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**Subject:** Meeting in Colorado- Brewing OR Debacle  
Oregon Documents proof of actions of State Government.pdf

Hi Milan,

It was good meeting you in Colorado at the Heritage event where Administrator Pruitt delivered inspired remarks. After briefing you and Administrator Pruitt, albeit in a highly abbreviated nature, I wanted to send along what the company (Entek International) was able to FOIA from the state of Oregon (attached).

This piece was also published last month breaking down some of the key facts of this case:

[http://www.oregonlive.com/opinion/index.ssf/2017/04/state\\_agenciesunfair\\_targeting.html](http://www.oregonlive.com/opinion/index.ssf/2017/04/state_agenciesunfair_targeting.html)

I know the company has had a conversation with Samantha Dravis in recent weeks. We feel strongly we need to connect as many key decision makers to this story as possible given the Governor's office's strong desire to go after Entek for political reasons (masked behind good faith environmental regulation).

Please let us know how we can engage with your office further on this impending example of government overreach (and even criminal conspiracy....the attached docs portray quite a coercive and damaging scheme).

Thanks,

Matt

P.S. I also wanted to forward along a report that my organization- OpenTheBooks- compiled regarding the EPA spending practices. When Administrator Pruitt addressed the Manhattan

Institute Board last week I know it was mentioned.

[https://www.openthebooks.com/assets/1/7/Open\\_The\\_Books\\_Oversight\\_Report -  
Environmental\\_Protection\\_Agency\\_FINAL.pdf](https://www.openthebooks.com/assets/1/7/Open_The_Books_Oversight_Report_-_Environmental_Protection_Agency_FINAL.pdf)

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