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I opose OGE's proposed legal expense fund as drafted. OGE should:
- remove the exception that makes compliance with regulation optional;
- replace the proposed recusal with a broader 5 year recusal requirement that prevents donors of cash gifts from influencing decisions affecting them or industries in which they have substantial interest;
- remove 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.

Respectfully,
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