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Please reconsider the language and meaning of "religious employer" in the new mandates concerning preventative health services to be covered by insurance plans. The definition is so narrow that its applicability negates most religious employers within the US. It really lacks true conscience protection. We must protect our religious freedom. It is what makes us the United States from our very birth of a nation. Sincerely, Paul and Darlene Elmer