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The Federal Government already takes Social Security payments. They are mandatory and workers have no say as to how the money is used. The truth is, that the Social Security "lockbox" is EMPTY. The Government has looted the Social Security Fund and used proceeds as general revenues.

There is no way to keep the promises made by The Federal Government to the workers.

This new proposal is nothing but a blatant attempt to (forcibly) steal more money from the American Workers and temporarily relieve unmanageable federal budget.

Based on the Social Security Trust Fund fiasco, I oppose to any law FORCING workers to turn over any additional amount of money to the Federal Government, or forcing workers to invest in a vehicles "approved" or "mandated" by the Government. This is nothing but an attempt to force people buy government issued Treasuries, T-Bills or agency securities and cover the humongous hole in the budget. I categorically oppose to anything that prevents me from exercising full control over my earnings.

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