

# Truth in Testimony Disclosure Form

In accordance with Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5)\* of the *Rules of the House of Representatives*, witnesses are asked to disclose the following information. Please complete this form electronically by filling in the provided blanks.

**Committee:** House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

**Subcommittee:** Investigations & Oversight and Energy Subcommittees

**Hearing Date:** 10/21/2021

**Hearing Title** :

Judicious Spending to Enable Success at the Office of Nuclear Energy

**Witness Name:** Amy Roma

**Position/Title:** Founding Member, Atlantic Council's Nuclear Energy and National Security Coalition (NENSC); Partner, Hogan Lovells

**Witness Type:**  Governmental  Non-governmental

**Are you representing yourself or an organization?**  Self  Organization

**If you are representing an organization, please list what entity or entities you are representing:**

N/A

## **FOR WITNESSES APPEARING IN A NON-GOVERNMENTAL CAPACITY**

**Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.**

**Are you a fiduciary—including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent—of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing? If so, please list the name of the organization(s) or entities.**

As an energy lawyer at a large international law firm, I have many clients in the nuclear energy field, including nuclear power plant owners, advanced reactors clients, and fuel cycle facilities. This work collectively, among other experiences—including extensive research and writing and participation in coalitions like the Atlantic Council's NENSC—is how I know the topics facing this industry so well. My testimony reflects my personal viewpoints and I am appearing solely in my individual capacity using my general knowledge and expertise in this field. No other individual or organization, clients or otherwise, are providing input on or compensation for my testimony. As I represent a wide range of clients that may work in some way with the DOE Office of Nuclear Energy, some may have a general interest in the subject matter of the hearing or issues that arise during the course of the hearing. I have one client with which I am presently working who is the recipient of an Advanced Reactor Demonstration Program award from the DOE Office of Nuclear Energy, X-energy, however their award was the result of a competitive process, and therefore does not appear to be the subject of this hearing.

**Please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) related to the hearing's subject matter that you, the organization(s) you represent, or entities for which you serve as a fiduciary have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the source and amount of each grant or contract.**

As I am appearing in my individually capacity, I personally have no federal grants or contracts to disclose. I am aware that one of my clients, X-energy, is a DOE Office of Nuclear Energy Advanced Reactor Demonstration Program awardee, however that award was made pursuant to a competitive process, and therefore does not appear to be the subject of this hearing. The contract value appears to be \$80 million, based on a DOE press release on this award. <https://www.energy.gov/ne/articles/us-department-energy-announces-160-million-first-awards-under-advanced-reactor>. However, as this award was the subject of a competitive process, it appears outside the scope of the present hearing. As previously noted, as I represent a wide range of clients, some may have a general interest in the subject matter of the hearing or issues that arise during the course of the hearing and also hold government grants or contracts, however, to the best of my current knowledge, I am not personally working on those matters and contact and therefore they are outside my scope of personal knowledge.

**Please list any contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government and related to the hearing's subject that you, the organization(s) you represent, or entities for which you serve as a fiduciary have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the amount and country of origin of each contract or payment.**

N/A

**Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.**

- I have attached a written statement of proposed testimony.
- I have attached my curriculum vitae or biography.

\* Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5), of the U.S. House of Representatives provides:

(5)(A) Each committee shall, to the greatest extent practicable, require witnesses who appear before it to submit in advance written statements of proposed testimony and to limit their initial presentations to the committee to brief summaries thereof.

(B) In the case of a witness appearing in a non-governmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include— (i) a curriculum vitae; (ii) a disclosure of any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government, received during the past 36 months by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness and related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (iii) a disclosure of whether the witness is a fiduciary (including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent) of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing.

(C) The disclosure referred to in subdivision (B)(iii) shall include— (i) the amount and source of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (ii) the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract related to the subject matter of the hearing originating with a foreign government.

(D) Such statements, with appropriate redactions to protect the privacy or security of the witness, shall be made publicly available in electronic form 24 hours before the witness appears to the extent practicable, but not later than one day after the witness appears.

**False Statements Certification**

Knowingly providing material false information to this committee/subcommittee, or knowingly concealing material information from this committee/subcommittee, is a crime (18 U.S.C. § 1001). This form will be made part of the hearing record.

[Redacted Signature]

Witness signature

Oct. 19, 2021

Date