

upbound**Upbound Group**

Subsidiaries: Acima, Brigit, Rent-A-Center, Get It Now!, Home Choice, RimTyme

Locations: Texas (HQ)

Industries: Software and Services

RISK LEVEL:**Lower Risk****DESCRIPTION:**

Upbound Group is Lower Risk. The company does not yield to political activism in shaping corporate governance, preventing initiatives that potentially alienate consumers, divide employees, and harm shareholders. The company elevates merit, excellence, and integrity ahead of race and identity-based policies. Upbound Group does not embrace corporate initiatives that redirect its central focus from business goals to partisan policies and divisive issues. This approach protects free exercise, free speech, and free enterprise.

Corporate Weaponization

Has canceled 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**

Upbound Group has not publicly canceled customers, suppliers, or vendors based on political views or religious beliefs (1).

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

Upbound Group does not publish charitable giving guidelines (1).

Employment policies fail to protect against viewpoint or other discrimination and/or are ideological in nature. **Medium Risk**

Upbound Group does not provide viewpoint protections for its employees (1)(2).

Corporate Governance and Public Policy

Uses corporate reputation to support causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression. **Lower Risk**

Upbound Group has not supported ideological causes or policies (1).

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

Upbound Group has not used corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies ([1](#)).

Uses corporate political actions and/or financial contributions for ideological, non-business purposes. N/A

Upbound Group does not operate a PAC or report on its lobbying at this time ([1](#))([2](#))([3](#)).

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