Involves Donald Trump, Eric, Don Jr.

FIFA leases a Trump Tower office for about $4 million, then the State Department prioritizes visas for its ticket holders

C Alleged

The tenancy is supported by Sportcal (July 2025), the New York Times and FIFA's own statement. The $4 million figure rests on the New York Times alone, citing two officials and documents it reviewed; the lease has not been published. Eric and Don Jr. are listed under the ledger's rule for payments to the Trump Organization, which the president owns through a trust his children manage and which his two eldest sons run (CNN; AFP).

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REACHED THE FAMILY

2025 year precision

$4,000,000 estimated

The New York Times' figure for the full term of a lease of more than seven years on a nearly 5,000 square foot suite on Trump Tower's 17th floor, citing two officials involved in the deal and documents it reviewed. It is a multi-year total from one outlet, not an annual rent. The monthly rent, the lease start date and the landlord entity are not public; Sportcal describes FIFA as a tenant of a company owned by the president. The FIFA Peace Prize trophy and medal Trump received on December 5, 2025 went in the other direction, have no stated value, and are not part of this amount. Separately, Trump's annual disclosure for 2025 lists a gift from Gianni Infantino of ten FIFA World Cup final tickets worth $15,000, at Rutherford, New Jersey (Part 9, gifts); it is not part of this amount.

FROM FIFA (company)

CHANNEL commercial rent at a family property

OFFICIAL ACTION

Nov 17, 2025

The State Department launched FIFA PASS, which gives World Cup ticket holders who bought through FIFA prioritized visa interview appointments; Trump unveiled it in the Oval Office with FIFA President Gianni Infantino on November 17, 2025

AGENCY Department of State

No day count is calculated because at least one of the two dates is known only to the month or year.

WHAT HAPPENED

On July 9, 2025, Sportcal reported that FIFA, world soccer's governing body, had announced a New York office in Trump Tower at an event in the building that also opened a Club World Cup trophy exhibition. Sportcal described FIFA as becoming a tenant of a company owned by the president and said the rent was not disclosed. Eric Trump has said his family's organization was honored to host FIFA, according to the New York Times.

In October 2026 the Times reported that FIFA signed a lease of more than seven years, worth about $4 million, for a suite of nearly 5,000 square feet on the 17th floor, citing two officials involved in the deal and documents. Current and former FIFA officials told the Times the suite mostly sits empty and is used for events and meetings with dignitaries, while FIFA's U.S. operations are based mainly in Miami. Two officials said FIFA President Gianni Infantino drove the decision. The monthly rent, start date and landlord entity are not public.

On November 17, 2025, Trump unveiled FIFA PASS in the Oval Office with Infantino. The State Department program gives World Cup ticket holders who bought through FIFA prioritized visa interview appointments. On December 5, 2025, FIFA gave Trump its new FIFA Peace Prize, a gold trophy and medal with no stated value, at the World Cup draw at the Kennedy Center. Trump's disclosure covering 2025 lists a separate gift from Infantino of ten FIFA World Cup final tickets worth $15,000. None of the sources cited here links the lease to either event.

POTENTIAL VIOLATION

No legal question has been raised by anyone with standing or expertise in the sources reviewed, so this field is left blank rather than supplied by the ledger.

THEIR RESPONSE

FIFA says it pays market-level rent, that the lease complies with all local laws and was signed under its standard internal processes, and that it hired an international real estate consultancy to check the rent against market rates. The White House declined to comment. The Trump Organization did not respond to the New York Times.

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