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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 harraser
-place nonprofit charities (501(c) (3) organizations) on an equal fotting with large law firms by allowing them to hire legal counsel for whistleblowers