



## Bloomberg LP

Locations: New York (HQ)

Industries: Commercial and Professional Services, Diversified Financials, Media and Entertainment

RISK LEVEL:



Medium Risk

### DESCRIPTION:

Bloomberg has not publicly fired employees or terminated business relationships due to religious or political beliefs, though it does vet suppliers according to its LGBTQ policies. Bloomberg has made donations to Planned Parenthood's political action committee and corporately supports the Equality Act and transgender participation in women's sports. Bloomberg is committed to carbon neutrality by 2040. It does not protect against viewpoint discrimination. For these reasons, Bloomberg receives a "Medium Risk" rating.

### Corporate Weaponization

**Has denied service to customers, suppliers, or vendors due to their political views or religious beliefs OR corporately boycotts, divests, or sanctions regions, people groups, or industries. Medium Risk**

*Bloomberg has not publicly terminated business relationships due to religious beliefs or political views. The company received a score of 100 on the Corporate Equality Index. Among other requirements, this means the company has pledged to vet vendors based on LGBTQ policies (1).*

**Charitable giving (including employee matching programs) policies or practices discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or religious beliefs. Lower Risk**

*Bloomberg's charitable goals are to "help our most vulnerable and marginalized neighbors, promote a more inclusive global economy, expand access to data and technology, and support diverse voices in the media and the arts." (1)(2). It does not appear to discriminate against faith-based charities.*

**Employment policies fail to protect against discrimination based on political affiliation/views and/or religion. High Risk**

*Bloomberg does not protect its employees from viewpoint discrimination (1).*

### Corporate Governance and Public Policy

**Uses corporate reputation to support ideological causes and/or organizations hostile to freedom of expression. High Risk**

Bloomberg opposed the Florida Parental Rights in Education Act, which prohibits teaching gender identity and sexual orientation in schools to kids in K-3rd grade (12)(3). Bloomberg LP's Chairman Peter T. Grauer is a signatory to CEOs For Gun Safety (4). Bloomberg is a signatory of the Net Zero Financial Service Providers Alliance and a Ceres Network Member, committed to carbon neutrality by 2050 (5)(6)(7).

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**Uses corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression. Medium Risk**

Bloomberg has donated to Planned Parenthood's PAC (1). However, the company does not donate to other ideological groups hostile to freedom of expression (2).

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**Uses corporate political contributions for ideological, non-business purposes.**

N/A

Bloomberg does not operate a PAC at this time.

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