

RISK LEVEL:



Lower Risk

DESCRIPTION:

ABC-CLIO does not provide its employees with protections against viewpoint discrimination, but has not publicly terminated business relationships based on views or beliefs. ABC-CLIO has published multiple books that have been banned by the Florida Department of Education for including inappropriate racially ideological and LGBTQ content. However, it has not used its reputation to support ideological groups or agendas hostile to freedom of expression. For these reasons, ABC-CLIO 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

ABC-CLIO has not publicly fired customers, suppliers, or vendors based on views or beliefs.

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

N/A

ABC-CLIO does not publish its charitable giving guidelines.

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

High Risk

ABC-CLIO does not provide viewpoint protections to its employees (1).

Corporate Governance and Public Policy

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

High Risk

ABC-CLIO has published multiple books that have been banned in Florida for inappropriate DEI content (1)(2). ABC-CLIO has also published multiple other books supporting leftist ideas, including books about LGBTQ causes and books in support of the Black Lives Matter movement (3)(4)(5).

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

ABC-CLIO does not use corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies.

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

N/A

ABC-CLIO does not operate a PAC at this time.

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