

# **Dr. Ben Carson Raising Millions Despite Muslim Comments**

Republican presidential candidate Ben Carson's campaign has raised \$20 million since July, a campaign spokeswoman said on Wednesday.

That brings the total raised since Carson, a retired neurosurgeon, launched his campaign for the 2016 presidential election in May, to some \$30 million.

Carson saw a fund-raising bump after making a statement that he does not think a Muslim can be president because their faith is inconsistent with the U.S. Constitution. Carson's coffers saw a \$500,000 increase after the remarks were made on NBC's "Meet The Press," bringing his September fundraising total over \$10 million, NBC reported. {eo}

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