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Dear Commissioners

The unprecedented sell-off in silver on the COMEX spot market on May 4th and 5th underscores the urgency of establishing position limits.

This latest debacle must surely be the most egregious example of the blatant manipulation going on in the silver market.

This is not price discovery. It is the rape of individual investors. It's time to put a stop to it.

Thank you Charlie Sitzes.