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## **Submitter Information**

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## **General Comment**

As a sponsor of a small retirement plan, I strongly support changing the CPA audit requirement so that it is based upon 100 participants with an account balance instead of 100 total participants including active employees who choose not to participate. The cost and work associated with the CPA audit is burdensome and discourages employers from offering retirement plans.

Retirement plans are a significant benefit and are essential to an organizations ability to recruited employees. The current regulations puts small employers at a disadvantage in the employee market place.

Thank you,

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