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Subject: leverage changes

Dear Sir:

It came to my attention CFTC's intention to change the existing flexibility on the leverage I am accustomed to a 10:1 leverage. I believe this will drastically change the way I will trade and I am pretty sure that of hundreds of small traders. I will petition that the rule is left as it stands. We cannot afford to lose thousand of additional jobs in the US due to this rule as more "smart" trader will fly the country in search for foreign brokers where such an ridiculous rules does not exist.

Thanks for your consideration,

Dr. Herman Vega.