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I believe that all traders should have the right to choose the amount of leverage that is appropriate for his/her risk appetite, and that this basic principle of 'choice' is being threatened by the proposed CFTC regulations, specifically those identified by **RIN 3038-AC61**. Please do not limit the amount leverage available to me in my retail forex account to just 10:1.

Thanks,

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