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To Whom It May Concern:

I am alarmed that the protection for conscientious objectors is too narrow. That protection should extend to any groups or individuals that have conscience objections to any contraceptives as well as those that can cause abortion.

I think it is beyond the legitimate purview of HHS to determine who or what constitutes a "religious employer" in view of the First Amendment's protection of religious liberty.

Sincerely,  
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