A few short months bring many attacks on the press

Highlights of the Trump administration's actions against the media in its first 100 days



December 2024 ABC settlement sets stage for escalating attacks

The first 100 days

January 21

Trump calls NBC's Peter Alexander a "one-sided, horrible" journalist

February 7

Trump attacks Eugene Robinson at Washington Post as "incompetent," calls for his firing

February 25

Trump administration takes control of White House press pool

March 11

Press Secretary Karoline Leavitt insults AP reporter

March 27

Trump asks Congress to defund NPR/PBS a day after Congressional hearing, calling the outlets biased and a "SCAM"

April 13

Trump urges FCC to punish "60 Minutes" over **Greenland-Ukraine reports**

January 30

Federal Communications Commission chief opens investigation into NPR/PBS

February 11

AP blocked from White House press pool for adhering to Gulf of Mexico name

Trump signs executive order that would gut USAGM, which funds Radio Free outlets and Voice of America outlets worldwide

March 21-23

March 25

Trump attacks Atlantic editor as

"sleazebag" after Signal story

Trump refers to a New York Times reporter as "Maggot Hagerman" and calls New Yorker and Times journalists "SICK, DERANGED" after the outlets' reporting on Elon Musk

Trump attacks NBC journalists for reporting on "boring" Signal leak story

April 15

White House limits newswire access

March 26

Marjorie Taylor Greene attacks foreign journalist over Signalgate

April 25

April 29

Trump tries to remove

Corporation for Public

Broadcasting board

members

Attorney General Bondi rescinds Biden-era press protections