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Dear Dept. of Treasury,

I would like to cast my 'NO' vote on the proposal to annuitize everybody's 401k retirement accounts. People already have an option to buy an annuity with their retirement dollars. I do not feel something like this should be mandated by the government, with all do respect.

After taking an informal questionnaire to friends and clients I find a vast majority would not only stop contributing to their plans, they would think long and hard about cashing out their plan. The two top responses in my informal poll were:

- Is this pay back to the insurance industry for the damage done by the health care proposal?
- Is this payback to AARP for their help in trying to pass the health care bill?
- A close third was, is this a stealth 'bailout' for AIG again?

You see, the government has lost the faith of the people.

Thank you for your time.  
~Peter B.  
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