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In reference to rule 10.1.3. Don't you mean the greater of \$25,000 or 1% rather than the lesser of \$25,000 or 1%?

This entire set of charitable rules for reports and registration seems to me to be an unnecessary burden on small, all volunteer organizations who are granted 501(c)3 status by the IRS and do not meet the filing requirements 990 or 990EZ reporting. The code refers to exempt organizations but doesn't appear to provide who those are.

If small all volunteer organizations are not exempted, could your office provide annual training and review of documentation in regional locations so new volunteers can be informed of the rules they need to know and abide with? The fear of making a mistake in government reporting makes it difficult to recruit volunteers for those functions. Volunteers come from all walks of life but seldom seem to be CPAs or bureaucrats with familiarity of your codes and rules.

Respectfully,

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