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To whom it may concern:

I oppose OGE's proposed legal expense fund regulation as drafted. OGE should:

- **Remove** the exception that makes compliance with the regulation optional;

- **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.

Thank you for your consideration.
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