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I am an 84 year old former state employee with an 80 year old wife. We currently live in a retirement community and hopefully have a few more years left on this earth. When I was recruited in 1970 by Mr. Louis Bruno former State Superintendent of Public Instruction, there was no choice other than plan 1. My pension has not kept up with inflation which is a part of the American economic system. Last year alone our retirement community increased our rent by 9 percent. I am sure Plan One retirees would appreciate a Christmas gift that reflects and equals what other pensions plans receive. We need your help and serious consideration.

Gary J Bloomfield, Ph.D.

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