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**LORAIN COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO**

**TOM ORLANDO, Clerk  
JOURNAL ENTRY  
John R. Miraldi, Judge**

Date 6/27/19

Case No. 17CV193761

GIBSON BROS INC  
Plaintiff

JACQUELINE BOLLAS CALDWELL  
Plaintiff's Attorney (-)

VS

OBERLIN COLLEGE  
Defendant

JOSH M MANDEL  
Defendant's Attorney (-)

**JUDGMENT ENTRY**

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 2315.18 (Compensatory Damages in Tort Actions) and Ohio Revised Code Section 2315.21 (Punitive or Exemplary Damages) the Court hereby reduces the jury's verdicts to judgment as follows:

On June 6, 2019, the parties stipulated and agreed that Oberlin College would be vicariously, jointly, and severally liable for any verdict or judgment rendered against Meredith Raimondo, regardless of whether a separate verdict or judgment was entered against Oberlin College.

On June 7, 2019, the jury returned a compensatory damages verdict in favor of David R. Gibson in the amount of \$5,800,000.00, which included \$4,000,000.00 in non-economic damages and \$1,800,000.00 in economic damages. The jury completed an interrogatory further specifying that \$4,800,000.00 of the \$5,800,000.00 was awarded to David R. Gibson and against Oberlin College and Meredith Raimondo on the libel claim, and that the remaining \$1,000,000.00 was awarded to David R. Gibson and against Oberlin College on the intentional infliction of emotional distress claim. On June 13, 2019, the jury returned a punitive damages verdict in favor of David R. Gibson in the amount of \$17,500,000.00.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that:

Judgment is hereby rendered against Defendants and in favor of David R. Gibson for compensatory damages for economic loss in the amount of \$1,800,000.00.





Judgment is hereby rendered against Defendants in favor of David R. Gibson for compensatory damages for noneconomic loss in the amount of \$600,000.00. (\$350,000.00 on the libel claim and \$250,000.00 on the intentional infliction of emotional distress claim)

Judgment is hereby rendered against Defendants and in favor of David R. Gibson for punitive damages in the amount of \$11,600,000.00 (two times the amount the jury awarded to the plaintiff for compensatory damages in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 2315.21).

TOTAL DAMAGES FOR DAVID R. GIBSON: \$14,000,000.00

On June 7, 2019, the jury returned a compensatory damages verdict in favor of Allyn W. Gibson in the amount of \$3,000,000.00 in non-economic damages and \$0.00 in economic damages. The jury completed an interrogatory further specifying that \$2,000,000.00 of the \$3,000,000.00 was awarded to Allyn W. Gibson and against Oberlin College and Meredith Raimondo on the libel claim, and that the remaining \$1,000,000.00 was awarded to Allyn W. Gibson and against Oberlin College on the intentional infliction of emotional distress claim.

One June 13, 2019, the jury returned a punitive damages verdict in favor of Allyn W. Gibson in the amount of \$8,750,000.00.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that:

Judgment is hereby rendered against Defendants and in favor of Allyn W. Gibson for compensatory damages for noneconomic loss in the amount of \$500,000.00. (\$250,000.00 on the libel claim and \$250,000.00 on the intentional infliction of emotional distress claim)

Judgment is hereby rendered against Defendants and in favor of Allyn W. Gibson for punitive damages in the amount of \$6,000,000.00 (two times the amount the jury awarded to the plaintiff for compensatory damages in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 2315.21).

TOTAL DAMAGES FOR ALLYN W. GIBSON: \$6,500,000.00

On June 7, 2019, the jury returned a compensatory damages verdict in favor of Gibson Bros., Inc. in the amount of \$2,274,500.00 in economic damages. The jury completed an interrogatory further specifying that \$1,137,250.00 was awarded to Gibson Bros., Inc. and against Oberlin College and Meredith Raimondo on the libel claim, and that the remaining \$1,137,250.00 was awarded to Gibson Bros., Inc. and against Meredith Raimondo on the intentional interference with business relations claim.





On June 13, 2019, the jury returned a punitive damages verdict in favor of Gibson Bros., Inc., on the libel claim only, in the amount of \$6,973,500.00.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that:

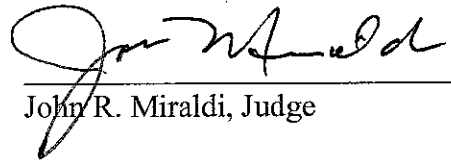
Judgment is rendered against Defendants and in favor of Gibson Bros., Inc. for compensatory damages for economic loss in the amount of \$2,274,500.00. (\$1,137,250.00 on each claim: libel and intentional interference with business relations).

Judgment is rendered against Defendants and in favor of Gibson Bros., Inc. for punitive damages in the amount of \$2,274,500.00 (two times the amount the jury awarded to the plaintiff for compensatory damages in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 2315.21).

TOTAL DAMAGES FOR GIBSON BROS. INC.: \$4,549,000.00

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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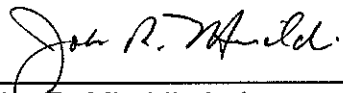
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This matter is hereby set for hearing on Plaintiffs' award of attorney's fees on July 10, 2019 at 1:30 PM.

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