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You have all heard of the Solyndra Scandal but have you heard ALL of the Solyndra Scandal?

Here is a portion of a police statement that was recently acquired by our editors:

"Our team was working with the U.S. Department of Energy. We were missioned with building the next energy technology for America, which could be deployed, when, and if, the Middle East got out of control. Our group delivered the technology, won congressional awards and commendation and had everything ready-to-go, to solve some of the nation's biggest national security, jobs, technology and energy issues.

Unbeknownst to us, a group of corrupt financiers had begun a similar plan but with the opposite, competing technology, using bribes and campaign financing to seek to create a monopoly for their technology supply chain.

The FBI then raided one of the financiers companies: Solyndra, and a large amount of public, news media and Congressional investigations began.

We were asked to provide our knowledge of the matters to federal investigators and agreed to assist law enforcement officials.

The suspects turned out to be very wealthy, but very corrupt, Silicon Valley and Russian billionaires. They were working with some corrupt U.S. Senators. They saw their Cartel begin to crumble, in these investigations, and used their funds to contract hit-jobs, character assassinations, digital web attacks, and worse, against anyone who tried to indict them, or cooperate with law enforcement.

The suspects technology began failing on every level, from self-ignited explosions, to toxic gas emissions to numerous other technical, operational and political failures, as the financiers scheme fell apart, they became more desperate and more hateful of the technology out team developed...."

This portion of a statement reveals a darker side to the Department of Energy Cleantech Scandal

The following published letter, from another group that got shafted, reveals more:



February 28, 2012

Secretary Steven Chu U.S. Department of Energy Washington, D.C.

Dear Secretary Chu,

Today Bright Automotive, Inc will withdraw its application for a loan under the ATVM program administered by your department. Bright has not been explicitly rejected by the DOE; rather, we have been forced to say "uncle". As a result, we are winding down our operations.

Last week we received the fourth "near final" Conditional Commitment Letter since September 2010. Each new letter arrived with more onerous terms than the last. The first three were workable for us, but the last was so outlandish that most rational and objective persons would likely conclude that your team was negotiating in bad faith. We hope that as their Secretary, this was not at your urging.

The actions – or better said "lack of action" -- by your team means hundreds of great manufacturing and technical jobs, union and non-union alike, and thousands of indirect jobs in Indiana and Michigan will not see the light of day. It means our product, the Bright IDEA plug-in hybrid electric commercial vehicle, will not provide the lowest total cost of ownership for our commercial and government fleet customers, saving millions of barrels of oil each year. It means turning your back on a bona fide step forward in our national goal to wean America away from our addiction to foreign oil and its implications on national security and our economic strength.

In good faith we entered the ATVM process, approved under President Bush with bi-partisan Congressional approval, in December of 2008. At that time, our application was deemed "substantially complete." As of today, we have been in the "due diligence" process for more than 1175 days. That is a record for which no one can be proud.

We were told by the DOE in August of 2010 that Bright would get the ATVM loan "within weeks, not months" after we formed a strategic partnership with General Motors as the DOE had urged us to do. We lined up and agreed to private capital commitments exceeding \$200M – a far greater percentage than previous DOE loan applicants. Finally, we signed definitive agreements with state-of-the-art manufacturer AM General that would have employed more

than 400 union workers in Indiana in a facility that recently laid-off 350 workers. Each time your team asked for another new requirement, we delivered with speed and excellence.

Then, we waited and waited; staying in this process for as long as we could after repeated, yet unmet promises by government bureaucrats. We continued to play by the rules, even as you and your team were changing those rules constantly – seemingly on a whim.

Because of ATVM's distortion of U.S. private equity markets, the only opportunities for 100 percent private equity markets are abroad. We made it clear we were an American company, with American workers developing advanced, deliverable and clean American technology. We unfortunately did not aggressively pursue an alternative funding path in China as early as we would have liked based on our understanding of where we were in the DOE process. I guess we have only ourselves to blame for having faith in the words and promises of our government officials.

The Chairman of a Fortune 10 company told your former deputy, Jonathan Silver, that this program "lacked integrity"; that is, it did not have a consistent process and rules against which private enterprises could rationally evaluate their chances and intelligently allocate time and resources against that process. There can be no greater failing of government than to not have integrity when dealing with its taxpaying citizens.

It does not give us any solace that we are not alone in the debacle of the ATVM process. ATVM has executed under \$50 million of transactions since October of 2009. Going back to the creation of the program, only about \$8 billion of the approved \$25 billion has been invested. In the meantime, countless hours, efforts and millions of dollars have been put forth by a multitude of strong entrepreneurial teams and some of the largest players in the industry to advance your articulated goal of advancing the technical strength and clean energy breakthroughs of the American automotive industry. These collective efforts have been in vain as the program failed to finance both large existing companies and younger emerging ones alike.

Our vehicle would have been critical to meet President Obama's stated goal of one million plugin electric vehicles on the road in 2015 and his commitment to buy 100 percent alternative fueled vehicles for the Federal Fleet. So, we are not the only ones who will be disappointed.

The ineffectiveness of the DOE to execute its program harms commercial enterprise as it not only interfered with the capital markets; it placed American companies at the whim of approval by a group of bureaucrats. Today at your own ARPA-E conference, Fred Smith, the remarkable leader of FedEx, made the compelling case to reduce our dependence on oil; a product whose price is manipulated by a cartel which has caused the greatest wealth transfer in our history from the pockets of working people and businesses to countries, many of whom are not our allies. And yet, having in hand a tremendous tool for progress in this critically strategic battle — a tool that drew the country's best to your door — you failed not only in the deployment of funds from ATVM but in dissipating these efforts against not just false hope, but false words.

For us, this is a particularly sad day for our employees and their families, as well as the employees and families of our partners. We asked our team members on countless occasions to work literally around the clock whenever yet another new DOE requirement came down the pike, so that we could respond swiftly and accurately. And, we always did.

Sincerely,

Reuben Munger

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Our editors have now spoken with over 200 individuals and companies who clearly state that the Department of Energy "lied to them", "shafted them", "stone-walled them", "Manipulated them", Manipulated their submissions", "Sabotaged their companies" and worked cohesively, among Energy staff, to exclude anyone who was not part of a prearranged Cartel deal.

What kind of operation is Washington, DC running up there? Why has there been no justice for these people and gifts of billions of taxpayer dollars to the corrupt few who participated in these crimes?



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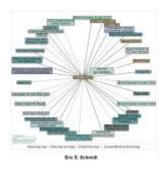
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