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To whom it may concern:

I have been using the technique of covered option writing in my clients' IRAs for more than three decades. The approach has generated a significant amount of cash that my retirees can use for meeting day-to-day expenses or for paying for trips. Denying my people access to this tool would hinder them in their retirement planning.

It strikes me that those proposing this restrictive action don't clearly see the benefits that the approach can take. Please think twice before setting forth this ban. You will hurt those who have come to rely on a time-proven method.

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