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To the Department of Labor:

I am writing to urge you to implement the DOL conflict of interest rule and oppose any delay.

As a retired teacher, I know how important it has been to me to know that my retirement has been in the hands of people I can trust. All retirement savers should be able to trust their financial advisers to put their interests first. Unfortunately, the rules have made it too easy for unscrupulous advisers to make money at their clients' expense.

The rule is necessary to make sure that such practices are discontinued.

Delaying implementation of these new protections would allow financial advisers and their firms to continue to engage in harmful practices that threaten the retirement security of their hardworking clients. **The rule should be implemented beginning on April 10th.**

Sincerely,
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