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New Podcast Episode: Wealth Tax Proposals

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Our latest episode features AAF President Douglas Holtz-Eakin discussing the wealth tax proposals from presidential candidates Elizabeth Warren and Bernie Sanders. New research from the American Action Forum finds that such a tax would have a uniquely negative impact on workers' real wages – ultimately imposing an effective tax of 63 cents on workers for every dollar the government raises in revenue from the wealthy. Holtz-Eakin explains the results of his research and considers several objections to its findings. Read the research here.

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