



Qualifying Income From Activities of Publicly Traded Partnerships With Respect to Minerals or Natural Resources

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Comment

I am a small investor of WLK since 10/2014. IRS's proposed new ruling to revoke PLR on WLKP had done sever damage to my investment value - my hard earned money in my retirement account. My initial investment decision was based on the good faith by then the company's financial situation. As the result of IRS 's announcement, WLK share price had down about 20% in a few weeks which is not due to the company's performance, but IRS. I have lost tens of thousand dollars - lost not only all the gains but under water now.

It is barely less than a year since WLKP's initial IPO, so not too long since IRS approval of the PLR. How IRS changes its mind so soon as such a shocking manner to the share holders.

IRS's change in this matter would create very negative image to its trustfulness, its decision making, and further weaken small investor's confidence in this market.

IRS: please do the right thing to NOT destroy the small investors and their dreams. We are depending on the regulators to make our life better, not for the worse. Please give the PLR a second thought and let it to stay. Thanks very much for your considerations.