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**To:** EBSA, E-ORI - EBSA  
**Subject:** RIN 1210-AB32 (IRA changes proposal to disallow options trading in MY IRA!)

Dear DOL:

My understanding is that the Department of Labor's (DOL's) proposed retirement rule would limit my ability to trade listed options in my IRA.

So it seems the government has decided that I'm just not smart enough to make my own informed investment decisions. I vehemently disagree.

This limitation will compromise my ability to benefit from relatively safe "Spread" strategies that I use to generate income on a regular basis.

I have struggled throughout my life to build my Retirement Accounts (IRA & Roth.) Option trading has had a very positive effect on that effort. Now, during my retirement years when I'm trying to generate income and continued growth in the accounts, you want to take this tool away from me! Please stop meddling and placing obstacles in my financial life.

I have had to qualify through options education in order to have this trading privilege. I also continue my options education on a regular basis. This is MY IRA, not yours! This is the best place for me to trade options because I do not need to be concerned about taxes on the profits, which most definitely erode my taxable account.

If you really want to help us retired folks and future retiree's, I suggest that you start requiring Congress to be more diligent with our contributions to Social Security and stop "robbing" the fund, which is a lot more harmful than options trading could ever be.

So, now that I got that off my chest, PLEASE preserve my right to continue trading options in my retirement accounts. Please.

Sincerely,

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