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To whom it may concern:

I am against changing the amount of volume we can trade. I've just invested in a school to teach me the ins and outs of the Forex Exchange. My husband is a disabled veteran and unable to work. I need something to keep us going, and would like to share in the American dream of good earning potential. If you change the volume to 10:1 max, my ability to earn enough money, just to pay our bills is out the window. Please rethink your proposal and let us common Americans a chance to earn some real money. If I'm able to make a substantial amount of money, I'll be able to employ someone at my store, maybe more, instead of having to be there 7 days a week, 8-12 hours a day, and still just barely eking out enough to pay our bills. Please don't interfere with the people who are trying to improve the quality of their lives. My husband fought for this country, lost a limb in doing so, and we feel that this is just an act to keep the common people like us down. Please, please, please, leave the max leverage where it currently stands at 100:1.

Sincerely,  
Karen Furphy