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General Comment

I am writing to address my concern regarding the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA). I believe that the religious exemption guidelines are very narrow and far too limited. Many employers object to using their company resources to pay for birth control, and many more strongly object to using company resources to pay for abortion-inducing drugs like "Ella" and the "morning after pill."

I encourage you to revise the PPACA's religious exemption to not only include houses of worship, but also religious organizations, religious colleges, and employer-funded private health insurance plans if the employer has a conscientious objection to using corporate funds to pay for birth control or abortion-inducing drugs.

Thank you for your time