



Tenneco

Locations: Michigan (HQ)

Industries: Automobiles and Components

RISK LEVEL:



Medium Risk

DESCRIPTION:

By complying with the HRCâ€™s controversial demands, Tenneco increases the risk of dividing employees, alienating customers and harming shareholders. The company covers transgender-related medical costs for its employees and their children and provides specific sexual orientation and gender identity-based benefits. It also uses sex and gender ideology criteria in vendor selection. Tenneco forces employees to undergo multiple ideological trainings and uses its corporate funds to support controversial sex and gender ideologies and organizations. Tenneco is a corporate sponsor of the National LGBT Chamber of Commerce (NGLCC) and has lobbied for ideological purposes. However, the company does not discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or beliefs. For these reasons, Tenneco 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**

Tenneco has a written policy pledging to vet vendors for LGBTQ policies. Its Supplier Code of Conduct requires vendors to include sexual orientation and gender identity in its nondiscrimination policy (1). However, the company has not publicly terminated business relationships due to religious beliefs or political views.

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

Tenneco does not discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or beliefs (1).

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

Tenneco indicates the company forces employees to attend multiple, controversial trainings on gender identity, sexual orientation, transgender issues, and divisive racial ideology. The company provides gender transition guidelines for its employees and a specific benefits guide with a comprehensive explanation of transgender services funded by the company (1)(2). Tenneco does not provide viewpoint protections for its employees (3).

Corporate Governance and Public Policy

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

Tenneco has not supported ideological causes or policies (1).

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

Tenneco indicates the company covers transgender related costs for its employees and their children, including paid short-term leave, puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones, chest surgeries, genital surgeries, medical visits and lab monitoring, travel and lodging. Additionally, the company has pledged philanthropic support of at least one organization or event that promotes sex and gender ideology (1)(2). By allowing a political stakeholder group to dictate operations, the company increases health care costs and risks dividing employees, alienating customers and harming shareholders. Tenneco is a corporate sponsor of the National LGBTQ Chamber of Commerce (NGLCC) (3)

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

Tenneco does not operate a PAC at this time but has lobbied for the "College For All Act" (1)(2)(3).

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