Clerk of Supreme Court - Recusal

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Subject: Recusal

My name is William Kolb, and I live at 1910 Rowley Ave. Madison, WI 53726. I ould like to add my comments to Rule Petition 1701.

I have lived in Wisconsin for most of my life and have never seen a Supreme Court that has consistently acted on behalf of corporate and business interests and against the people of the State of Wisconsin. Never have I see a Court in such disarray nor one where judges refuse to recuse themselves after having taken campaign contributions from the entities that appear before the Court. This is not only shameful, it is why people no longer trust the judiciary to make independent decisions and protect the rights of the people. Please, for the sake of protecting an independent judiciary, FORCE justices who have taken campaign contributions from those entities that appear before the Court to recuse themselves in those matters.

Thank you for your attention with respect to this matter.