
Date of Investigation	Date investigation opened
Case Number	Internal case number assigned by investigating agency
Outcome Letter	Formal notification sent detailing findings of investigation
Outcome Agreement	Legally binding contract between investigating agency and educational institution

Outcome Date Date of outcome letter outlining steps institution agrees to take to resolve allegations of violations

Related Lawsuit Lawsuit stemming from complaint

IHRA Adoption Post-Resolution Checked if International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance antisemitism definition adopted by institution after, sometimes as part of, complaint resolution

Notes/Observations/Links Additional information, notes about unclear information
Incident count number for generating visualizations

Lawsuits

Column **Description**

Lawsuit Caption name of lawsuit

Judge Last name, First name, M.I. of presiding judge

Status Status of court case (active, dismissed, on appeal, settled)

Judicial Opinions Copy of major judicial opinions in the case

Letters Letters related to the case (such as complaint letter in related administrative investigation)

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Appeal Appeal of motion or decision

Appeal Ruling Final decision of an appeal

Settlement Publicly available information about settlement reached between plaintiff(s) and defendant(s)

Notes

Notable information about the case

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