

**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
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To Representative Stone:

After our telephone conversation, it occurred to me that if you prefer to retain the concept of an “ethics compliance officer” without statutorily requiring the position, one alternative would be to require the CEO to designate an existing WEDC employee to be the “ethics compliance officer.” The bill would then require the notification to go to the compliance officer or the CEO, if the compliance officer was unavailable. One advantage to this approach is that if someday, for whatever reason, WEDC employed outside legal counsel, the notice would stay within WEDC.

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