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**To:** EBSA, E-ORI - EBSA  
**Subject:** RIN 1210-AB33

Dear Sir,

Here is my comment to your Request for comment to the government taking our IRA and 401K money in promise for a future annuity under IRS Document 2010-02028

Do you think Americans are IDIOTS? You would like to take our hard earned money in IRAs and 401Ks that WE CONTROL and promise a lifetime annuity that we can trust you to pay in the future? You just want to take our privately held trillions in readily available cash that we SAVED for the future to cover your obscene and unsustainable debt and buy time to avoid default of U. S. debt obligations. How did I get to this conclusion? Easy. Look at Social Security. Congress has taken our excess contributions in the Social Security piggy bank over the decades and SPENT them while putting soon to be worthless U. S. debt IOUs in the account. Now you can't fund the retiring baby boomers because you have wasted the money instead of saving it for future and very predictable Social Security obligations. And exactly the same thing will happen if we give you our IRA and 401 Savings now for a promise of a future annuity. I am not an IDIOT!

So here is the bottom line. If American voters let you take our IRA and 401K cash now for a future annuity promise, then you are right. We are idiots and deserve the fiscally irresponsible government we have kept in office for far too long.

Respectfully but mad as hell taxpayer and Social Security payer.

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"A veteran is someone who, at one point in his life, wrote a blank check made payable to 'The United States of America' for an amount of 'up to and including my life'.

That is Honor, and there are way too many people in this country who no longer understand it."