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## **General Comment**

I agree with July 15, 2020, Fairfax, Va.Americans for Limited Government President Rick Manning today issued the following statement urging the Trump administration Labor Department to block private pension investment in Chinese securities following the blocking of federal employee pension investment in China:

If an individual investor wishes to put their money into Chinese state-owned companies on the Shanghai Composite Index, that is a choice with all the risks that choice entails. However, retirement funds are held to a higher standard under the law and given the administrations recognition that Chinese assets do not conform to that standard it would be irresponsible for state officials to not follow suit to protect their employees future financial security, too.

Thank you.