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## General Comment

I object to the proposed 90-day delay in the implementation of the new regulations. The DOL has already provided all sides a fair opportunity to comment and respond to the proposed regulations, and it had studied the effect of the change for over a year. Now, without reason, the DOL wishes to delay the implementation of the new regulations without any public disclosure. Because the DOL has already determined that the new regulations would not pose an undue burden on insurers and provides proper balance to the rights of ERISA claimants, I urge you to implement the regulations without delay. Thank you.