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Thank you for this opportunity to comment on Form 990:

There is absolutely no justification to exempt churches and religious organizations from explaining why they are entitled to tax exemptions. All too frequently, churches and organizations charading as religious organizations are exempt from paying taxes without adequate pubic policy purpose. There is no reason to discriminate against non-religious non-profits by compelling those organizations to comply with exemption rules, but not churches, some which provide no benefit to the public but rather serves as vehicles of prejudiced, bigoted and discriminatory purposes. It is abhorrent for taxpayers to be forced to subsidize and enable any religious organization or any phony group taking advantage of lax or discriminatory IRS policies. It is plainly discriminatory to treat non-religious organizations differently from religious ones. Government, including the IRS, has no justification for this discrimination, which plainly amounts to establishment of religion and has no constitutional basis.

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