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[YOUR NAME  
AND ADDRESS]

**By Facsimile: (202) XXX-XXXX**

Hon. [NAME OF REP]  
[RAYBURN/CANNON/LONGWORTH] House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

**RE:** Request to Co-Sponsor Rep. Greg Meeks (D-NY) HR 2733

Dear Representative [NAME OF REP]:

I am writing to ***urge you to Co-Sponsor HR 2733 - the "Indexed Annuities and Insurance Products Classification Act of 2009."***

This important bill nullifies Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 151A which classifies Fixed Indexed Annuities (FIAs) – which are clearly insurance products - into securities subject to registration and additional regulation with the SEC. The rule makes no sense and one can only ask: "Huh? What was the SEC thinking?"

Rule 151A was widely criticized when it was adopted last December in the waning hours of the last administration – it is widely opposed and only supported by a few large companies seeking to limit competition. More importantly, FIAs are clearly insurance products extensively regulated by the states and not securities – and have preserved billions of dollars of retirement savings while the SEC let the securities markets implode.

It is time to stand up for insurance jobs in our state and say "no" to the SEC's power-grab.

***Please Co-sponsor HR 2733 – a Bi-partisan bill with nearly 45 Co-sponsors -- immediatley!***

[YOUR NAME]