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To: Contact OGE
Subject: Proposed Rule: Legal Expense Fund Regulation (RIN 3209-AA50)
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Hello,

I am writing because I oppose OGE's proposed legal expense fund regulation as drafted.

I believe that you should remove the exception that makes compliance with the regulation optional first and foremost.

Furthermore, please replace the proposed recusal requirement with a broader 5-year recusal requirement that prevents donors of cash gifts from influencing decisions, policies, or regulations affecting them or the industries in which they have substantial interests, and place nonprofit charities (501(c)(3) organizations) on an equal footing with large law firms by allowing them to hire legal counsel for whistleblowers.

This is essential.

Thank you for your time,

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