

Demo Suit Over Break-In Settled

Washington

The Democratic National Committee agreed yesterday to settle for \$775,000 its \$6.4 million civil damage suit against the Committee to Re-elect the President over the break-in of its Wat-

ergate headquarters in June, 1972.

Democratic National Chairman Robert S. Strauss told a meeting of the committee's executive committee that an agreement had been reached on a "hard fig-

ure." He said lawyers are working on remaining procedural details.

Under the agreement, Strauss said, the re-election committee will drop its counter-suits against the Democrats.

Former Democratic national chairman Lawrence O'Brien filed the suit days after the break-in at Democratic offices in the Watergate complex June 17, 1972.

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