Gentlemen, are you crazy. Removing options from IRA accounts will greatly effect my ability to manage my IRAs. Options play an important part of my investing strategy in my retirement accounts. First and foremost they provide me the ability to hedge against losses. The cost is worth the investment, as I view it as insurance. Options also allow me the ability to repair investments that have gone wrong. The income from covered call writing is also a big benefit for me to make gains where losses have been incurred.

Please don't make things worse for the investor. The market makes no guarantees. It is very difficult to make gains. Removing options from IRAs will hurt those of us who use them to manage and grow our portfolios.

Thank you for consideration,
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