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I oppose OGE's proposed legal expense fund regulation as drafted, most particularly the exception that makes compliance with the regulation optional.

I also believe the OGE should: (1) draft a broader 5-year recusal requirement that prevents donors of cash gifts from influencing matters in which they have substantial interests; (2) remove the offensive example involving an accused sexual harasser; and (3) place nonprofit organizations on equal footing with large law firms by permitting them to hire legal counsel for whistleblowers.

Thank you for your attention.

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