



THE FINANCIAL SERVICES ROUNDTABLE  
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Office of Regulations and Interpretations  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
U.S. Department of Labor  
200 Constitution Ave., NW  
Washington, DC 20210

Re: **Pension Benefit Statements Project (RIN 1210-AB20)**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned representatives of service providers and plan sponsors thank you for granting an extension of the comment period for the Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking regarding lifetime income illustrations on participant benefit statements. Additionally, we appreciate the timely public announcement of the extension. As explained in our request, we believe the additional time will help stakeholders to adequately comment on the proposal and respond to the questions put forth by the Department.

We look forward to continued conversations with you on this very important issue.

Respectfully,

American Bankers Association  
American Society of Pension Professionals & Actuaries  
Defined Contribution Institutional Investment Association  
The Financial Services Roundtable  
The Investment Company Institute  
The National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors

Plan Sponsor Council of America  
Small Business Council of America  
The SPARK Institute  
U.S. Chamber of Commerce

cc: The Honorable Phyllis C. Borzi, Assistant Secretary, US Department of Labor  
Mr. Joe Canary, Director, Office of Regulations and Interpretations, US Department of  
Labor