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The most blatant manipulation in the precious metals markets took place last Friday, on 04/16/10, on the same day of options expiration, as described by whistle blower, Andrew Maquier. At the time the manipulation was taking place, propaganda was distributed on CNBC as to the reason, "Because John Paulson was mentioned but not charged in the complaint, there was fear that he would have to sell his holdings of GLD." How preposterous!!

This blatant, in your face manipulation, with well timed propaganda is a slap in the face to the CFTC and all investors. As the CFTC does nothing to prevent these illegal activities, I will no longer invest in the the markets you supposedly regulate.

Rich