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Not only do I oppose OGE's proposed legal expense fund regulation as drafted, OGE should:
- remove the exception that makes compliance with the regulation optional (this is insane!) ; - 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; - remove the offensive example involving an accused sexual harasser; 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.

I will add, the verbiage as it stands has infuriated me! This entire system needs cleaning up…NOT making things worse! I'm begging you to PLEASE see the errors and correct them!

Thank you for your consideration.

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Sent from my iPhone, I hope you have an awesome day!