From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Friday, December 29, 2017 9:02 AM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Follow-ups on Rettig

Ok great; thanks!

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, December 28, 2017 3:47 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Follow-ups on Rettig

Hi Peter,

Thanks for the updates!
--Patrick

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From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 08, 2018 12:58 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Draft Rettig EA

Will do; my goal would be to touch base with you at 3:00.

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 08, 2018 12:49 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Draft Rettig EA

Hi Peter,

Thanks for the update. I’m planning to do a pre-review of the report and EA with Deb and Heather this afternoon at 2:30. I’m hoping to be able to circle back with you on follow-up questions shortly thereafter.

--Patrick
Hi Peter,

Sorry for missing your call on Friday! I’ve attached my initial comments and edits on the EA. I see you had some other questions as well. Is there a time today that works well for you to discuss?

Thanks!

--Patrick
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 08, 2018 4:32 PM
To: Riesen, Peter <(b) (8)>

Subject: Follow-Ups on Rettig

Hi Peter,

My follow-up questions are below:
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Monday, February 12, 2018 11:59 AM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Rettig responses

Hi Peter,

I see that the update was made to the report re: the [b] (3), (5), (6) [b]

Thanks!

--Patrick

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 09, 2018 4:59 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Rettig responses

Thanks, Peter! I've made a couple additional tweaks in light of your updates. [b] (5) [b]

Please send any other updates my way as they come in or are ready.

--Patrick

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 09, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Riesen, Peter
Cc: Horton, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: Rettig responses

Thanks, Peter. My follow-ups are below in bold. I've attached a revised EA for your review. [b] (3), (5), (6)

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Thanks,
Patrick

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Hi Peter,

Checking in. Any updates?

Thanks!

--Patrick

Peter,

Thanks! In the interim, I've attached a revised EA.

--Patrick

Thanks, Peter! Please follow-up with him at day's end if there have not been further updates on

--Patrick
From: Charles Rettig [mailto: ]
Sent: Wednesday, February 14, 2018 4:40 PM
To: Riesen, Peter <[reddacted]>
Cc: Myers, Baylor <[reddacted]>
Subject: RE: Suggested revisions re draft Ethics Agreement

Ok, appreciate the ongoing efforts and patience of each of you.
I won’t modify the Form 278 until I hear back from you.
Chuck

From: Charles Rettig [mailto: ]
Sent: Wednesday, February 14, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Riesen, Peter <[reddacted]>
Cc: Myers, Baylor <[reddacted]>
Charles Rettig <[reddacted]>
Subject: Suggested revisions re draft Ethics Agreement

Peter,

Best,
Chuck

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From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:plightf@ngo.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 12:04 PM
To: Riesen, Peter (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Rettig

Hopefully he can get back to us before he leaves or be available via email, etc. while he’s out of town?
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 8:18 AM
To: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Rettig

Hi Peter

Thanks!
--Patrick

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From: Christopher J. Swartz [mailto:cjswartz@oge.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 16, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Cc: Patrick J. Lightfoot; Rachel K. Dowell
Subject: RE: Rettig

Peter-

-CJS

Referral to Treasury
From: Christopher J. Swartz [mailto: cjswartz@oge.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 16, 2018 10:53 AM
To: Riesen, Peter
Cc: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto: pjlightf@oge.gov]; Rachel K. Dowell [mailto: rkdowell@oge.gov]
Subject: RE: Rettig

Peter:

Thanks for the response. I am not sure if Mr. Rettig’s answers were responsive to our questions fully.

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From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto: pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 4:14 PM
To: Riesen, Peter
Cc: Christopher J. Swartz [mailto: cjswartz@oge.gov]
Subject: RE: Rettig

Thanks, Peter!

Please follow up with the filer for a status update on the and let us know. Now that he has been nominated, we’ve got increased pressure from the White House and will soon be getting pressure from the Senate committee as well.

Chris Swartz will be my backup reviewer tomorrow while I am out of the office (copied here).

Thanks,

-- Patrick
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 2:18 PM
To: Riesen, Peter [mailto:priesen@oge.gov]
Subject: RE: Rettig

Hi Peter,
Any progress? Thanks!
--Patrick

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 9:57 AM
To: Riesen, Peter [mailto:priesen@oge.gov]
Subject: RE: Rettig

Hi Peter,
I’m back in the office today, as updates are ready for our review.
Thanks!
--Patrick

From: Rachel K. Dowell [mailto:rkdowell@oge.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 14, 2018 4:56 PM
To: Riesen, Peter [mailto:priesen@oge.gov]
Cc: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Subject: RE: Rettig

Thanks, Peter. Please see my edits and comments in the attached.
Referral to Treasury
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2018 12:04 PM
To: Horton, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: Rettig

Thanks!

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2018 11:51 AM
To: Horton, Elizabeth
Subject: RE: Rettig

Great; thanks for the update!

From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:pjlightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2018 11:47 AM
To: Horton, Elizabeth
Cc: Riesen, Peter
Subject: RE: Rettig

Great; thanks for the update!
From: Patrick J. Lightfoot [mailto:plightf@oge.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 01, 2018 3:51 PM
To: Horton, Elizabeth <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Riesen, Peter <[REDACTED]>; Rachel K. Dowell <rkdowell@oge.gov>
Subject: RE: Retting

Hi Beth,

A few follow-ups on this, but I think we’re nearly there.

I’m copying Rachel Dowell here as well, who is my back-up reviewer when I’m out of the office tomorrow.

Thanks!

--Patrick
From: Charles Rettig
Sent: Friday, March 09, 2018 4:24 PM
To: Horton, Elizabeth
Cc: Avram Salkin; Charles Rettig
Subject: RE: Precleared: Charles Rettig

Beth,
Best,
Chuck
Hi Peter,

I spoke with Heather, and she said that we should move forward with amending Mr. Rettig’s 278 and EA.

Please see the attached for 278 and EA amendment templates.

1. Once you’ve drafted the amendment, please email it to me and Patrick. OGE will review.
2. Once OGE’s reviewed and worked with you on any necessary edits, the filer should sign it.
3. Then, please email it to me and Patrick with another transmittal letter, which should be similar in substance to the original one you sent, i.e., the DAEO “continues” to believe the filer is in compliance with all applicable laws, etc.
4. OGE will sign the amendment and send it to the Senate.
5. Upload the amendment in Integrity. See section 6.7.6 in the Integrity User Guide for information on how to process amendments after final certification.

Please remember: if in the future someone from the public requests a copy of the certified 278, you will need to release both the 278 as well as this amendment.

Thanks!
Rachel

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Thanks! Will circle back with Peter.

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**From:** Heather A. Jones  
**Sent:** Friday, June 01, 2018 1:53 PM  
**To:** Patrick J. Lightfoot  
**Subject:** RE: Rettig Amendments

I think this is fine.

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**From:** Patrick J. Lightfoot  
**Sent:** Friday, June 01, 2018 12:58 PM  
**To:** Heather A. Jones  
**Subject:** FW: Rettig Amendments

Attached are the draft amendment letters for Rettig’s 278 and EA. I’ve made some minor edits, but wanted to see if you had any additional thoughts before I circled back with Peter.

Thanks!

--Patrick
Hi Peter,

Heather has reviewed the draft amendment letters and we’ve made some minor edits (attached), but otherwise they look good. With those changes made, the filer can go ahead and sign them. Please send them to me with another transmittal letter, which should be similar in substance to the original one sent, i.e., the DAEO “continues” to believe the filer is in compliance with all applicable laws, etc.

Thanks!

--Patrick

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