# Communications from Non-Federal Organizations

**IBC’s Human Resources Operations Division has learned that some IBC employees have received multiple recent email communications from organizations outside of the federal government related to employee benefits.**

The emails typically state the companies are not a government agency and not affiliated with the federal government, however the communications use names or terms to make them appear to be coming from government organizations. Some examples include:

* Email from The TSP Pilot Team, which contains a red box to click to view updated allocations.
* Email from GEBA regarding a Limited Time Group Term Life Insurance Offer, which references FEGLI Basic Coverage
* An email from Secure Choice, a FEGLI Alternative for federal employees

None of these solicitations are affiliated with any of your official federal benefits or any federal entities such as OPM or IBC.

If you receive email messages from any of these or similar private sector companies, we encourage you to be cautious in clicking any of the links and consult a financial advisor if you’re considering these alternative benefit options.

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## Questions?

If you have any questions regarding any communications you receive from organizations outside of IBC regarding your employee benefits and have questions, please reach out to your [servicing HR Benefits Team](https://ibc.doi.gov/HRD/hr-services-contacts).