



# Ashland Global Holdings

Locations: Delaware (HQ)

Industries: Materials

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RISK LEVEL:



Lower Risk

## DESCRIPTION:

Ashland Global Holdings (including its subsidiaries, such as Ashland Inc. and others) have not publicly terminated any business relationships with employees, clients, or vendors due to views or beliefs. The company has multiple ongoing efforts that support ESG causes. Ashland does not protect its employees against viewpoint discrimination. However, Ashland has not used its corporate reputation or funds to advance ideological agendas or groups hostile to freedom of expression. For these reasons, Ashland Global Holdings receives a Lower 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.** Lower Risk

*Ashland Global Holdings and its subsidiaries have not publicly terminated business relationships due to views or beliefs.*

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

*Ashland's eligibility criteria for matching employee donations are not publicly disclosed. (1) Ashland has a program to match employee donations to schools, and it does not discriminate against schools based on their beliefs or views (2). Ashland's does not appear to discriminate against religious organizations in its charitable giving (3).*

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

*Ashland does not provide viewpoint protections for its employees (1).*

## Corporate Governance and Public Policy

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

*Ashland has not endorsed or promoted partisan causes; however, it does specify that ESG is "embedded" in its "strategy and operating plans" (1). Additionally, the company has committed to aligning itself with the Paris Climate Accord emissions goals (2).*

While Ashland has multiple ongoing efforts for environmental protection, the company has not supported ideological causes or policies (3).

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

Ashland does not fund ideological causes or organizations hostile to freedom of expression.

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

Ashland has not used its PAC donations or lobbying for ideological purposes (1)(2)(3).

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