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U.S. Departments of Labor and Treasury to hold hearing on specific issues related to lifetime income options for retirement plans

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The U. S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) and the Department of the Treasury today (August 5th) announced a joint public hearing on Sept. 14, 2010, and if necessary on Sept. 15, to hear testimony on several specific issues relating to lifetime income and other arrangements that provide a stream of income after retirement for workers in employer-sponsored retirement plans. The hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. in the Labor Department's auditorium, 200 Constitution Ave., N.W. in Washington, D.C.

The departments received approximately 780 public comments in response to the request for information (RFI) published in the Feb. 2, 2010 Federal Register. The purpose of the hearing is to gather additional information on discrete technical issues and proposals raised in RFI submissions.

[EBSA News Release dated August 5, 2010](#)
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