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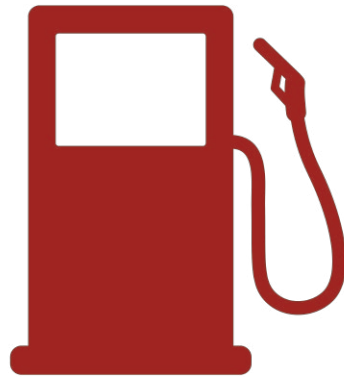
Second plane crashes; UAE, Kuwait see attacks

By Tony Capaccio, Patrick Sykes, Arsalan Shahla, Courtney Subramanian
Bloomberg News

WASHINGTON — Iran shot down a U.S. F-15E fighter jet and a second U.S. plane reportedly crashed in the Gulf region, incidents that marked an escalation in the five-week war, which has triggered a global energy crisis.

The developments added to Iran's stepped-up attacks Friday as the Islamic Republic targeted energy sites in the region hours after

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Southern Nevada

Las Vegas Valley gasoline prices hit \$5 a gallon average for first time since 2023

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Trump's budget requests \$1.5T in defense spending

By Lisa Mascaro and Kevin Freking
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump proposed boosting defense spending to \$1.5 trillion in his 2027 budget released Friday, the largest such request in decades, reflecting his emphasis on U.S. military investments over domestic programs.

The sizable increase for the Pentagon, some 44 percent, had been telegraphed by the Republican president even before the U.S.-led war against Iran. The president's

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Marking the way



Graham Hughes The Associated Press

People take part in the Way of the Cross procession Friday in Montreal. In Rome, Pope Leo XIV marked his first Good Friday during the Way of the Cross at the Colosseum. ▶ **Page 9A**

RJ, Sun return to court over JOA

Judge doesn't restart printing

By Noble Brigham
Las Vegas Review-Journal

A federal judge on Friday declined to force the Las Vegas Review-Journal to resume printing the Las Vegas Sun newspaper, despite arguments from the Sun that it cannot exist without the Review-Journal's support.

The hearing came a day after U.S. District Judge Anne Traum dissolved an order requiring the continued printing of the Sun. Friday marked the first day in more than 20 years that the Sun was not included as an insert within the Review-Journal's daily newspaper.

Traum vacated her order following a 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruling Monday that the order "directly contravenes our mandate," a reference to the appellate court's August ruling that the 2005 joint operating agreement between the two newspapers was "unlawful and unenforceable."

Sun attorney Leif Reid told Traum at the Friday hearing that the Sun is at risk of losing staff writers and already has heard from concerned subscribers.

"As of this morning, today is the first day in 76 years that the Sun wasn't published in print," he said, later adding, "The harm is imminent, it is irreparable."

He also complained that the Review-Journal controlled a joint subscriber list, limiting access to readers. He urged the judge to order the Review-Journal to continue printing and

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Kalshi sports contracts banned in Nev.

By Richard N. Velotta
Las Vegas Review-Journal

The prediction market operator that has been in a legal dispute with Nevada gaming regulators for more than a year on Friday was banned by a Carson City judge from writing contracts involving sports results with Nevada residents.

Carson City District Court Judge Jason Woodbury also is giving Kalshi until May 4 to implement geofencing and or geolocation measures to prevent any user in Nevada from engaging in any activity or transaction deemed illegal under Nevada gaming laws as a result of the preliminary injunction he approved.

Woodbury issued his order from the bench following more than two hours of testimony in the First Judicial District Court.

Representatives of the Nevada Gaming Control Board and Kalshi had no comment on the hearing's outcome late Friday.

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