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To: secretary <secretary@CFTC.gov>
Subject: Regulation of Retail Forex - RIN 3038-AC61

Dear Mr. Secretary,

It has come to my attention that there is a proposed change to the maximum amount of leverage in retail forex trading to 10:1. Retail forex traders are business people like anybody else and possess the skills and responsibility to manage their accounts to the appropriate risk tolerance that suits their business model.

I am a retail forex trader and enjoy the benefits that it provides for my family as our primary source of income. Within the US all of us have the freedom of choice, and the ability to use risk capital to start, grow, and sustain a business. Retail forex trading is provided globally and it is very easy for a retail trader to open an account in a foreign location. I believe that if the proposed change is passed it would drive small retail traders like myself as well as large retail trading corporations that rely on our freedom of choice in leverage to relocate their business to a foreign country.

The US cannot afford a mass exodus of jobs and capital to be invested in another country, we must band together for the good of the US economy, and US business owners that use retail forex trading for sustainability.

Thank-you for your consideration, if you would like to discuss this matter further, or are looking for representation from the retail forex community, please contact me at the number below.

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