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Member Advisory:

Frontline to Air “The Retirement Gamble” Apr. 23

On Tuesday, April 23, the PBS program *Frontline* will air “The Retirement Gamble,” which the online promo says “raises troubling questions about how America's financial institutions protect our savings, and asks whether there is a better way to manage our retirements.” The promo video indicates it will be extremely critical of 401(k) plans.

Whether you agree with the positions taken in the program or not, these programs can, and have, affected attitudes and policy, particularly in view of the recent and continued focus on retirement plan fees, the upcoming regulations on fiduciary standards, and congressional consideration of changing retirement tax rules.

While there will doubtless be many interpretations and characterizations of this program in the weeks to come, the best way to have your own reaction, rather than depending upon the characterizations of others, is to watch it. Check your local PBS station for air time.

More information about the program, including times and program listings is available online at <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/retirement-gamble/>

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